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"THOUGHTFUL COLUMN"

BERNICE WILLIAMS FOLEY

In England editorials are called "thoughtful columns," an euphuism which is a challenge to all opinion page writers, and one which brings to mind the proverb that a word, like a small bird, once set free, cannot be caught again.

Ohio authors this year have released in their books many words which, unretrievable, they send forth as literary offerings to readers. In the thousands of languages and dialects that comprise the world's babel, books by Ohio authors and on the Ohio Scene are notable contributions.

To speak of "mere words" is like speaking of "mere dynamite." Lexicographer Samuel Johnson in 1755 said to Oliver Goldsmith, "Words are men's daughters."

In this issue and in subsequent ones of the OHIOANA QUARTERLY, we are printing a series of articles by outstanding Ohio authors. You, the Reader, will find these "words," the very "daughters" or literary children of these fame-name Ohio writers, of significant interest. They are words which, like birds, have been set forever free by gifted Ohioans of the literary world. When formalized into sentences these words reveal an insight into the personal thoughts of the authors which the reading public could not otherwise enjoy.

Ohioana Library feels it a privilege to publish these articles, written expressly for our pages by the great literary names of our State.

The function of a word, if we may oversimplify, is to make a thing real. English, with a vocabulary about four times that of any other contemporary language, is an expressive medium in which our authors can make their ideas and beliefs real to all of us.

Walter Havighurst

ONE DAY when he was brooding about himself and his background, Sherwood Anderson wrote: "I might drift here and there about America, but at heart I would be, to the New Yorker, a man from beyond the mountains, an Ohio man to the end . . . To the end of my life I would talk with the half slovenly drawl of the Middle-Westerner, would walk like such a Middle-Westerner, have the air of something between a laborer, a man of business, a gambler, a race-horse-owner, an actor." In that statement Anderson flung a wide net, but he didn't catch his man. He was not the first to fail in defining the Midwesterner.
I have never attempted that definition, though I have tried repeatedly to trace the history and traditions that have developed between the Ohio River and the Great Lakes. From Wisconsin and Illinois I came to live in Ohio. The Midwest is the background I am most akin to, yet it took me some time to find it. At one period I got as far away from it as I could. My first published story was of a seaman on a lumber schooner in Alaska; my first novel told of a waterfront strike on the Pacific coast. One of the novel's readers (there weren't many) was Constance Lindsay Skinner who was then planning the Rivers of America series. She persuaded me to write The Upper Mississippi, and that book led to other works of original fiction, biography and informal history. I found that the Midwest, like any other realm of human experience, is inexhaustible.

An English writer helped me to see this part of America with fresh perception. Wrote Graham Hutton in Midwest at Noon: "In the middle of the journey of my life and by the accident of war, I came to live in the Middle West. It was the region of America which I had always liked best, where I felt most at home, and where I spent the most interesting and happy years of a not uneventful life. The longer I lived there the more I became convinced that the Midwest and its people were largely unknown, widely misinterpreted, and greatly misunderstood."

One of the misunderstandings is that Midwesterners are a uniform and monotonous people. They have never seemed so to Midwestern writers — to Mark Twain or Sherwood Anderson, to Dreiser, Sandburg or Masters. In an Illinois village cemetery Edgar Lee Masters found all the diversity of human nature. The Spoon River graveyard is a microcosm. It contains two doctors, one dentist, four lawyers, four preachers, seven prostitutes, four storekeepers, a photographer, two poets, the town drunkard, the village atheist, seven teachers, about an equal number of farmers and tradesmen a gambler, a revivalist, a piano tuner, a night policeman, two fiddlers — one of them blind — an editor who lost his job because he wrote about the Haymarket anarchists, a boy who ran away with the circus, an inventor, a liverystable man, some politicians, and a stonemason who carved gravestones for the dead. Each had one some secret — of guilt, defiance, protest, loneliness, longing or exaltation. That Midwestern village included all the varieties of human nature.

Here is another statement from Graham Hutton: "It surprised me back in the thirties when I first became fascinated by the Midwest that there were few books by Americans, or indeed by anyone else, that told about the region, its history, and its way of life." Mr. Hutton would find some more books now, but the record is only begun. And there are difficulties in writing about this region.

Because of its topography and its history the Midwest has often seemed devoid of character. Except for its great lakes and great rivers its landscape is undistinguished. Though immensely productive it appears monotonous — no heights, no depths, no barriers, nothing hidden, few contrasts, no difficult or dangerous places. The level land casts no shadows. All its horizons look alike.

Yet if the Midwest deprives a writer, it also gives him something. Having no ready symbols, it has no stereotypes. In the heartland there is no Southern mansion decaying amid the magnolias, no sea captain's widow taking in summer boarders, no oil-rich Texas farmers or memories of the Alamo. Midwestern fiction has the greatest variety of character: Miss Lulu Bett, Aunt Hager, Alice Adams, and Antonia Shimerda; Carol Kennicott and Sister Carrie; Studs Lonigan, Per Hansa and Jay Gatsby; Windy McPherson and Augie March. See the variety of national background there: German, Irish, Norwegian, Bohemian, Yankee, Jewish, Negro, English. And the greater variety is in temperament and spirit.

Here is the first gift of the heartland to its writers — a society of endless diversity. To the midlands came many strains of people. A look at the map shows scattered across the Midwest all the capitals of Europe. In the states of the old Northwest Territory are 3 Lisbons, 3 Madrars, 2 Moscows, 2 Dublins, 3 Warsaws, 4 Londons, 4 Parises, 5 Athenes, 5 Vien­

From the beginning this was a land of mingled voices. A frontier traveler might hear Elizabethan ballads on an Ohio River flatboat, French minuets in the woods at Gallipolis, Welsh lullabies in covered wagons, Irish jigs in canal shanties, Swedish and German hymns in log churches. For half a century the heartland was a frontier of Europe as well as of the United States. Along with the Hoosiers and Yankees came the rich ferment of immigration, men of many nations clinging to their Old World memories while they searched the wilderness for a future.

The second gift of the heartland to its writers is a past that goes back to the beginnings. In Kilkenny County, Ireland, the famous old Kilkenny School has recently added a new building, named for an 18th century philosopher who was one of its graduates. Berkeley Hall replaced an abandoned almshouse, which rested upon the floor of a ruined courtroom, which was erected on the foundation of a barracks, which occupied the site of a former monastery, which is said to have replaced an ancient market.

End of story.
house. In an older world we realize the brevity of our own history; at Kilkenny I thought of an Ohio college that is built on the site of an Indian burial ground. But though our past is brief, none of it is lost. It is all recoverable. We can go back to the beginnings. The literature of Europe has no "land-lookers," no search for a Northwest Passage, no trail-breakers in the wilderness. No one knows who discovered the Rhine River or the Danube. But in America we know how DeSoto discovered the Mississippi below present Memphis, and Marquette discovered it at present Prairie du Chien, and Schoolcraft discovered its source in Itasca Lake; and we know what each of them did and said at the moment of discovery. We know where our place names came from and how they got there. Shawneetown, Vincennes, Fort Defiance, Michilimackinac—they smolder on the map like old campfires. We can recall the first blacksmith in a township, the first circuit rider in the forest, the first pedler on the road. None of our past is lost.

The first lesson in McGuffey's Readers is "A is for Ax;" its picture shows a child standing beside an ax that is leaned against a tree trunk. In McGuffey's time and place the ax was the key to the future. It cleared pioneer fields; it provided logs for cabins, rails for fences, fuel for the chimney hearth. The thud of the ax was the sound of settlement.

Conrad Richter's The Trees begins with a Pennsylvania family on the way into the deepening forest. After they had poled a raft across the big river under the Alleghenies, they were in a different country. Now the mud underfoot was black and overhead arched a green roof, spattered with sunlight. From a ridge they looked upon a green and wind-stirred ocean, a forest sea rolling to the horizon. Said Sayward Luckett: "Oh, you had to be a stout body to be a woman way back here, for this was way up West in the Ohio wilderness." Through the deep woods ran a trace. The Indians had made it, or the buffalo before them. At the far end you could just see the promise of light; it was the first clearing in that huge forest.

In 1818, when Illinois became a state, when the Cumberland Road reached over the mountains to the Ohio River, when the first steamboat churned the waters of Lake Erie, when old George Rogers Clark died beside the Ohio River in Kentucky and in backwoods Indiana 9-year-old Abe Lincoln whittled pegs for his mother's coffin, a land treaty was signed by Wyandot, Shawnee and Ottawa chiefs at St. Mary's, Ohio. The treaty surrendered a big tract of central Indiana, and at the same time a village site of the Munsey tribe was sold to a land speculator by the halfbreed daughter of William Wells, a frontier scout who had been killed in the massacre of Fort Dearborn at the mouth of the Chicago River.

In the 1820s the town of Munsey was plotted on that site, and a century later Muncie, Indiana, was described by two sociologists, Robert and Helen Lynd, as "Middletown," the typical American community. I find it fascinating that in Middletown (1929) and Middletown in Transition (1937) a community can be portrayed through succeeding generations of experience from a crossroads village to an industrial city. There are six actual Middletons or Middletowns in the Midwest. To me it is tantalizing to know that one could trace the whole human story of each of them.

Author: Walter Havighurst, Regents Professor of English at Miami University, has received honorary degrees from Lawrence College, Ohio Wesleyan University, Marietta College and Miami University. His numerous books which include fiction, regional history and biography, have won many coveted awards and world-wide acclaim.

His most recent book, The Miami Years, 1809-1969, is a history of Miami University which began with a Board of Trustees, and a township of wild land, but without college buildings, faculty or students. Professor Havighurst is talented in correlating the people with the events of our midwest region.

Survey of Incunabula

Dean H. Keller, Curator of Special Collections, Kent State University, announces that his department is conducting a survey with the view towards publishing a census of incunabula held by institutions and private collectors in Ohio.

Because the value of such a printed census is its comprehensiveness, the cooperation of everyone is requested to send in information about these early books printed before 1501. Such information should be addressed to Dr. Keller, Kent State University Libraries, Kent, Ohio 44240.
When "Why" Supersedes "How"

YOUTH REVISITED

by Fletcher Knebel

THE MOST FREQUENTLY QUOTED humorous political speech of our time was
made by Adlai Stevenson shortly after his 1952 defeat for the Presidency.
Speaking to the Gridiron Club of Washington, Stevenson opened with the
line: "A funny thing happened to me on the way to the White House."

The remark sprang from the rubble of memory the other day when
the QUARTERLY's editor asked me to write a piece about myself. I pondered
the matter for all of one minute before agreeing. No subject is quite so
appealing to the human animal as that ever-quivering presence — usually
messy and squalid but occasionally illumined by unexpected flashes of
benignancy — that we call the self.

To paraphrase Adlai Stevenson: "A funny thing happened to me on
the way to old age."

In fact, at age 57, when I should be settling into the comfortable
rigidites of the golden age set, playing golf and lamenting the passing of the
old days and the old ways, I am, instead, wracked by an awareness of change,
taunted by curiosity and filled with a sense of wonder, awe and sadness
that I haven’t felt since I was a child.

In short, from the ears up, I'm young again. I delight in the sweet
ballads of the girls whose long, weeping hair caresses their guitars. I
understand the youthful crusade of the 66-year-old Dr. Benjamin Spock.
I'm depressed by the self-satisfied cocoon in which so much of the Estab­
ishment spends its days. I agonize over the lethal grip which militarism
has fastened on my country since the World War II era. I, too, would
rather make love than war. I fret once again over those perplexities which
so engrossed me on the college campus: the meaning of life, the nature
of the vast, heaving universe, virtue's seemingly eternal talent for self­
corruption, the pitiful inability of man to communicate fully with others
of his kind and his never-flagging inhumanity to his fellow wanderers
in this immense wilderness of existence.

And before you dismiss my case as the early onset of senility, hear
me out — for, believe me, it is a very intense and exciting thing to be young
again.

Just when this change occurred, I'm not sure. I suppose it has been
happening gradually over the last five or six years, but one scene symbolizes
the transformation for me. One time a few years back, I found myself on
a midnight radio talk show, sandwiched between a belly dancer and a
federal official of the anti-poverty program. It was one of those uncon­
scionable and debasing things that authors do to publicize their books.
My novel of the hour was The Zinzin Road. I should have stayed in bed.
For an hour the belly dancer, the anti-poverty pontificator and the writer
traded utter inanities with the emcee of the show, a man whose overweening
ego was equalled only by his garrulity.

Into the studio to listen to this matchless nonsense walked four college
boys. At least I assumed they were college boys, for they all wore sweat
shirts with the emblem, "Marquette University." I also assumed the
young men were high on pot because they giggled spasmodically and un­
controllably. Every time one of the show's participants dropped one of those
weighty lines, so laden with ponderous insignificance, the sweat-shirt crew
dissolved in giggles. I was dismayed. The emcee was outraged. The
anti-poverty expert became flustered. What thoughts passed through the
head — and the belly — of the inarticulate dancer, I don't know, but she
looked unhappy.
I often think of the Marquette students now and I'm thankful to them. Marijuana, whatever its other assets and liabilities, does make the smoker impatient with phonies, dissemblers and rascals, and those college boys realized that we of the panel show had nothing relevant to say to them—or anything else, for that matter. The sweat-shirts could take only about ten minutes of us. Then they marched out, elishly derisive over this imbecility of the air waves which masqueraded in the trappings of enlightenment.

The Marquettes were right. I understand that now. We of the panel were all corrupted for the moment by our own motives, and any listener who failed to tune us out must have been either an insomniac or a fool. We were thoroughly dishonest. We were not there to push back the frontiers of human ignorance an inch or two, but to peddle our wares. The young deeply distrust all evidences of dishonesty—except, perhaps, those arising from within themselves.

In trying to analyze what has happened to me, I've tentatively decided that the answer comes in two parts. First, I've quit asking "how" and begun asking "why." Second, I've learned to value *feeling* as well as rationality.

I was a newspaperman for 30 years, trained to find out the "who, what, where, when, how and why" of every story. Most of that time I covered politics and I became absorbed with the "how" above all else. The "how" intrigued me as it did thousands of other newspapermen. How would Jack Kennedy manipulate the machinery of the Democratic party to become our first Catholic President? How did my society work? How did the Mafia corrupt police, courts and city hall? Precisely how did the atomic bomb work? Forever and ever, the great Lord How.

Then, more by good fortune than intent, I stumbled into the trade of the novelist and promptly found myself in a far more troublesome, indistinct and baffling area, the region of WHY. Why did my Character A misunderstand my Character B? Why did he stalk out of the house in a rage? Why had I assumed that the American experiment was the ultimate in man’s fumbling attempts to govern himself? Why did we make war instead of love? Why did the pink azaleas bloom each spring with a riotous insistence that tortured the soul and overwhelmed it with nostalgia? Why was the meaning of life withheld from us? Why did man slaughter his own kind under myriad noble banners that marched to blood-red horizons across forgotten centuries? Why was I here at all? Why were you here? And why were we so persistently and blindly cruel to each other? The "why" cried out—a pained and solitary sound like the plaint of a train whistle on midnight prairies.

Mind you, I don’t for a moment denigrate the journalist’s search for the "how." We must all ask "how" a thousand times if we are to comprehend the workings of our social systems, the cool purrings of our machines or the intricacies of the human body and its woes.

But I submit that the quest for "why" is the noblest of all human ventures. It has triggered the world’s great minds since the dawn of thought. It has transfigured some persons, sown the seeds for vast religious and social reformations, ignited the flames of exploration and discovery and enriched millions of individuals and hundreds of societies. It has also inspired dread and repression, for the man who constantly asks "why" upsets the comfortable assumptions on which people and their societies operate.

During my son’s college days, I once asked him which course he liked best. A course in political systems and theories, he answered, because the professor was so provocative and stimulating. What did the professor say? My son Jack replied: "He really doesn’t say anything much. He just keeps asking us, ‘Why?’" That three-letter word has the power to provoke more thought and more probing of the unknown than any other in the world’s languages. It is the word most frequently on the lips of children as they seek to discover the miracle of existence in the world about them . . . . "Don’t touch that flame," warns the mother of the three-year-old. "Why?" he asks. "Because it will burn your fingers," she says. "Why?" he repeats—and thereby opens up limitless realms of physics, chemistry, cell structure, thermodynamics and life itself. . . . The person who asks "why?" and who pursues the search, wherever it may lead, nurtures the child-like curiosity which is the seed of most knowledge.

The second point in my rejuvenation was the realization that feeling has a value on a par with thought. I remember my reaction in the seventh grade when a girl, asked a question by the teacher, replied: "Well, I know, but I can’t explain it." I was indignant. The girl was obviously lying. Anything known, I believed in my 11-year-old sagacity, could be explained. Imagine my outrage when the teacher, a kindly woman, smiled at the girl and said: "I think you do understand."

Forty years passed before I began to appreciate the infinite wisdom of the teacher’s reply. There are countless human experiences, including the most profound ones, which can be felt with overpowering intensity and yet cannot be articulated. No writer yet has been able to describe, adequately and fully, the feeling of love. Many great writers have succeeded in communicating the sense of love, but none has explained it. Love is an emotion of a million sparkling facets, often moving with the force of the wild
wastes of oceans. It has no logic, no rationality, no real boundaries or rules, and yet for hundreds of millions of people it is the single most powerful experience in life.

Perhaps what I’ve really rediscovered is the aura of mystery which envelops the child. Despite all our new insights provided by medicine and psychology, the essence of human life is still a deep mystery, a brooding, unstable, uncertain pool of agony and joy, springing from no man knows where and leading to no man knows what — if indeed it leads anywhere. Perhaps many centuries from now, in the distant, silent future of space travel and in the laboratory’s probing into the nature of matter and life, we may find the final answer. I doubt it, but I admit the possibility. In the long meantime, the mystery of it all is so pervasive and so intense that sometimes a strong man can cry himself to sleep at night. Ahead of each one of us lies the great, black mystery — the imponderable of death. Death stalks us all. Little children become fascinated with it, and it occupies a strange amount of their conversation when they learn to talk. Somehow they understand the utter loneliness, the gauntness, the despair and the shimmering beauty of the giant question mark, life.

And so I’m young again, marveling at the sunshine stroking the dark trunk of an oak tree, wondering about you and me and why we gird our solitude with such defensive truculence toward each other, filled with awe at the immensity of the universe and at the rapid beat of a humming bird’s wings, utterly possessed by the mysteries of being. Like a child, I’m seldom bored. Unlike a child, I have regrets and the chief regret is that for some 30 years I misplaced the child in me. I’m glad he’s back.

**AUTHOR:** Formerly a journalist, Fletcher Knebel has added fiction writing to his career as top Washington Correspondent for political affairs. Several of his novels such as *Vanished* and *Night of Camp David*, are characterized by strong political backgrounds and high level governmental intrigues. The plot of *The Zinzin Road* took place in Africa and concerned the Peace Corps. The much discussed *Seven Days in May* (written in collaboration with Charles W. Bailey II) is a popular film.

**Ohioana Quarterly** can reveal this scoop — a new Fletcher Knebel novel, entitled *Trespass*, is being published by Doubleday, and has been chosen as the Literary Guild Selection for October. Ohio is proud to claim this talented and famous novelist by reason of his birth in Dayton. His present home is Princeton, New Jersey.

**Tell Me When I Should Laugh, Please**

by Jack D. Hunter

**During lunch** one day recently, a business associate cleared his throat in a different way and told me, “Guy I know just read your latest book.”

“So did he like it?”

“He wants I should ask you a question before he says one way or the other.”

“What question?”

“Was it supposed to be a funny book?”

“That’s his question?”

“Yeah.”

“Well,” I said through my soup vapors, “I’d sort of hoped the readers would smile here and there.”

“You mean it definitely wasn’t a serious book?”

“I wouldn’t say it was. Especially after all the trouble I went to to keep it lighthearted. Why?”
"Well, then," my friend said in obvious relief, "the guys says to tell you it was a real groovy book. He kept wanting to laugh at it."

I swear this conversation took place. It has not been contrived for use in this piece and it is no sneaky trick designed to plug my own work. (For one thing, I'm a lot sneakier than this and therefore able to devise a much more enthusiastic and credible way to say nice things about myself.) It is, however, intended to illuminate the problem of the contemporary author who likes to write novels of humorous adventure.

Readers, it seems, are forgetting how to relax and enjoy themselves in their reading. They are forgetting the fun to be derived from entertainment fiction. If a novel isn't a turgid, doom-toned, convoluted, sexually possessed statement of "social relevance," today's reader apparently experience vaguely guilty embarrassment over his inability to discern the "message." If next he decides there is no message, he appears to apologize for having wasted his time; certainly, he seems to think, time devoted to nothing more than high adventure and a few chuckles can't possibly have been time well spent.

Well, I say, why? What's so terribly wrong about forthright entertainment in fiction?

Honestly, I don't think I'm a square. I turn a materialistic dollar or two as a peripheral member of The Establishment, to be sure. But, even though I'm over 30, I can hold my own with the sober-sided, self-anointed intellectuals of the New Generation and I have yet to have a stiff-legged tantrum when a teenager cruises by looking like Edgar Allan Poe in bell-bottoms. Moreover, I have documentary evidence to prove that I can be as serious and socially aware as the next fellow: my first novel, THE BLUE MAX, was an in-depth character study of an alcoholic fighter pilot and incipient Nazi, and if that isn't serious and socially aware enough for you then you must be very serious and socially aware indeed.

What's a nice kid like me doing in an argument like this? To explain I must evoke a flashback.

In 1927 my parents took me to see the first Academy Award winning motion picture, a thing called Wings. It was a silent picture based on World War I flying as seen through the eyes of Buddy Rogers, Clara Bow, and Richard Arlen. Although I was only six years old at the time, I left the theater with an instant and profound love of the old airplanes that had swarmed across the screen. Throughout my subsequent youth I made a deep study of World War I aviation — reading everything I could find on the subject, haunting museums that displayed the old airplanes, talking with men who had actually flown them in combat. By high school I had unwittingly become an expert on the subject and, likewise unwittingly, I had taken the first step toward becoming a novelist.

With World War II and graduation from college, I went directly into the Army. I wanted very much to be a fighter pilot, naturally, and the Army, naturally, made me an infantryman. After some fancy footwork, however, I wangled a transfer into the Counter Intelligence Corps and was trained as a special agent for duty against German espionage operations in Europe. While thus engaged, I became the confidant of assorted Nazi bigwigs and, thanks to this exposure, eventually became gloomily preoccupied with some presumably unanswerable questions: Where did characters like these come from? What could have happened in their youthful years that would enable ostensibly reasonable men to champion such a wicked cause?

By puzzling over these posers, I unknowingly took my second major step toward the novel.

Home again and safely embarked on my journalistic career, I formulated a thought so daring and so patently absurd I uttered it to no other soul — not even my wife. The thought: Maybe someday I'll write a novel. Maybe someday I'll write a story about what might have happened to one young German to qualify him as a patsy for the Nazism that would eventually sweep his nation into catastrophe and despair. After all, I reasoned, Herman Goering, the archetypal Nazi, was only a kid in World War I — a kid who flew with a fighter squadron on the Western Front. Why not do a novel along those lines? Why not take a German fighter pilot, a la Goering, and depict the war-accelerated physical, mental, and spiritual degeneration that set him up for the Nazism to come? Why not? I had researched both planes and men, in depth and in war.

But "someday" had a way of never coming around.

There were always all sorts of reasons for this sad truth. "After a full day of chasing stories for a newspaper, who wants to sit at a typewriter at night?" Or, "how can I be a good husband and father if I isolate myself every evening at home to work on a story that would probably never see the light of print?" Or, "I work hard days, so I should play hard nights." And so on and on and on.

With rationalizations such as these I tried to forget the whole thing. The years went by, I became entrenched in a new field called industrial-journalism, the kids grew into their teens, and I worked hard days and played hard nights. But no matter how hard I tried I couldn't get the thought out of my mind: Someday I'll write that novel.
One day in 1961, while on a vacation in Vermont, I accepted the truth I had so long avoided: Today is someday. Yesterday is irretrievable, tomorrow is not yet here. Today is the only day there is.

On that “today” in Vermont — after some 15 years of saying “some-day” — I sat down at a picnic table in the lower meadow and began to write the first chapter of what was to become THE BLUE MAX. For seven months, working a minimum of three hours every evening, weekends and holidays included, I eventually came to the last word in the 100,000 that made up my story.

By the following year the book had been published, the motion picture rights had been purchased by a Hollywood studio, the paperback rights had been sold to a leading house, and foreign publishers had purchased the rights to translate the work into eight major European languages.

But now that I had my “serious novel” out of the way I began to revert to what my mother always called my “natural good cheer.” I slipped the tip of my tongue into a cheek and dished up THE EXPENDABLE SPY, remaining just serious enough to convince Those Who Know that I was still soulful and deep and full of social awareness. No penalty there — royalties were just fine and the book won an award from a very grave group of artists in New York, America’s center of artistic gravity.

Taking heart, I began to let my cheer get even more natural. I delivered myself of ONE OF US WORKS FOR THEM, but Those Who Know gave voice to some misgivings. “There’s something very odd about this book, Hunter,” one consensus brooded. “It seems a bit flip and disrespectful to the genre. We’re not so sure the serious reader will stand for it.” Such high-level dubiousness notwithstanding, the book was published, and, soon after, Frank Sinatra — never one to be cowed by tradition or somberly self-important people — chuckled iconoclastically and bought the movie rights. (Thing I like about Frank: he puts his money where his razzberry is.) Moreover, this one, like the first two, won broad critical support, went into a lot of translations and subsidiary forms, and is still paying its happy way.

But things have got sticky with the delivery of SPIES, INC., my newest and most lighthearted novel of intrigue. Another consensus has been chilled to the bone by this one’s abject lack of seriousness and social significance.

The assembled wisdom seems to be this: “If you tone down — or, better yet, eliminate — all the funny stuff and make the characters utterly earnest, this book should do very well in today’s market, despite the market’s current hostility to spy stuff and the put-on.” The further implication is that if I don’t dig today’s new sexy grimness I’d darn sight better, if I know what’s good for me, and like that.

“But I don’t feel grim and sexy,” I answer. “I have a lot of fun writing entertainments and besides, all the book and movie people are running well in the black on my product. So what’s all the moaning about, for Pete’s sake?”

“Seriously, Jack,” another of my literary counselors interjects, “you’ve simply got to get serious about being serious. If you absolutely must try to be amusing and entertaining, be amusing and entertaining in a serious way — like Philip Roth’s Portnoy.”

“What the heck is so amusing and entertaining about Portnoy?” I cry.

“It’s relevant, Jack. Relevant.”

“But I like to be irrelevant.”

“The way the market’s trending, nothing will sell unless it’s relevant.”

“Look: A guy crawls out of the sack in the morning, hung over a bit, maybe, and from the time he brushes his teeth until the time he collapses again in hurt and shock, he spends his whole day being relevant. Isn’t it reasonable to think that if this cat’s going to read anything at all on his own time, he might like it to be something that takes his mind off his great success?”

“Are you questioning our ability to judge the market?”

“No. Not exactly.”

“Well, then.”

And so, in paraphrase, it has gone.

In this brave new world of the Pepsi Generation, or the Movement, or the Young People, or whatever, my natural good cheer has become anachronous — something that went out with saddle shoes and Winston Churchill. For it seems evident that The Movement, preoccupied as it is with an undeniably valid re-examination of American social and economic inequities, has fallen victim to a severe case of humourlessness and has infected much of American society with the ailment. Worst of all, it can make merciless and frequently sick fun of The Establishment but it cannot laugh at itself; it is, as some observers are wont to say, sternly Puritanical and more arbitrarily inflexible than The System it struggles to overthrow.

And that’s too bad. Show me a Movement that can’t laugh at itself and I’ll show you a Movement that’s mortally flawed.

And in any event, I’m tired of arguing, and so I’ve packed away my natural good cheer until some sweet day when it might once again be
relevant. Meanwhile, I’m two-thirds finished with my fifth novel, a thing full of mood and menace and melancholy and sprinkled from to to fro with all sorts of messages. But as I write, I hear the words of the late Corey Ford: “We need humor today as we have never needed it before. I mean the warm and clean and graceful fun of the Golden Decade, the sense of nonsense that would give this careening world of ours some sanity and balance. Now, if ever, is a time for laughter.”

And I nod in sober agreement and sigh, trying not to remember the good old days when my fiction writing, for all its midnight agony, was so much fun.

**AUTHOR:** Jack D. Hunter is by day an executive of a major U.S. chemical corporation. By night he is a novelist.

As editor of the DuPont Magazine, he manages the production and distribution of a slick-paper bimonthly publication read by more than 250,000 business-oriented individuals — most of them industrial management executives or technical specialists — throughout the world. As a leisure-time author he has published four novels, The Blue Max, The Expendable Spy, One Of Us Works For Them, and Spies, Inc.

Born in Hamilton, Ohio, on June 4, 1921, Hunter spent his youth there and in Kenmore, N. Y.; Baldwin, Long Island; Ridley Park, Pa.; and Wilmington, Del. He entered newspaper work in 1939 as a reporter for the Chester, Pa., Times. He left there to obtain a bachelor’s degree in journalism from Pennsylvania State University. Upon graduation in 1943, he served a brief tour of duty as an infantryman, then was commissioned as a second lieutenant and given further training as a special agent in the U.S. Army Counter Intelligence Corps. In this capacity, he served as officer in charge of “Operation Nursery,” a year-long undercover investigation of an SS and Gestapo plot to establish a clandestine Nazi Party in Occupied Germany. He returned to the U. S. in 1946 after the principals in the Nursery Case were rounded up and prosecuted.

Hunter’s first attempt at fiction resulted in The Blue Max, a novel of World War I aviation published by E. P. Dutton & Co. in 1964 and shown on a world-wide basis as a 20th Century-Fox motion picture. His other fiction, all published by Dutton, reflect his experiences as a counter-espionage agent. All four works have been, or are to be, published in the United Kingdom, France, Sweden, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Denmark, and the Netherlands.
time teaching at Losantiville, a settlement five hundred miles down the Ohio River from Pittsburgh. With luck he would write a book about the Ohio Country. His young wife had died; he was footloose and could go where he pleased. Besides, certain lots of the newly created Territory Northwest of the River Ohio were being set aside for educational purposes. It seemed a fine opportunity for experience and possible profit. Thomas Morrow would go.

But at Chambersburg his neatly scheduled plans were exchanged for adventure. Zimmer, lacking enough passengers to make the journey on to Pittsburgh worthwhile, turned back to Philadelphia, leaving Thomas and his trunk stranded. Not wanting to wait indefinitely for postal coach transportation, Thomas was glad to accept Abner Wilson's invitation to join his wagon train for Fort Pitt. Advised to wear buckskins, he bought and donned them. On the way to Fort Pitt, Thomas again caught up with a young woman, Melissa Andrews, traveling to the Ohio Country with her ailing father. A few days earlier, he had met Miss Andrews, and found her attractive. So begins the romantic side of Follow the River, which carries a love story along with the historical element. Indeed, Thomas is as often impelled by thoughts of Melissa as he is by such modes of travel as Conestoga wagon trains, horseback, flatboats, and his own two feet.

Albert Mayer hasn't missed a trick in describing pioneer ways and times; in fact on occasion the wealth of detail obscures the personalities of characters about whom we might enjoy knowing more. The "hero," Thomas Morrow, seems slightly prissy, but he comes through with enough man-sized acts to be thoroughly convincing. The soldier, Lieutenant Denny, rings true—not that he is a person to love and admire. The frontiersman, Phineas Ford, is the man to watch—to often he out heroes our hero Thomas Morrow. This Phineas, by the way, must not be confused with the real Phineas Ford, nor must the Benoni Benjamin who played a low swindler's trick on Melissa Andrews' invalid father, be confused with the actual Benoni Benjamin, who settled along Auter (Ramp) Creek, near the present Health, Licking County, soon after 1800. Apparently Mr. Mayer plucked these names at random from the history of the Ohio Country, little knowing that they represented good respectable men, genuine pioneers and frontiersmen, yet beloved husbands and fathers long at rest in the Old Colony Burying Ground on South Main Street in Granville, their quaint sandstone tombstones bearing the ageless admonishments of Scriptural verses.

It is hard to say which is more fascinating—Thomas Morrow's trip from Philadelphia to Fort Pitt, studded as it is with adventures, delays, and the awakening of romance, or the journey down the Ohio by which he and Phineas proceed to Cincinnati. Beset by illness and Indians, it is a wonder they ever got there. If this hadn't been fiction, they wouldn't have.

Book V of Follow the River covers the harrowing story of St. Clair's campaign. Nowhere in Ohio history can it be matched for mistakes, blunders, impetuous heroism and abysmal failure. Sour flour, tents that wouldn't keep out the rain, kegs marked cannon powder but containing flints! Mr. Mayer tells it well, and with more dramatic movement than is generally found in the novel—a ploy no doubt sound in a technical sense, for here is the high point of the narrative, the peak of both emotion and action.

On the last page, Thomas Morrow, the narrator throughout, remarks that three years later General Anthony Wayne avenged the defeats of Generals Harmar and St. Clair which had left the settlers at the mercy of hostile Indians, and with his well-trained legions defeated the enemy in twenty minutes at Fallen Timbers at the rapids of the Maumee. This is a different story, and according to Thomas, he and Melissa were part of it. So we know what we next can expect from Albert Mayer. If he writes of General Wayne with the understanding he has afforded General St. Clair, he has a major book coming up. Follow the River just barely misses—all because the author has felt bound to use in full his vast store of information about place and period! Heaven knows what a wrench it is to leave anything out, the material of historical fiction being so hard to come by. But it is the author's business to learn that it is as important to know what to leave out as to know what absolutely has to stay in. Yet this may be a doubtful fault. If it is pioneer lore the reader is after, Follow the River has everything.

REVIEWER: Minnie Hite Moody is the author of five novels, three of them historical. She has contributed verse, articles and short fiction to most of the major periodicals, and for many years was on the reviewing staff of THE ATLANTA JOURNAL, for which she also wrote a column. The past six years she has lived near Granville in the house in which she was born. She writes a daily column for THE NEWARK ADVOCATE, and reviews books weekly for THE COLUMBUS (Sunday) DISPATCH. She is at work on another historical novel.
A Panel Cartoonist Looks at Reality

BERRY'S WORLD
by Jim Berry

NOT BEING an honest-to-goodness "writin' author" per se, I am honored and flattered to have been asked to write this piece for the OHIOANA QUARTERLY. . . I shall undoubtedly need some bearing with, so if you have no "sympatico" with cartoonists and their ilk, best you move on to the next article.

While I wasn't born in Ohio, I really consider myself a native, because I've been here since 1946, when my dad moved the family from Michigan to found his business, Metropolitan Buick, in Cleveland. Right now I live in Clifton Park, on the western edge of Lakewood, a suburb of Cleveland. We have a big old frame Colonial, built in 1914, only five doors south of where I lived when I went to prep school. It's a pretty area with lots of tall trees and friendly people, and I really feel at home here. My wife, Heather, and our two boys seem to thrive on it, too.

It was a rather strange thing, my getting into cartooning. For years it never occurred to me to do anything other than carry on the family business. At Ohio Wesleyan University I majored in Business Administration and minored in Art, and didn't even bother to give the Placement Bureau there any information. I didn't get the same "bang" out of selling cars that my father did, but I gave it a whirl, anyway. My career in automobiles was interrupted by a stint in the Navy, where I started drawing cartoons just for the fun of it. A little panel feature I created while stationed at an Auxiliary Air Base in Beeville, Texas, won an award for all the armed services. That was enough for me to decide that if this was going to be my hobby, I'd better learn as much as I could about it. I signed up for a cartooning course and picked up some tips that would have probably taken me years to learn otherwise.

At the same time, I became interested in animation. The impact of animated cartoons for television ads was just beginning to be felt. I thought to myself, "Boy, wouldn't it be great to get in on the ground floor of an industry like that?" Besides, the thought of being paid to do something you really love enthralled me. I set to creating, a very crude way, an animated film. I worked on that thing from the time I arrived home from the base 'til the wee hours in the morning. Heather had to bring my meals to me. It was great! However, the next thing I knew, I found myself on a destroyer on the East Coast and I never did finish the film. But that was the thing that whetted my appetite for cartooning. The bug had bitten!

When I graduated from the Navy, I went into the animation business with a friend who was of a similar persuasion. We slugged away for about a year and a half, and when it was evident that we were not destined to be the Hanna and Barbera of Cleveland, I lost the faith and went back into business. I then worked as an instructor in the principles of clerical work measurement for a management consulting firm. It was really the other end of the pole from cartooning. My abiding interest persisted, however, and I kept submitting comic strip ideas to all of the major newspaper syndicates for several years. After another brief brush with the automobile business, I came to the crossroads of my life. It was then I decided that I must do what I love to do best, regardless of the consequences, and Heather went along with me. We went to our old family home on Cape Cod where I worked on a portfolio of editorial cartoons. When I submitted it I was honestly surprised to have several job offers. When I see how crude that stuff looks to me now, I can hardly believe that I actually did it.

In the Fall of '61, I went to work for the Newspaper Enterprise Asso-
The only criterion I apply is that it must be current so that people know about it and can understand. This opens up everything from fashions to sports as fair game for comment. The social observations sometimes serve as a break from the world of politics and its bedfellows.

As for the ideas themselves, you, who are writers or are interested in writing, know that they don’t come from any one particular place or at any one certain time. The fact is, it involves a lot of plain old hard work. My day goes like this: I keep regular office hours in the Comic Art Department of NEA, Cleveland, five days a week from about 9:30 to 6:00. During this time I do my six daily panels. I work on the Sunday page at home at night after the kids have gone to bed. When I do the finished drawing on that, I usually have an old TV movie going and end up hitting the sack around 2:00 a.m. This sounds like a drag, but it isn’t! You see, the secret is that to me it isn’t work. Chances are I’d probably be doing the same thing even if I weren’t getting paid to do it.

Ideas are the most important thing of all. Often, a good idea can carry a weak drawing, but somehow it doesn’t work vice versa. Any good artist can copy a style, but it is much more difficult to copy what comes out of the mind. To me, cartooning is an intensely personal thing. It’s one thing to be influenced by someone whose work you admire, but it’s quite another to copy it. I must confess that I was strongly influenced by New Yorker cartoonists such as Saxon and Stevenson, and British cartoonists Cunningham, Illingworth and Searle. In my mind, one of the all-time great cartoonists was the late David Low, who with his fantastically bold use of blacks and whites made marvelously powerful editorial comments during the second World War. He had mastered what I consider to be the essence of cartooning—simplicity! Cartoons are nuggets. I believe that one could take a single cartoon, and build around it an entire play, and someday I hope to do just that. I have been told that some of my cartoons are really editorials with drawings.

And speaking of drawing, don’t let me diminish the importance of a good drawing. After all, the drawing is the vehicle to express the idea. The idea and the drawing must mesh, and this involves style. Here again, it is a highly personal thing. Whatever is natural is usually the style which is most effective. One of the most enjoyable facets of my work is caricature. I’m talking about complete caricature—not just the exaggeration of a subject’s facial features, but the attitude, the demeanor, the slump of the shoulders, the characteristic gestures of the hands. These are the things that make a drawing ring true. Just as in the wording of a caption, the drawing might make or break the idea. A good drawing can add that punch that a one-liner, alone, simply wouldn’t have.
Often, when a cartoon hits a reader on the funny-bone, that's when I hear from him. Because so many of my ideas involve public figures, I have had occasion to correspond with some of the powerful and/or great people of our times. In my office, I have framed letters from such persons (if you will forgive me for name dropping) as President Nixon, Frank Sinatra, Andrew Wyeth and ex-President Johnson (you remember him!).

Incidentally, one of the most exciting experiences I ever had was my visiting LBJ at his ranch in Texas. It is still hard to believe that I spent almost two hours with him alone, and had an intimate luncheon with him and Lady Bird and his aides. It was quite an experience. Soon after that I was invited to a stag dinner at the White House, that he set up before going to the hospital for surgery. He had assembled leaders from many different fields. The two other cartoonists there were Bill Mauldin and Paul Conrad, so I felt I was in pretty good company. It was a real treat to see the President, the most powerful man in the world, in his two basic environments.

For all you writers out there — have you ever considered cartooning? Remember that great Ohioan, James Thurber — not only was he a giant in writing humor, but he was a fantastic cartoonist. The only thing you need is to know something about human nature, then get some ink and a pen or brush. Then, as they say — "Do your own thing!"


Jim Berry's philosophy can be summed up, perhaps, by his introduction to his book: It's fun to be a part of this swinging "super-world" of speed and change — and to be able to comment on it. Because of the nature of our dynamic age, we are constantly confronted with Herculean challenges and problems. We're all exposed to the day-to-day news, and can't help feeling the pressures and anxieties of the times. As one of my friends so aptly put it, "Anyone who doesn't have an ulcer these days is insensitive to reality!" Actually, reality isn't so bad if you can laugh at it.

NEWLY APPOINTED COUNTY CHAIRMEN

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Mrs. Maire Jewell, Athens, Chairman

CLARK COUNTY
Mrs. Ross Greenawaldt, Springfield, Co-Chairman
FEAR IS A WEAPON by Florence Ford. Robert Hale. 158 pp. 16 Shillings.

Miss Florence Ford is a widely traveled Cincinnatian who frequently uses locales where she vacations as backgrounds for her mystery novels. This, her fifth and in our opinion her best, uses a group of islands isolated in the Canadian forest and lake region. To this remote spot comes Susan and her husband, Johnny Cromwell. Joining them at Susan’s family cottage as guests are friends of Johnny, Max and Eloise Carlson. Susan is surprised when her half-sister, Marianna, drops in, saying she has rented a nearby cottage for the week.

Susan, knowing that Johnny is a philanderer, begins to suspect that he and Eloise are trying to poison her. She wonders if her imagination is playing tricks. But when she is expected to recognize a strange man in her bedroom as her husband, Susan wonders if she is hallucinating.

From then on mystifying events and “liaisons dangereuses” develop rapidly and with increased suspense.

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Americans owe a great debt of gratitude to Dominick Labino for reviving the art of hand-blown glass in this country. He has accomplished this in Ohio—in Toledo.
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To

BILL ARTER
ARTIST, AUTHOR AND ADVERTISING EXECUTIVE

FOR preserving historic homes and landmarks of Greater Columbus through his art and commentary

FOR his multilevel activities as Assistant Professor in the School of Journalism at Ohio State University, and as advertising executive

FOR his talent as a notable water-colorist

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OUR DEMANDING BUT GRATIFYING CAREERS have been combined by talented Bill Arter. As free-lance writer and artist he has authored two attractive volumes of Vignettes of Columbus scenes. His two other careers include that of teaching at Ohio State University and advertising manager.

Mr. Arter is a native Ohioan, a graduate of Ohio State University, and a resident of Columbus for the past forty years. Today he scans Columbus for historic homes and landmarks to sketch for the Sunday Magazine section of the Columbus Dispatch and for subsequent volumes of his popular Vignettes. He writes the historic background commentary for all of his pictures. He contributes articles on commercial art and advertising to a dozen or more national magazines.

In fine art, he is a noted water-colorist, and has had more than thirty one-man shows. His prose commentaries which accompany his sketches bring Columbus history into focus from early times to the present. His two books, Columbus Vignettes I and Columbus Vignettes II, have been enthusiastically received.
Ohioana Citation
For distinguished service to Ohio
in the field of conservation and wildlife

To
MERRILL C. GILFILLAN
CONSERVATIONIST, EDITOR AND GAME BIOLOGIST

FOR his unceasing efforts in wildlife preservation and game management
FOR the authorship of booklets, bulletins, articles and publications on wildlife
FOR his organizational efforts in founding “The Buckeye Big Buck Club”,
“The Ohio Huskie Muskie Club” and “The Buckeye Trail”, a trans-Ohio hiking trail.

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fine art glass.

In his own workshop in Grand Rapids, Ohio, due to his experiments, he has
become an innovator, with important discoveries in modern art glass to his credit.
His studio has become a mecca for craftsmen, educators and museum curators from
all over the world. His lectures to craft and university groups are in demand.

In the technical field Mr. Labino has 51 patents for glass compositions, furnace
designs and glass processes. In the art world, he has won many awards in national
and regional glass competitions. He has authored the book Visual Art in Glass,
and has written articles on glass artistry for technical and art periodicals.
Ohioana Citation

For distinguished service to Ohio
in the field of music composition, for
upholding high musical standards in music education
and for promoting musical excellence in general

To

ROBERT WARD
President of North Carolina School of the Arts

For the nobility of his musical compositions
For his leadership and dedication in the field of music education
For his excellent work in orchestration and conducting

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No one in the field of the Creative Arts has brought greater distinction to his native state than Robert Ward, as composer, conductor, editor, publisher and administrator. He was born in Cleveland, and is a product of the many musical opportunities provided there. He received his Graduate Degree from the Juilliard School of Music, studying at the Berkshire School of Music with Aaron Copland. During World War II he served with the American Army. His all-soldier shows, "The Life of Riley", written at Ft. Riley and his "Jubilation", an overture composed during his stay at Leyte and Okinawa are typical of his efforts to inspire his men.

His compositions include symphonies, operas, chamber music, and works for chorus, solo, and small ensembles.

His opera, "The Crucible," based on Arthur Miller’s play of witchcraft in Old Salem, was first given by the New York Opera Company in 1961. It was an immediate musical sensation and was awarded the Pulitzer Prize and the New York Music Critics’ Circle Citation. He now holds the prestigious position of President of the North Carolina School of the Arts.

By Edith Keller

The Ohioana Book Award
of 1969
in the Category of Non-Fiction
to
NELSON GLUECK
for
THE RIVER JORDAN
McGraw-Hill, 1968

As one of the world's foremost archaeologists, Nelson Glueck has discovered more than 1,000 ancient sites in Transjordan and 500 more in the Negev of southern Israel. He has brought into the framework of history the so-called "lost" copper mines of King Solomon in the Wadi Arabah, and many other geographical references in the Bible.

Dr. Glueck is also President of Hebrew Union College, Jewish Institute of Religion, with schools in Cincinnati, New York, Los Angeles and Jerusalem. He was Cover Man for Time Magazine, December 13, 1963.

In the books which he has written about his explorations, he takes the reader to the places where Jesus walked in Galilee, where Abraham pursued Lot’s enemies, and where David, in flight, crossed the Jordan.

The River Jordan is a masterwork of surpassing importance, telling the story of the development of civilization in that area. Dr. Glueck has made profound historical discoveries, using the Bible as his "guidebook of antiquity," and as a source of valid historical information. He uses modern scientific methods in his archaeological searchings, finding portentous answers in his discoveries.

A previous book, Rivers in the Desert, is the history of the Negev of Israel. Here again Dr. Glueck combines his scientific archaeological explorations with Biblical history, as he searches for hidden cities, mounds, forts, ancient roads and even wells. He shares with the reader his own profound Biblical knowledge and his deep religious faith. The reader moves from the present into the past which no longer seems remote.

Every so often Dr. Glueck longs to revisit the Holy Lands, to explore the desert, to search again for potsherds and for signs of ancient trails. Then he begins to plan another trip to his beloved arid lands, using the Bible as his guide map.

His recent book as well as previous ones, The Other Side of the Jordan, Rivers in the Desert, Explorations in Eastern Palestine, and Deities and Dolphins, all display great scholarly knowledge, yet are written without stressing technical details and scientific terminology.
The Ohioana Book Award
of 1969
in the Category of Autobiography
to
CHARLES SAWYER
for
CONCERNS OF A CONSERVATIVE DEMOCRAT
Southern Illinois University Press, 1968

Charles Sawyer's original purpose in writing his autobiography was to keep
the record straight for his children. Then he began to see his manuscript not only
as a personal chronicle of his life, but as an expression of his political theories, of
his restrained idealism which allowed for change and reform, and of his belief in
the old-fashioned virtues.

As a public official, diplomat and statesman, he had a testimony of faith in
business men, and he defended the capital system. Heraclitus wrote about his ancient
world: "All is flux." Likewise, Mr. Sawyer sees a general scheme of world flux in
our twentieth century. Only by the reading of this excellent work can the full import
of the events of his life be appreciated.

Mr. Sawyer was former Ambassador to Belgium and Secretary of Commerce
for President Truman. He held many other important and influential positions for
our government. Presently he is practicing law in Cincinnati, his home city.

During his impressive career, Mr. Sawyer witnessed many controversial events,
and made portentous decisions which he says he arrived at through application of
common sense.

In their foreword, John Wesley Snyder and Dean Acheson properly call this
chronicle "the life of a self-made Ohio Yankee ... His story is that of an active,
adventurous and successful life."

In the book's final chapter, Mr. Sawyer expresses his concern for the future—
the threat of Red China, the riots, the population explosion and the bomb. He writes
in a fine literary style and with the steel of integrity ever apparent.

We wish to thank the judges in this category for their excellent selection; Clyde
Moore, book reviewer for Columbus Dispatch; Alvin Beam, Book Editor for Cleve-
land Plain Dealer; Louis Filler, author and winner of the Ohioana Biography Award
for 1967.

The Ohioana Book Award
of 1969
in the Category of Fiction
to
JAMES McCONKEY
for
CROSSROADS
E. P. Dutton, 1968

Mr. McConkey's autobiographical novel combines the two worlds which J. R.
Tolkien describes as "the primary world in which we conduct our empirical and
practical lives, and the secondary world in which the imagination frames its own
laws." In Crossroads the two worlds merge into an unique and special story which
is both personal and universal in that it is man's quest for meaning.

In this book there is the flavor of northern Ohio. Professor McConkey was
born in Lakewood, Ohio. He received his B.A. degree at Western Reserve University,
and his M.A. degree at the Graduate School of Western Reserve University. His
Ph.D. degree in English, he received from the Graduate School of the State Univer-
sity of Iowa.

While in the Army, during World War II, he was editor of The Grapevine,
the overseas newspaper of the 26th Infantry Division. He ended his military career
as a writer for Yank magazine in New York City.

In 1950, he became a member of the English Department of Morehead (Ken-
tucky) State College. He joined the faculty of Cornell University in 1956 as Pro-
fessor of English. He lives in a village near Ithaca with his wife and three sons.

Professor McConkey says of his book: "One night in 1960, I felt the world
more threatened than it had ever been. I became conscious of the importance of
my children and my wife more strongly than I had before.

"It became crucial to me to impose order and meaning upon my present life
and past life. So I began my account, a continuing search for order over a period
of seven years. The book is as full a statement as I can make as to how it feels
be to live, as a husband and a father, in the mid-20th century."

His stories have appeared in the New Yorker. Night Stand, a collection of
his short stories, was published by Cornell University Press (1965).

We wish to thank the judges in this category for their excellent selection:
Jack Schaefer, author, winner of the Ohioana Juvenile Award in 1961; Mrs. Vir-
ginia Greazier, Librarian of the Public Library, Hudson, Ohio; Josephine Johnson
Cannon, Pulitzer Prize author and winner of the Ohioana Fiction Award in 1964.
The Ohioana Book Award of 1969
In the Category of Juvenile Fiction to
VIRGINIA HAMILTON for
THE HOUSE OF DIES DREAR
Macmillan, 1968

Using her insight to demonstrate in writing how ideas and techniques are intertwined, Mrs. Virginia Hamilton Adoff is a successful author of juvenile fiction. In her first novel, Zeely, she chose to write about a Watusi, because she has always been interested in the tribe, and because she wanted to connect the pride of the Watusi with the pride of the Negro children today.

Miss Hamilton is proud and conscious of her own Negro heritage and of her Ohio birthplace. In her gracious letter to Ohioana Library accepting her Book Award, she wrote: "A writer always feels good about receiving an award, but nothing brings her more pleasure than to receive one from her home state."

After living in New York City, she recently returned with her husband and two young children to Yellow Springs, her birthplace.

"I did write about some of my own experiences in The House of Dies Drear; and I put in some of my own feelings in this juvenile novel about the underground railroad. I have always been interested in the Civil War, and how it relates to today."

She herself grew up in one of the strongest stations of the underground railroad. She attended Antioch College and Ohio State University.

The House of Dies Drear is a suspenseful mystery story about Thomas Small, a young Negro boy of today and his family who move to an old house in southern Ohio which formerly belonged to abolitionist Dies Drear, operator of a station of the underground. When Thomas explores the house, the legend suddenly turns into a terrifying reality.

The author feels that the Negro child rarely sees his contemporary world or his past history reflected in what he reads. Her excellent books correct this.

We wish to thank the judges in this category for their excellent selection; Virginia Burkert, Professor at Capital University; Carol Kendall, author and winner of the Ohioana Juvenile Award in 1960; Margaret Poarch, Children's Services Consultant, State Library of Ohio.

The Florence Roberts Head Memorial Award of 1969

The gift of Book Study Group No. 1 of the Columbus Branch of the American Association of University Women, in cooperation with the Martha Kinney Cooper Ohioana Library, is given to
JACOB H. DORN for his biography
WASHINGTON GLADDEN
Ohio State University Press, 1968

Although historians have long recognized Washington Gladden as an important figure in American religion in the period between the Civil War and World War I, no one, before Jacob H. Dorn, had written his biography.

Professor Dorn of the History Department at Wright State University, Dayton, Ohio, was attracted to this man and to this portentous period of social history. In this biography the reader is permitted to see the man behind his title of The Reverend Washington Gladden, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Columbus, as Gladden responded to the theological, intellectual and social currents of these years. He himself was a notable Ohio author. His copious writings of over forty books and numerous articles have had great influence.

Reverend Gladden implemented his religious and social beliefs by strong action. He was a man of both words and deeds.

In his study of Gladden, Professor Dorn clarifies the evolution of Gladden's thoughts over the years, which towards the end of his life became reflections of serene optimism.

Professor Dorn has interpreted a gifted and complex personality, and has thoroughly examined his rich involvement with his parishioners and with his city.

With assurance and great knowledge he has written a comprehensive biography in fine prose style.
A journalist for thirty years, Mr. Moley is essentially a writer on politics in all its aspects. Besides *After Seven Years*, a list of his books includes: *27 Masters of Politics*, *How to Keep Our Liberty*, *The Practice of Politics*, *The Republican Opportunity*, *The American Century of John C. Lincoln*, *The Hays Office*, and *The First New Deal*.

The political-economic scene is his beat. With integrity this internationally famous journalist writes about political events as he evaluates them, and about their significance as he understands them. His thoughtful judgment is based on time and circumstance.

As distinguished elder statesman of journalism, his printed commentaries upon contemporary problems in scope, both national and international, bespeak his candor, fairness, and sincerity.

As a long-time observer of national affairs, Mr. Moley, who in his writing combines the best qualities of dramatist and political scientist, is exceptionally well qualified to interpret Clio, The Greek Muse of History.
PROGRAM OF OHIOANA DAY

MORNING MEETING 10 a.m.

Greetings.................................................. Dr. Merrill Patterson, President

Financial Report..................................... Dr. James Rodabaugh, Treasurer

Nominating Committee Report.................. Mrs. Letta W. Hesse, Chairman

Election of Five Trustees

Report of Director...................................... Mrs. Bernice Williams Foley

Presentation of CITATION to the County Chairman of the Year:
Mrs. Darian Smith......................................... Cuyahoga County

Introduction of County Chairmen and members

Presentation of CITATION to Mr. BILL ARTER
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Presentation of CITATION to Mr. MERRILL GILFILLAN
by Mrs. Howard L. Bevis

Presentation of CITATION to Mr. DOMINICK LABINO
by Mr. Arthur I. Vorys

Presentation of OHIOANA MUSIC AWARD to
Dr. ROBERT WARD
by Mr. R. Henry Norweb, Jr.

Introduction of the Ohio Authors and Composers of the Year
by Mr. Warren Theodore Hackett

LUNCHEON AND AFTERNOON MEETING 12 noon

Dr. Merrill Patterson, President

Invocation—Reverend Norman C. Copley, Chaplain of Ohio State Senate

Luncheon

Introduction of members and guests at the Speakers Table

Presentation of OHIOANA BOOK AWARDS of 1969

NELSON GLUECK — Non-Fiction
CHARLES SAWYER — Autobiography
JAMES McCONNEX — Fiction
VIRGINIA HAMILTON — Juvenile Fiction
by Mrs. Mary Teeter Zimmerman, Chairman of Book Awards Committee

Presentation of FLORENCE ROBERTS HEAD BOOK AWARD to
JABOB H. DORN
by Mrs. Robert J. Gready of Book Study Group No. 1, Columbus Branch of the A. A. U. W.

Musical Interlude — Introduced by Dr. Edith M. Keller

Solo . . . Aria "The Ballad of the Pantaloon" from Opera "He Who Gets Slapped." ........................................... Robert Ward

Richard Johnson


Carol Marty and Stephen Klyce

Pianist . . . William Haller

Presentation of OHIOANA CAREER MEDAL for 1969 to
RAYMOND MOLEY

Introduction by Senator John W. Bricker
Medal Presented by Mrs. Mills Judy
Speaker — RAYMOND MOLEY
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COMMITTEES OF THE MEMBERSHIP AT LARGE

Annual Meeting: (Chairman of sub-committees are named) (1) Exhibits: Books—Mrs. J. Clare Williams; Music—Mrs. Edward G. Mead; (2) Hostesses—Mrs. Paul Weltzheimer; (3) Registration—Mrs. Richard H. Baker; (4) Sales of New Books—Mrs. Clare Williams; (5) Table Decorations—Mrs. Paul Weltzheimer.

Book Awards: Mrs. Mary Teeter Zimmerman, Chairman; Mr. Ernest Cady, Mrs. Alva Edwards, Mr. Herbert Hampton, Mrs. Donna Cheetwood.

County Chairman’s Tea: Mrs. Paul Weltzheimer, Chairman, and the Franklin County Committee.

Music: Dr. Edith M. Keller, Chairman; Mrs. Herbert F. Holscher, Mrs. Edward G. Mead.

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1970 Year Book: Mrs. Bernice Williams Foley, Chairman, Mrs. Howard L. Bevis.

Hospitality: Mrs. William Lane

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MEMBERSHIP REPORT  
As of August 30, 1969

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HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

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  Wooster, Ohio
- Foley, Mr. Williams M.  
  Painesville, Ohio
- Furlong, Mrs. Harold  
  Columbus, Ohio
- Grady, Mrs. Robert  
  Columbus, Ohio
- Huntington, Mrs. Hugh  
  Columbus, Ohio
- Kelley, Miss Florence J.  
  Columbus, Ohio
- Kennedy, Mrs. June F.  
  Columbus, Ohio
- Kirk, Mrs. James T.  
  Kalamazoo, Mich.
- Nida, Mr. Jack  
  Delray Beach, Florida
- Peirano, Mrs. Frank L.  
  Columbus, Ohio
- Rauhauser, Miss Pansy  
  Marion, Ohio

LIFE MEMBERS

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Organizations contributing to Library but not taking out membership 319
The routine work of the library has gone along steadily throughout the year. Many excellent books and compositions by Ohio authors and composers and about Ohio have been added to the collection. These have been sent in by the authors and composers or provided by the publishers. Packets of Ohio material obtained from the Ohio State Development Department, Ohio Historical Society and the Ohio Chamber of Commerce have been sent out to students in Ohio and other states. Clippings have been mailed in from many sources and have been filed away for future reference.

Contemporary Authors has been checked for Ohio authors previously overlooked and many new names and books have been added as a result. Many copies of Suggested Programs and Topics for the Study of Ohio were sold, and Bibliography of Books in Print on Ohio History for Teachers and Students of Ohio Schools was brought up to date. Many rare books were purchased after checking dealers’ catalogs.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR (Approximate figures)

Books, brochures, pamphlets, maps acquired ........................................... 493  
Total number of books on shelves .......................................................... 19,425  
New authors added ............................................................................... 121  
Ohio authors represented by their writings ............................................. 7,038  
Musical compositions added .................................................................. 44  
Ohio musical compositions on hand ......................................................... 3,004  
Ohio composers represented by their compositions .............................. 582  
Patrons and others visiting the library ..................................................... 369  
Packets of Ohio material mailed out ..................................................... 228

Respectfully submitted,
Donna S. Cheetwood, Librarian

MEMORIAL MEMBERSHIPS

Bromfield, Mrs. Louis ........................................................... Lucas, Ohio  
Cooper, Hon. Myers Young .................................................... Cincinnati, Ohio  
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Hansen, Mrs. Hermoine Z .................................................... Akron, Ohio  
Helflebower, Mrs. Clara Keck ............................................. Cincinnati, Ohio  
Palmer, Alfred Clyde .......................................................... Peebles, Ohio  
Peleano, Mr. Frank L ............................................................ Columbus, Ohio  
Sullivan, Miss Sarah L ......................................................... Cincinnati, Ohio  
Teeter, Mrs. Lulu S .............................................................. Westerville, Ohio
ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR
1968 — October — 1969

"Those who will not learn from history are destined to repeat it," is the wise pronouncement made by Santayana.

These words similarly apply to the operation of our association, as in retrospect, we attempt to assay the activities of the past year. Our successes we have parlayed; those projects which proved of negative value we have discontinued. Our efforts this past year have been streamlined so as to produce the greatest efficiency, while ever emphasizing our primary assignment of fostering and encouraging Ohio literature and Ohio music, and of preserving Ohio's cultural heritage.

Beginning with July, the start of our fiscal year, Ohioana Library made in that month a presentation of current Ohioana books to the Cecil Rhodes Library, Rhodes House, Oxford College, England. Governor James A. Rhodes and the Ohio University Press were co-donors with Ohioana Library in this project of furthering cultural knowledge between England and Ohio.

The Ohioana Year Book for 1970 with its colorful theme, Ohio Festivals, was sold during the summer at various park concessions, festivals and at the Ohio State Fair, where Ohioana Library had a display of an impressive collection of current books by Ohio authors. Not only did many persons stop to see our display, but we distributed invitations of membership to all those expressing interest in Ohioana.

Ohioana Library continues to provide the editorial every other month on the food pages of The Wonderful World of Ohio Magazine, for which we are given a credit line.

The Hamilton County Committee again honored the authors of the year of Hamilton County at a reception and tea held September 13th, at the Cincinnati Art Museum. This annual literary event, under the direction of Mrs. C. C. Gaskill and of Mrs. Mills Judy, continues the tradition established by Mrs. Judy's mother, Mrs. Myers Y. Cooper, the founder of Ohioana Library.

Our Lunch and Learn group is continually adding new members who swell the attendance at the programs given by fame-names in the cultural arts at the monthly luncheon meetings held at The Athletic Club, Columbus.

Last January the Railroad Community Services Committee again sponsored the successful Creative Writing Workshop at the Ohio Union, Ohio State University. It was attended by an increasing number of high school students throughout Ohio.

Mrs. James A. Rhodes again graciously invited our county chairmen and co-chairmen to a delightful reception and tea at the Governor's Mansion, April 12th. The highlight of the program was the presentation of the Lucile Loy Kuck Awards for excellence in literary expression. The winning prose and poetry entries were on the theme, Ohio's Natural Beauty. The monetary awards were presented by Mrs. Kuck.

This year our Quarterly Magazine has gained a signal honor and recognition. Dr. John S. Phillipson, Associate Professor of English at the University of Akron, has informed Ohioana Library that the Ohioana Quarterly is now being abstracted by Abstracts of English Studies, an official publication of the National Council of Teachers of English. This means that scholars all over America will become aware of our publication.

Moreover, Dr. Phillipson, as one of the American editors of the Modern Humanities Research Association's International Bibliography of English Language and Literature, has suggested that Ohioana be added for surveillance. The American Editor-in-Chief has agreed to survey our Quarterly; hence scholars checking the Modern Humanities Research Association's Bibliography hereafter, will find pertinent articles and book reviews cited there from Ohioana.

The members of the Board of Trustees have loyally sustained the fine programs and activities of the past which have been continued this year, and have approved innovations which in the main are successful.

We wish to acknowledge the loyal support of the county chairmen and co-chairmen who assist us in our endeavors to relate to Ohio's culture.

We give full credit to the members of the Ohioana Staff who work so diligently in promoting the successful operation of Ohioana Library.

Mrs. Donna Cheetwood, Librarian, has compiled needed listings for school and club studies of Ohio, and graciously fulfills requests for Ohio data to persons who write, phone, or drop in. Mrs. Willamine Shirley successfully combines the multilevel duties of business manager of our Year Book, and of membership chairmen who assist us in our endeavors to relate to Ohio's culture.

Mrs. Jean Butts, membership secretary, handles our billing and keeps our financial matters posted.

Our publicity, under the professional direction of Miss Frances Nunemaker, has reached new outlets on radio and TV, and has included many important feature articles.

As Director, I greatly appreciate the kind assistance of all those who have supported the aims and purpose of Ohioana Library, and without whom Ohioana Library could not progress and advance in its various enrichment and out-reach programs.

I feel we have learned much from past experience. Thus Ohioana Library has benefited and expanded this past year, and continues to advance to ever greater accomplishments.

Respectfully submitted,
Bernice Williams Foley, Director
LATEST BOOKS by Ohio Authors

Published in late 1968 and not listed in OHIO AUTHORS AND COMPOSERS 1968 or (2) up to August 1, 1969, or announced for early publication. Exclusive of books on Ohio subjects listed in Part II.

PART I: OHIO AUTHORS

ALLEN, LEE .................................................................................................................. Hamilton Co.

The World Series. Putnam. $5.95. 253 pp. A narrative account of baseball's annual classic from the first Series to the present.

ALTICK, RICHARD D. ........................................................................................ .......... Franklin Co.


ARBUTHNUT, MAY HILL ......................................................................................... Franklin Co.

Children's Reading in the Home. Scott Foreman. $6.95. 374 pp. For parents a guide to children's reading.

ARBUTHNUT, MAY HILL and BRODERICK, DOROTHY M. .................................. Cuyahoga Co.

Time for Biography. Scott, Foreman. $9.50. 246 pp. A unique anthology of representative selections from biographies of important men and women for the elementary-junior high school system.

ARNOLD, STANLEY ....................................................................................................... Franklin Co.

Tales of the Blue Horse and Other Million Dollar Adventures. Prentice-Hall. $4.50. 182 pp. An account of how the author roused the forces of American business ingenuity.

ARTZ, FREDERICK B. ................................................................................................. Montgomery and Lorain Cos.


ATKINS, RUSSELL ......................................................................................................... Franklin Co.


BARGAR, RALPH A. ....................................................................................................... Franklin Co.

Meditations of the Heart. Vantage. $2.50. 64 pp. Poems that reflect, in simple, direct terms, the elements of living closest to us all.

BASKETT, MARY W. ..................................................................................................... Hamilton Co.

The Art of June Wayne. Abrams. $7.95 n.p. A book that affords the reader the opportunity to become acquainted with the work of June Wayne.

BAUER, ERWIN A., Ed ............................................................................................... Franklin Co.

DODGE, RALPH A. ...................................................................................................... Franklin Co.


BEAVER, R. PIERCE ....................................................................................................... Butler Co.

All Loves Excellent. Edman. $2.95. 277 pp. American Protestant women in world mission.


BELLER, WILLIAM S. .................................................................................................. Cuyahoga Co.


BENNER, RITA E., Ed. ................................................................................................... Shelby Co.

Children's Behavior. Exposition. $12.50. 436 pp. A comprehensive study of the formal years of childhood in selections from the writings of leading contemporary psychologists and educators.

THE SOCIOPATH. Exposition. $5.00. 153 pp. Penetrating studies of some of the most infamous and vexed crimes as examples of anti-social behavior.

BERNTHOFE, WARNER .................................................................................................. Muskingum & Hamilton Cos.

EDMUND WILSON. University of Minnesota. 95¢. 47 pp. One of the University of Minnesota pamphlets on American writers.

BICKHAM, JACK M. ..................................................................................................... Franklin Co.

The Shadowed Path. Doubleday. $4.95. 262 pp. The first serious contemporary novel by an author who has written 18 mysteries and westerns.


BRACKETT, LEIGH ...................................................................................................... Trumbull Co.

SILENT PARTNER. Putnam. $4.50. 192 pp. A mystery story located in Iran with a plot that involves international intrigue.

BROCK, WALTER S. ..................................................................................................... Hamilton Co.

ON THE CREST OF THE EARTH WITH RACE. Carlson. $3.00. A semi-fiction novel dealing with race relations.

BRODERICK, DOROTHY M. ....................................................................................... See Arbuthnot, May Hill.

BRUCCOLI, MATTHEW J. ......................................................................................... Franklin Co.


BUCKINGHAM, RICHARD E., Ed. ............................................................................... Delaware Co.


CAMERON, HELEN ................................................................................................. Franklin Co.

See Henderson, William L.

CAVES, MARY and ASSOCIATES ............................................................................ Summit Co.


CECIL, MARTY ........................................................................................................... Cuyahoga & Crawford Co.

The Things I Love. Exposition. $3.00. A charmingly illustrated picture book which gives a glimpse of what fills the mind and heart of a pre-school youngster.

CHILCOTE, RONALD H. ............................................................................................ Cuyahoga Co.

SPANISH ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. Prentice-Hall. $7.95 n.p. A study evaluating the impact of new policy changes upon the iron and steel industry of Spain.

COE, MARIANNE E. ..................................................................................................... Cuyahoga Co.

DIZZY, VIRGINIA. Scribner. $3.95. 198 pp. Many of the poems have been previously published and all are dedicated to the reader of all seasons. (Available from author: 3270 W. 231st St., North Olmsted, Ohio 44070).

COLVER, ANNE ......................................................................................................... Cuyahoga Co.

LOUISA MAY ALCOTT: AUTHOR OF LMEN WOMEN. Garrard. $3.20. 144 pp. The life story of Louisa May Alcott with photos for ages 9-12.

CORNELIEN, ANN ..................................................................................................... Cuyahoga Co.

TORRECREA: LIFE, DEATH, MIRACLES. Little, Brown. $7.95. 335 pp. An American girl's coming up as a nursery school in Italy.

CRILE, GEORGE, Jr. ................................................................................................... Cuyahoga Co.

Naturalistic View of Man. World. $4.95. 177 pp. The importance of early training in learning, living and the organization of society.

CROCKER, Lester G., Ed. ............................................................................................. Cuyahoga Co.

Rousseau's Social Contract: An Interpretive Essay. Cate Western Reserve. $6.95. 198 pp. A new interpretation that sees the "Social Contract" not as an isolated unit but in the larger context of his body of writings.

CROCKER, Lester G., Ed. ............................................................................................. Cuyahoga Co.

The Age of Enlightenment. Walker. $8.50. 331 pp. An anthology sampling the thinking as it is reflected in the works of many of the great men of the world.

CHILERY, ROBERT T. ............................................................................................... Crawford Co.


CURRY, JANE LOUISE ............................................................................................. Columbiana Co.


THE SLEEPERS. Harcourt. $4.50. 235 pp. Mystery and legend combine in this fantasy for ages 9-12.

DAYTON POETRY FORUM ...................................................................................... Montgomery Co.


de EEUw, Adele ........................................................................................................ Butler Co.

Beyond the Green Hills. $4.95. 255 pp. For teenagers a novel about a girl and her adventures in the Peace Corps in Ghana.

DICKINSON, JOAN YOUNGER .................................................................................. Franklin Co.

The Book of Pearls. Crown. $6.95. 248 pp. The history and romance of pearls from antiquity to modern times.
DIETZ, DAVID ........................................................................... Cuyahoga Co.
STARS AND THE UNIVERSE. Random. $3.50. 126 pp. A journey through the solar system.
Grades 6-12.

DORPALEN, ANDREAS ............................................................................. Franklin Co.

DULLIS, FOSTER RHEA ............................................................................. Franklin Co.
THE UNITED STATES SINCE 1865; NEW REV. AND ENLARGED Ed. University of Michigan Press. $8.50. 582 pp. The ideas, events and personalities that have shaped modern America.

DUNCAN, MARION H. and K. LOUISE H. ...................................................... Mercer Co.

DURANT, MARY .............................................................................. Montgomery Co.
IN PURSUIT OF THE MOSS, THE SNAIL, AND THE CLAMM. Meredith. $4.95. 247 pp. The origin of over three hundred names in the animal kingdom with illustrations.

ECKERT, ALLEN N. ............................................................................. Montgomery Co.
THE DREAMING TREE. Little Brown. $3.95. 100 pp. A weaving novel that is a series of vignettes of a 12-year-old boy and his efforts to find himself.

ELGIN, KATHLEEN ............................................................................. Green & Franklin Cos.
THE LOVE THAT MATTERS THE HEART. Watts. $1.95. 51 pp. Study of the heart for grades 5-

ELLISON, HARLAN ............................................................................. Lake Co.
LOVE AIN'T NOTHING BUT SEX MISSPELLED. Trident. $5.95. 382 pp. Short stories based on experiences the author has had and places he has been.

EPSTEIN, SAM* and BERYL ...................................................................... Franklin Co.
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KOCH, FREDERICK

Cuyahoga Co.

Three Songs from “The Children’s Set;” Swinging Easy, piano solo and Skateboard Fun, piano duet — Galaxy Music Corp.

MEAD, EDWARD G.

Hamilton Co.

Antioch Voices, voices in Thee O Lord — The H. W. Gray Co., Inc.; and Praise Ye the Name of the Lord — Bourne Co.

MORGAN, HAYDEN

Van Wett Co.

O That Men Would Praise the Lord and How Lovely Is This Place, mixed voices — Neil A. Kjos Music Co.

MORRISON, LULA JANE

Children’s Songs, unison voices — Privately published.

MUSR, JAMES C.

Xanadu Madrigal and Winter Madrigal, mixed voices — Elkan-Vogel Co., Inc.

NUNILST, JULI

Cuyahoga Co.

Children’s Songs, mixed voices — Cuyahoga Co.

PARCHMAN, GEN.

Hamilton Co.

Concerto for Marimba and Orchestra; Concerto for Percussion and Orchestra, also Third Symphony for Percussion Ensemble — Mills Music, Inc.

POLLOCK, ROBERT

Hamilton Co.

God of Our Fathers, mixed voices and men’s voices — World Library Publications, Inc.

PORTER, ELLEN JANE LORENZ

Montgomery Co.

Bell Jubilee and Sing Praise to God, two choirs — Choristers Guild Pub.; Christmas Folk Carol, women’s voices — Carl Fischer, Inc.; O God of Love — The H. W. Gray Co., Inc.; and Praise Ye the Name of the Lord — Bourne Co.

ROY, KLAUS GEORGE

Cuyahoga Co.


SCHWARTZ, PAUL

Knox Co.

Fog and Serenade, women’s voices and It is a Good Thing to Give Thanks, men’s voices — Mills Music, Inc.; Song from St. Matthew — G. Schirmer, Inc.; The Children’s Set; Swinging Easy, piano solo and Skateboard Fun, piano duet — Galaxy Music Corp.

SCHWARTZ, PAUL

Knox Co.

Theodore Presser Co.; Jochum, Kurt — Cuyahoga Co.

SIENNICKI, EDMUND J.

Cuyahoga Co.

Dorian Sketch for Orchestra — Neil A. Kjos Music Co.; Orchestral Variations for Orchestra; Concerto for Baritone voices entitled “Stranger” performed March 3, 1969; Nos. 1, 2, 3 of Piano Quartets; Elkan-Vogel Co., Inc.

TALCOFS, JACOB

Hamilton Co.

Come, Let’s Go to Bethlehem, mixed voices — The Willis Music Co.

WHITE, JOHN

Cuyahoga Co.

A Cradle Song for Solo Voice — Galaxy Music Corp.

WILDING-WHITE, RAYMOND

Three Hymnus Poems for Solo Voice — Galaxy Music Corp.

II. FIRST PERFORMANCES

BOZL, HARRIET

Franklin Co.

Pageant Prelude, a Woodwind Quintet performed February 11, 1969 for Parade of American Women’s Music Clubs, Ohio Women’s Music Club at Wooster.

EVANS, RODERICK

Huron, Ashland & Richland Cos.

A Joyful Song to God and Festival Alleluya, mixed voices — Choral Art Publications.

GORE, RICHARD T.

Wayne Co.

Psalm Dyptich, mixed voices — J. Fischer & Bro.; For Ever, O Lord, mixed voices — Galaxy Music Corp.

HOFMANN, PEGGY

Cuyahoga Co.

Praise for the Rose, unison and two part voices arranged by Peggy Hoffmann — Harold Flammer, Inc.

HUMPHREYS, HENRY

Hamilton Co.

Vivah Prese, Inc.

HUNKINS, EUSEBIA

Miami Co.

J. Fischer & Bro.; Sung Vespers, a cappella unison voices — The Liturgical Press.

JERGENS, WILLIAM

Cuyahoga Co.

Children’s Songs, mixed voices — Cuyahoga Co.

KEATNS, DONALD

Greene Co.

Choral setting of Cumming’s “Anyone Lived in a Pretty How Town;” Two String Quartets, Nos. 1 & 2.
III. COMMISSIONS

Gould, Elizabeth ......................................................... Lucas Co.
Fantasia and Fugue for Bassoon and Piano, commissioned and performed by Steven Basson
March 3, 1969 at a Mu Phi Epsilon Alumnae Concert in Toledo (Ohio) with Mary
Nelson at the piano.; Halleluia, an anthem for mixed voices, Organ, Timpani and Symbols
commissioned by the choirs of St. Michael's in the Hills Episcopal Church; Scintillations, a
Ballet with Two Pianos commissioned by the Student Union of the University of Toledo
(Ohio) for the Kemin Theatre Ballet for performance by them at Dorman Theatre, Uni-
versity of Toledo, April 18, 1969.

Haubiel, Charles ......................................................... Fulton Co.
Flute Trio for Piano and Violin commissioned by Fargot Rebeil; also Trio in
D minor for Clarinet, Violoncello and Piano.

Huston, Scott ............................................................. Hamilton Co.
Paul to the Phillipians, commissioned by Mr. and Mrs. James Stalling for performance Easter
Sunday, 1969 at Knox Presbyterian Church, Cincinnati (Ohio); Commissions from South-
ern Colorado State College include the Cantata entitled Idioms and a Trio for Violin,
Clarinet and French Horn.

Koch, Frederick ......................................................... Cuyahoga Co.
Microcosms for Percussion Quartet (electronic sounds and film) commissioned by the Rocky
River Chamber Music Society for performance March 9, 1969 by the New Percussion
Quartet of Buffalo, N.Y.

Mead, Edward G. ........................................................ Hamilton Co.
Organ Fantasia on “Marching to Pretoria” commissioned for performance at a dinner meeting
of the Associated Harvard Alumni, Cincinnati (Ohio), May 16, 1969.

Middleton, Robert ....................................................... Mahoning & Montgomery Cos.
Sinfonia Filoponica for Winds, Brass by twos, eight Violins, Violoncello, three
Perusoncos, a Piano and a Celeste commissioned by the Valley Philharmonic
Orchestra, aided by a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts.

Parchman, Gen .......................................................... Hamilton Co.
“Three for All” commissioned for performance February 23, 1969 in Wilson Auditorium,
University of Cincinnati by John De Foor, Director of Bands at the University.

Roy, Klaus George ......................................................... Cuyahoga Co.
Lunar Modulations, Op. 78, commissioned by the Cleveland Friends of Music and performed
July 19, 1969 at Blossom Music Center by the Singing Angels with Robert Matson, Per-
cussionist and Luther Blackwell conducting.

Schafer, Robert J. ......................................................... Knox Co.
Mass Proper on Selected Texts for Baritone and Chorus, commissioned by the National
Catholic Music Educators Association.

Schwartz, Paul ............................................................ Miami University, Oxford, Ohio.
Festive Music for String Quartet and Piano commissioned by the Department of Music,
University of Cincinnati by John De Foor, Director of Bands at the University.

IV. AWARDS AND HONORS

Dittenhafer, Sarah L .................................................... Van Wert Co.
Sea Fantasy for Piano, the winning composition in the International Division in the 1968
North Carolina Federation of Music Clubs contest.

Flood, Dora Flick ......................................................... Cuyahoga Co.
“Music of Life”, a solo song received the national prize from the Composers, Artists, Inc.

Gould, Elizabeth ......................................................... Lucas Co.
Recipient of a monetary award from the American Society of Composers, Authors and Pub-
lishers; also awarded the Sheidt Composition Prize for Personal and Private, a Fugato Cycle
with Flute. Chosen one of ten leading American women composers to present her Sona
for Violin and Piano in New York, February 18, 1969 for the W.N.Y.C. Festival of
American Music.

Hodkinson, Sidney ..................................................... Miami Co.
His String Quartet entitled “Interplay” won second prize of $2500 in the International Com-
posers Contest sponsored by the Jenness Musicafe International Congress.
MEANS, CLAUDE ............................... Hamilton Co.

MORGAN, HAYDEN ............................................................................................ Van Wert Co.

PORTER, ELLEN JANE LORENZ .................................................................. Montgomery Co.

HAUBIEL, CHARLES .................................................................................................... Fulton Co.

HORTON, LEWIS HENRY .................................................................................. Mahoning Co.

PERRY, ROB ROY .............................................................................................. Montgomery Co.

PARCHMAN, GEN .................................................................................................. Hamilton Co.

Zimmerman, George

GRUNDMAN, CLARE ................................................................................. Cuyahoga Co.

HAUBIEL, CHARLES ................................................................................. Fulton Co.

HEMMER, EUGENE ....................................................................................... Hamilton Co.

Horton, Lewis Henry ............................................................................. Mahoning Co.

Labunski, Felix .......................................................................................... Hamilton Co.

Means, Claude ........................................................................................... Hamilton Co.

Morgan, Hayden ......................................................................................... Van Wert Co.

Parchman, Gen ........................................................................................... Hamilton Co.

Porter, Ellen Jane Lorenz ........................................................................ Montgomery Co.

HAUGEN, ROY .................................................................................................. Montgomery Co.
### EXHIBIT B

**STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF GENERAL FUND**

For the year ended June 30, 1969

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| Excess of receipts over disbursements | $1,519.82 |

**BALANCE—GENERAL FUND—EXHIBIT A** | $2,890.96 |
EXHIBIT C
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
BY FUNDS
For the year ended June 30, 1969

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