

10-21-1966

Civil War Historian to Lecture at the University of Dayton

Follow this and additional works at: https://ecommons.udayton.edu/news_rls

Recommended Citation

"Civil War Historian to Lecture at the University of Dayton" (1966). *News Releases*. 3054.
https://ecommons.udayton.edu/news_rls/3054

This News Article is brought to you for free and open access by the Marketing and Communications at eCommons. It has been accepted for inclusion in News Releases by an authorized administrator of eCommons. For more information, please contact frice1@udayton.edu, mschlangen1@udayton.edu.

News from

**THE UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON
PUBLIC RELATIONS DEPARTMENT**

**JOE McLAUGHLIN
DIRECTOR, GENERAL PUBLICITY**

DAYTON, OHIO 45409 AREA CODE 513 461-5500 EXT. 500

DAYTON, Ohio, October 21, 1966 --- Bell Irwin Wiley, a noted Civil War historian, will give a lecture on the University of Dayton campus Thursday, October 27. Mr. Wiley, who has served as the State Department's American Specialist Lecturer in seven foreign countries, will speak on "Dear Folks: Home Letters of Johnny Reb and Billy Yank" at 8 P.M. in the E. B. O'Leary Auditorium of Miriam Hall.

Mr. Wiley, who also is a noted author of Civil War books, was appointed in 1957 as Executive Committee Chairman of the Committee on Historical Activities of the Civil War Centennial Commission.

He was the 1959 recipient of the Gold Medal Award of the Washington, D.C. Civil War Round Table. This is given for outstanding achievement in the field of Civil War history.

Dr. Wiley's visit is co-sponsored by Phi Alpha Theta, history honor society at the University of Dayton, and the Civil War Round Table of Dayton.

It is a free lecture and the public is invited.