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Evangelists Highlight Chapel Services

Chapel bells ring out to beckon Trevecca students to lay aside the cares of the day and worship the Lord. Both old and new students look forward to this time because of the wonderful blessings they always receive.

Rev. Spencer Johnson, a graduate of Bethany-Peniel College, came to speak to us on October 7. We were privileged to have such a well-known evangelist as he with us. His text was John 14:16-17, 26 which tells us of the Comforter. Rev. Johnson told us of his experience of sanctification, and the Lord honored us with His presence. Souls knelt at the altar of prayer and accepted Christ as their Saviour and Sanctifier.

Another evangelist, Rev. L. B. Matthews, of Nashville, spoke to us October 8. Hebrews 2:10; 3:15; and Revelation 1:5, 6 gave him the topic of the priesthood.

Starting our Freshman Recognition Week (Continued on page 3, col. 2)

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S.C. Has New Office

A new day has dawned for the Student Council! On Saturday, October 2, the files were moved from the former office in the Administration Building to Room 104 in the Fine Arts Building.

This is the first time the Student Council has had an office adequate to meet all its needs. It is large enough to provide a meeting place for the entire council of eleven members.

The former office was located on the third floor of the Administration Building. It was a small corner room with a very limited amount of space. All meetings were held elsewhere.

A decorating committee has been appointed by the group to add the "artistic" touch to the new room.

The future looks bright for the Student Council of Trevecca Nazarene College as they now have a pleasant and roomy place in which to work.



Sophomores Honor Freshmen

It was not hard to spot a Freshman last week, for not only the worried look that comes from wondering if they are in the right class (or where the next one meets) gives them away, but the green ribbons they wear and the once-white pillowcases full of books slung over their shoulders as they trudge about also tell us that they hold the places of honor as the annual Freshman Recognition Week, sponsored by the Sophomores, got into full swing.

To get activities underway, the Freshmen marched into chapel Monday to their reserved seats led by Sophomore president, Denzil Huff and Vice-president R. T. Kendall as the congregation sang "We're Marching to Zion." The subject, "Bearing One Another's Burdens," was chosen by Dr. Mackey as subject for his words of advice.

After lunch Monday, the P. A. system was set up and several Freshmen were interviewed by Mistress of Ceremonies Wanda Phillips. Among those new students who told us of their hometowns, future plans and main interests were: Robert Hedgepath, Elaine Huff, Dewey Wise, Shirley Montgomery, Walton Brown, Bill Tolefario, Joyce Schurman, and "shy" Robert Womack.

Tuesday, 4:00 a.m., found the sleepy Sophs and sleepier Frosh

ready to get in a bit of early morning exercise. The Freshmen were given a Sophomore brother or sister to watch over them during the week and the hike began to the graveyard. Entertainment there was provided by our ghost hosts, Cary Duckett, Joe Finger, and Ed Bullock and a pantomime by Bobbie Arnold and Charles Cork. Six a.m. found the weary hikers trudging back to the campus where hot coffee and doughnuts, furnished by the Sophomores, came just in time to restore enough energy to carry them through the day.

After dozing through classes all day, the next attraction was the battle on the gridiron, Frosh vs. Sophs. Urged on by yells of Lois Morrow, Barbara Jordan, and Elaine Huff, and aided by the skilled playing of Moody Gunter, the Freshmen came out victorious with a final score of 28-0. That was some game!

Spiritual emphasis for the week was provided Wednesday evening at College Hill prayer meeting. Special attention was given the Class of '58 who were seated in a reserved section.

The College Cafeteria was the site of the banquet honoring the Freshmen Thursday evening at 6:00 p. m. After the invocation by Dr. H. J. Adams, the group was favored with a quartet number (Continued on page 2, col. 2)

Faculty Prayer Meeting Has Good Attendance

At their annual retreat the faculty members voted to have one prayer meeting a month as part of the faculty meeting schedule. The second Tuesday of each month was chosen for the meeting, with Miss Person as general chairman.

Almost all of the faculty members assembled for the first meeting on Tuesday afternoon, October 12, for a time of real Christian fellowship in singing and praying. Professor Duckett brought an inspiring message to the group. All of the faculty members are well pleased with this arrangement, and good attendance is expected at each meeting.

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Juniors Sponsor Prayer Service

"Thou art my God, early will I seek thee." Morning, the early part of the day, always brings a sense of freshness to the physical body. Meeting God in the morning also brings the needed freshness to the spiritual. The Junior Class, realizing that both physical and spiritual are dependent on each other, invites you to spend time around the altar in McClurken Auditorium from 7:30 to 8:00 every morning. The hymns played by Nettie Belvin provide a quiet and prayerful time. "If you meet God in the morning you can have Him through the day."

It's Apple Blossom Time

You say it is not spring? Then you may have the privilege of disproving the theory presently submitted to you.

First, apple trees bud in the spring.

Miss Person's apple trees are budding.

Therefore, it must be spring!

A religious profession that does not know God can never prove satisfactory to anyone.

—T. M. Anderson

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Shall the Last Be First?

You probably are familiar with the age-old question that Christ set forth in His teachings concerning those who are saved last, or late, in this earthly realm. The Scripture however, could, by no stretch of the imagination, in any way apply to those people standing patiently, anxiously awaiting the moment when they shall be able to satisfy the gnawing pangs of hunger that we all experience at the times of the "three square meals" a day. Naturally, the lunch line is spoken of.

There seems to be today, among the many problems of life that confront us, this age-old question of who shall be first and who shall be last. If your social conscience has been so hardened that you feel no remorse when you step in front of one of your suffering fellow-classmen, there must be something wrong, and you should be rushed to a specialist at once.

If any are guilty of such practices, we will draw upon our imaginations and say that they do not know any better; but from this day forward, they will have no excuse.

God never moved a temptation to keep a man from falling; He proposes to meet the issue with grace.

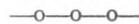
—A. G. Jefferies

"Reach One, Win One"

"Reach one, win one" was the motto of the film, "Reaching Down from Heaven," which was sponsored by the Student Council on Friday evening, October 8, as the regular Fine Arts program.

The story involved a rich girl, a foreigner, and most of all, the church. It showed us the far-reaching effects a church can have in a community if the people bind themselves together and try to help someone find his way to God, instead of blindly turning a needy soul away in their hurry to be about their daily tasks.

The motto, "Reach one, win one," can be applied and have an effect on our lives also.



Sophomores Honor

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ber composed of Gloria Hollis, Glen Keys, Patsy Decker, and Charles Cork, accompanied by Mary Jo Bowling at the piano. Denzil Huff extended words of welcome and the guests were served dinner by girls from the sophomore and upper classes. After-dinner entertainment was provided in the form of a skit arranged by Gloria Hollis and featuring sophomore talent. The benediction was pronounced by Walter White, and the students returned to their rooms to resume their studies.

Another highlight of the week was the talent program which was presented Friday night in the Fine Arts Auditorium. With R. T. Kendall acting as M. C., the program consisted of freshman participants introduced by sophomore talent scouts. The audience was asked to vote for the best contestant at the end of the program and the winner was announced at the conclusion of the program.

The climax for the week was the picnic at Percy Warner Park Saturday afternoon and evening. Everyone seemed to have lots of fun.

Among those responsible for this wonderful week of fun are Jean Dodd, Sam Saxon, Larry Finger, Wanda Phillips and Sonny Fulwood. Long hours and hard work have gone to make this week the best possible Freshman Recognition Week; so may we congratulate them on their success.

The cure for human ills is not found in a creed but in a passion.

—A. S. London

Think It Through

We must decide within our own minds what we believe. It is tempting and quite easy to accept another person's view without thinking it through, but this habit deteriorates Christian character. Moreover, we cannot be honestly content within our hearts until we arrive in the realm of our own personal conclusion.

The college student should learn to think for himself; he should cultivate his own thoughts; he should originate new plans, new ideas; he should have convictions and believe in them and abide faithfully by them.

Someone has said, "Some people have minds like sponges; they soak anything under pressure."

There is a tremendous demand for young people who will think. Are you the type that believes everything you hear? Do new ideas sweep you off your feet before you think whether you actually believe them? On the other hand, there are those that refuse to accept another person's view because they refuse to intelligently scrutinize his way of thinking. Some people are set in their ways without having reason for their being so obdurate. Do you have sound reasons for what you believe?

It is possible to entertain the extremity in being legalistic; however, it is necessary to know how to think from a definite standpoint. Have reasons for what you believe! Don't be unstable in all your ways; don't be like the "chaff which the wind driveth away."

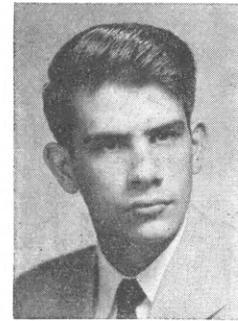
Be a thinker; learn to discern which is best, which is right. It is very often true that the will of God is our best judgment. Learn to think! It demands respect and develops Christian character. Let not your mind be like a sponge—think it through!



How Observant Are You?

Do you read the Bulletin Boards daily? On second thought, do you read them at all?

These boards were placed in both the lobbies of the McClurkan and Administration Buildings for the convenience of everyone. However, many students do not take advantage of this convenience. The Bulletin Board in the McClurkan Building contains news of class meetings, both state and departmental clubs, a list of chapel singers, the



S. C. President Wins Student, Faculty Support

Wayne Sharpes, the student body president, has captured the hearts of all Trevecca. Combining educational ability with Christian character, he has won the admiration of students and faculty.

Wayne comes from Harrisonburg, Virginia, and has been reared under the influence of a Christian home. He attended the Missionary Alliance Bible Institute at Nyack, New York, as a freshman and the past two years has attended Trevecca and will graduate this spring. He is studying for the ministry and plans to attend our Nazarene Theological Seminary next year.

Wayne has taken part in many student activities which has contributed to making him the well-rounded personality that he is. He has been active in Christian work and was vice president of that organization last year. Also under his leadership, the Virginia Club was given the place of State Club of the year. He has served on the Darda staff, been an active member of the Clio Society as well as participating in sports. He also exhibits a high scholastic standing and is a member of the Honor Society.

Wayne has plans to arouse more school spirit and to infuse new life into the organizations and clubs. Let's join him in his efforts to make '54 and '55 better than any year at Trevecca.

Honor Roll, news of revivals, and faculty announcements. The Board in the Administration Building contains news of apartments or rooms for rent, an assortment of things to sell, news of revivals, faculty announcements and lost and found notices. Nothing should be attached to the outside of the Boards either with scotch tape or thumb tacks, but announcements should be placed in the Suggestion Boxes immediately under them.

Take time to stop and look! That announcement may concern you!

Spotlight on the Frosh

Wouldn't you like to know more about these new students whom everyone has seen carrying their books around in pillow cases? Let's look in on a few of them.

If you've heard someone making the piano talk and surrounded by a group of students, it's more than likely Guerry Teeple who is from Monterey, Tennessee. Guerry loves T. N. C. and is especially impressed by the opening of class with prayer. His main interests are music, collecting of stamps and horses.

The star of the Freshmen football team hails from Winnsboro, South Carolina. He is Moody Gunter and has come to Trevecca to prepare for the ministry.

Lois Stucki, an attractive blond from Jackson, Mississippi, is impressed by the friendliness and closeness of Trevecca students. Music tends to be her main interest, but we hear she has other interests too.

One of the girls that cheered the Freshman on to victory on the big game was Elaine Huff from Lanett, Alabama. She plans to major in music and minor in speech in which she gets plenty of practice.

"Saved by the bell" and you can thank Asa Sparks for that. Asa comes from Newport, Kentucky, and plays the piano. He is preparing for the ministry.

The new Welch girl seems to have brought "Joy" to Dave Erickson. She is from Charleston, South Carolina, and is another of our music majors. She enjoys sports also.

Our comedian for this year is from our own city—Nashville, Robert Womack. His future plans are to teach. He is also interested in sports.

Joe Halstead from Panama City, Florida, shows interests in varied fields. He is in the choir and plays on the Freshmen football team. He plans to be a medical missionary.

We are glad these students have chosen Trevecca and hope their years at T. N. C. will be happy ones!



TREV-ECHOES STAFF 1954-55

Left to right—Wanda Naff, Nettie Belvin, Virginia Hill, Velva Sharpes, Wendell Williams and E. C. Rose.

Evangelists Highlight

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nition Week off right, Dr. Mackey spoke to the freshman on October 11. He exhorted the class to be the biggest senior class to graduate, showing them they were the foundation of the college. Quoting from Galatians, he proposed to the freshman to carry each other's burdens and "not be weary in well-doing." It is always a joy and pleasure to have our own president, Dr. Mackey, to speak to us.

After a wonderful testimony service and young people praying to definite victory around the altar, Rev. Claude Galloway, pastor of College Hill Church, spoke to us on October 12. Revelation 3:8 reveals to us that there are open doors for those who are saved, sanctified and not afraid to enter. The edifying of the saints, which is too often laid aside, was brought out in his wonderful message. After this down-to-earth message to the Christians, all of us had new determination to make our lives count for Christ.

Acting dean of the college, Dr. H. J. Adams, gave the students a good guide for a better college life on October 13. He presented points for young peoples' consideration.

We were privileged to have as our speaker on October 14, Dr. Cecil D. Ewell, pastor of First church here in the city. His message stirred our hearts and made us want to give our best to the Master. We never cease to appreciate the spirit which seems to radiate from his life and inspires us to higher heights.

For success, cultivate optimism.

S.C. Present Plans

The Student Council this year is endeavoring to acquaint the old and new students with the extracurricular activities and thereby to stimulate interest in all phases of college life.

One of the features has been the talks given by the student council president to the classes on Personal Development.

In an effort to get the classes and clubs off to a good start a meeting was called of all the presidents of the organizations. The days of organizational meetings were explained. On Monday, the Athletic Associations will meet, Tuesday, the classes, Wednesday the State Clubs, and Thursday the Departmental Clubs.

The President encouraged all the groups to meet and plan the year's activities and set some goals to direct them toward a successful year.

A new feature for this year was presented. Not only will the classes be in competition on the basis of point system but the Departmental Clubs and State Clubs likewise. A tentative grading scale was presented to the group.

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High School Enjoys Outing

The aroma of sizzling hamburgers, the tang of fresh potato salad, and the fun that goes with something like an all-high-school outing is always one of the gayest events of the year. This year with Professor Duckett as sponsor, and Phillip Goode as president, the annual outing which was sponsored by the High School Class seemed to be more enjoyable than usual. Forty-two students enjoyed congenial fellowship of Christian friends.

Little "Etie Q" Could Help You

Just thought I'd drop a few little hints to roommates. They're really grand things to have around—that is, if they're neat and tidy sort of beings.

There have recently occurred some incidents that I'm sure could have caused a good opinion to have been formed of a certain fellow, but he carelessly tossed me aside and as a result went out without making his bed. What do you think Mr. White, the head resident, thought of him when he checked his room the other morning? I'll let you in on a secret. He thought of him as a careless, untidy person. And then I know a girl who didn't put away the clothing she had worn the day before; just left it on a chair and I heard her roommate say that she was just a wee bit "outdone" because she was accustomed to people's putting things in their places. I'm just telling you this to remind you that when the nicest of people make friends they look for friends who are among the nicest, too. Here at Trevecca, we are forming lifelong friendships and the habits we have determine many times who our best of friends will be.

In the Student Handbook, I saw some fine pointers for roommates to follow. Here are some of them:

1. A good roommate does his share of keeping the room clean.
2. He is considerate of others' study time.
3. He discourages visitors who may interfere with regular routine.
4. He does not borrow, with or without asking, his roommates' clothing or other personal possessions.
5. He observes the Golden Rule.

All of these things go into making me the really fine little fellow that I am. Wouldn't you like to have me around all the time? And before I stop, let me ask you one more question—What kind of roommate are you?

Little "Etie Q"

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Sympathy

The faculty and students of Trevecca Nazarene College extend their sympathy to Bill Jernigan and family in the loss of his father, Rev. Wade Jernigan. Bill is at present a Sophomore here. His sister, Mrs. Paul Gray, the former Lavonne Jernigan, is a graduate of Trevecca.

"Are You Going? ? ?"

★
"DON'T MISS IT ! ! !"

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"Are You Among the Lucky Numbers?"



Play the Game Well

"The purpose of this organization shall be to promote sportsmanship and to help develop physical fitness." (Article 1, Sect. 2, M. A. A. Constitution.)

The Trevecca Athletic Association has grown from some seventy members, men and women, in the past years to a membership of over one hundred in 1954. This looks like one of the greatest years for sports in T. N. C. history. To make this the best year we will all have to work together, side by side. Not only the players of each team, but each person to give his team full support.

The football season started with a bang. The Freshman defeated the High School 28-0; in the second game the Sophomores stopped the Upper-class 8-6 in what may be the game of the year. Then coming up to date the Sophomores did it again by downing the High School 31-0.

In these games the best of sportsmanship has been displayed. Sportsmanship is our greatest goal. If a young person of college age can play a good game on the football field, basket-ball court or the softball diamond he will be able to play the game of life better. Let's make the T. A. A. an improving ground for Christian young people.

Frosh Defeat Sophs

The sophomores were taken by surprise when the freshmen defeated them 28-0.

Don Campbell scored two touchdowns on passes from Moody Gunter. Robert Hedgepath and Bob Bellville caught passes and went over for two more touchdowns. Bill Rowan was trapped behind his own goal line by Hedgepath and Wade Hunley giving the freshman a two-point safety.

On a punt return, Bellville ran 35 yards for a touchdown which was called back because of a clipping penalty. Gunter and Don Pyles made the extra points. The freshman gained 122 yards in 18 completed passes against the 29 yards gained by sophomores on four completed passes. Gunter gained most of the yards for the freshman in both passing and running.

The Sophomores took a firm stand in the second half and stopped the scoring completely. Bill Rowan broke away twice for touchdowns for sophomores but they were called back because of penalties.

Standings

Team	Won	Lost
Freshman	3	0
Sophomores	2	1
Upperclassman	0	2
High School	0	2

Frosh Score Victory

For their second victory the Freshman whipped the fighting Upperclassmen team by a 19-6 score. Defensive play was excellent on both sides.

On passes from Moody Gunter, Don Pyles scored two touchdowns and Bud Shearer scored one. Gunter and Pyles made the extra points.

"Ace" Rose caught a 20 yard pass from P. J. Fitch and made a 30-yard run for the lone Upperclassmen touchdown.

The upperclassmen have a tall, heavy, hard-hitting team and the freshman relied on the point-perfect passing of Moody Gunter.

Cheerleaders Elected

Cheerleaders have been elected for each of the four teams. They are sponsored by the G. A. A.

High School—Joyce Beine, Connie Earles, and Linda Hampton.

Freshman—Elaine Huff, Barbara Jordan and Lois Morrow.

Sophomores—Mary Jo Bowling, Jean Dodd and Clarice Spruill.

Upperclassmen—Carol Asbury, Mary Driskell and Eleanor Richardson.

"Slow Down and Let Live"

Jehu was a furious rider in Old Testament times. His counterpart in modern times is known as a "Hotrod." If these modern "Jehus" around Trevecca do not slow down we will be reading about it in the papers. How would it strike us if we read, "Trevecca student stricken down by auto of fellow student. The young man badly mangled has a fifty-fifty chance of survival but will be paralyzed if he recovers."

Surely no one wants to see this happen. It should strengthen one's faith in modern miracles that it has not happened, as yet.

The imaginary tragedy mentioned would put "the brakes" on traffic for some time. Why not prevent it instead of being sorry for it. "Slow down and let live," should be our motto.

Spiritual perception is a condition of spiritual work.

—M. R. Fitch

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