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## "Story of Hope" Is Christmas Program

"The Story of Hope," a musical drama with pantomimed scenes of the Christmas story was presented on December 9 in the McClurken Auditorium. The cast of the drama included Frankie Edwards, angel; Calvin Privett, a dejected drunkard; Ralph Lee, minister; and R. T. Kendall, prophet.

The choir, under the direction of Professor Ramon Unruh, sang many favorite Christmas songs including "Hallelujah Chorus," from "The Messiah," "The Heavens Are Telling," from "The Creation," and Professor Unruh sang several solos including "O Holy Night."

The program was directed by Miss Mabel Cooner and Professor Ramon Unruh.

## Clio Society Presents Three Films

The Clio Society, under the leadership of its president, Allen Hollis, and with Billy Jernigan as MC, presented three films at a recent regular Friday evening program. These were: "The Mississippi," depicting the streams that feed the "father of waters" and the problems of conservation of this region and the efforts to solve such problems; "The Fear of the Wild," a color picture of American Wildlife; and "Crossroads USA," a film of oil production, and of a young man who might have been a juvenile delinquent, but who overcame the temptations and emerged victor in his struggle for faith.

## Sponsors Entertain Seniors

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Richardson, senior sponsors, entertained members of the senior class at a buffet supper at their home Saturday evening. After a short program, during which Carol Asbury gave a reading, the group sang Christmas carols.

Thanksgiving offering this year totaled \$260.00

## Christmas Greetings

There are many happy greetings  
From our friends both far and near,  
That remind us of our meeting  
And our friendship warm and dear.

They wish for us a Christmas bright,  
With happiness and joy;  
And wish the gifts of Christmas might  
Be those which time cannot destroy.

Though worldly goods we have not much,  
Their greatest wish is not for such;  
It is happiness, with health and friendship true,  
That they wish for me and you.

—F. W. Parsons

## Freshmen Work on Cake Code

In 1944 two Trevecca campus traditions were begun—the campus newspaper, TREV-ECHOES, and the hiding of a fruit cake on the campus by the Sophomores for the Freshmen to find. In the third issue of TREV-ECHOES ever published, November 22, 1944, there was an insert asking the Freshmen if they had forgotten about the code. That year they broke the code and found the cake, one week before the deadline.

In 1945 the cake was buried on the same day that the Freshmen were given the code, but even that didn't help. They broke the code, but could not find the cake. The Sophomores were gracious enough to give the party anyway.

In 1947 for the first recorded time the freshmen weren't able to break the code, which set a strong precedent which has been hard for the Freshmen to overcome since.

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## Cafeteria Workers Have Annual Party

The Cafeteria workers had their annual Christmas party Tuesday evening in the banquet room of the cafeteria. The program was in keeping with the season of the year. After refreshments were served the group gathered around the Christmas tree to exchange gifts and sing Christmas Carols.

## Christmas Tree Program Is This Evening

The annual Christmas Tree, sponsored by the Freshman Class, will be tonight December 16, 7:30 p.m.

Refreshments will be served in the school cafeteria, after which Santa will present the gifts.

A program will be presented in the Fine Arts Building Auditorium following the exchanging of gifts.

## M.A.A. Banquet Is Dec. 17

The M.A.A. annual football banquet will be Saturday, December 17, at Howard Johnson's Restaurant at 8:00 p.m. A special program is being planned, and the All-Stars will be honored as well as the championship Sophomore team. Price of ticket is \$1.25.

## McKay, Hardy Halls Have Christmas Events

McKay Hall's annual Christmas party was Wednesday, December 14.

Carol Asbury, Violet Coulter, and Frankie Edwards entertained the girls by giving readings, and Mary Jo Bowling played the piano.

Mrs. Santa Claus (Mrs. Orndoff) distributed gifts and served refreshments.

On the same evening Mrs. Mingledorf surprised the girls of Hardy Hall with a seasonal occasion.

## President, Dean Attend Conference

Dr. Mackey and Dr. Adams recently attended a meeting of the Southern Association of Colleges and Universities held in Miami, Florida.

Enroute to Miami they attended a Sunday morning service where Dr. Adams spoke. Later in the day Dr. Mackey spoke at two other churches.

At the conference many important things were discussed. Among the more important topics discussed was that of accreditation. Trevecca has already received accreditation as a four-year teacher training institute in Tennessee, and Dr. Mackey reports that he feels certain that we will receive accreditation in the Southern Association soon.

Dr. Mackey and Dr. Adams flew back early Wednesday morning.

## Dr. Bracken Addresses Ministerial Association

Dr. A. K. Bracken, former Dean of Religion at Trevecca, was guest speaker at the ministerial Association luncheon held in the banquet room of the cafeteria.

Dr. Bracken, who now lives at Bethany, Oklahoma, had been visiting in Nashville for a few days making possible this engagement.

The meeting was presided over by Forrest McCullough, association president for 1955-56. High points of the address were the emphases on "declaring the whole Counsel of God," and on preaching and living a Christ-centered Gospel.

The special speaker was introduced with words of commendation by President A. B. Mackey. Rev. W. M. Greathouse, present Dean of Religion and sponsor of the Ministerial Association, offered the closing prayer after the group had sung prayerfully, "My Desire To Be Like Jesus."

Keep Christ in  
Christmas

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### The Babe of Bethlehem

Born in a stable on a wintery night  
Was the Babe of long ago—  
In swaddling clothes she held  
Him tight  
Because she loved Him so.

Then the wise men came from afar  
To worship the newborn King—  
They followed a very holy star  
And each a gift did bring.

When they saw the mother and  
Baby Boy  
They fell upon their knees  
They were happy and filled with  
joy  
To present their gifts to these.

The gifts were frankincense,  
myrrh, and gold  
That were given to this Holy  
Child  
Our thoughts at Christmas should  
never grow old  
To worship this One so meek and  
mild.

—Mildred Pearson

### Tidwell Hall Has Seasonal Party

Mr. and Mrs. Walter White entertained the students in Tidwell Hall with a Christmas party, December 14.

Games and refreshments marked an enjoyable occasion.

### Somervilles Report West Indies Trip

Report received from Rev. and Mrs. D. S. Somerville states:

On October 31 we packed our personal belongings into a couple of pieces of luggage and a briefcase and started from the district parsonage in our auto to join the motorcade at Goodlettsville, Tennessee. There we were met by the students from our Eastern Kentucky District, Dr. A. B. Mackey, and a city traffic patrolman to motor on to the campus of our Trevecca College. The faculty and students did everything possible to make our visit a happy one. The banquet was a time of delightful fellowship for all. Mrs. Somerville and I were entertained royally in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Mackey.

Immediately after the chapel service we headed south for Miami, Florida. November 3 we boarded a National Air Lines plane for Havana, Cuba. Brother and Sister Prescott are our efficient missionaries there. We visited the Bible School and preached in chapel for our first time through an interpreter.

Then on to the airport where we boarded a Delta airliner for Port-Au-Prince, Haiti. As the great motors began to warm up we were conscious that our hearts had been strangely warmed with our new acquaintances and the friendship made with both the Prescotts and the natives.

Our plane lifted its load of human cargo into the air to an elevation of 15,000 feet. In a short time we were coming down in the airport at Port-au-Prince, Haiti. We contacted the Alstotts—a very lovely couple with a new baby just three weeks old.

Here in Haiti we found a primitive people bound with heathen worship and poverty stricken. Brother Alstott took us around in his little English car to several of the churches and preaching points.

November 10 the Alstotts took  
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### Students Attend City Council

Five members of the Group Discussion class attended one of the recent City Council meetings as another in their series of projects. They were Frankie Edwards, Carol Asbury, Jan Penix, Asa Sparks, and Joe Jones. Miss Mabel Cooner accompanied the group.

### Student Council Reports

The Student Council sanctioned the student body vote that there be no line cutting except for special groups when they are together and with their leader.

At the previous meeting of the Council which was held after a chili supper at the home of the sponsor, Dr. Homer Adams, they adopted the general school project of buying needed material for the library. They also placed the traffic rules and regulations in the hands of the traffic committee to instruct and enforce. They decided to give several weeks of warning before enforcement.

Definite plans were made toward contacting a speaker for the Student Council Lectures this Spring.

The enthusiasm which the students have shown this year has inspired the Student Council to endeavor to make this the best year we have ever had at Trevecca. In organizing this year the Council elected Wendell Williams as treasurer and Dr. Adams as sponsor. Each of the Student Council committees has met and begun working diligently.

The Student Council, with the help of the faculty, has drawn up a constitution for District Clubs which were organized last week.

In the October 20th meeting the Council inaugurated the following resolutions. To secure a loan from the Student Council an organization must: (1) have a majority vote of the membership, (2) a written request signed by the officers and faculty advisor submitted to the Student Council for approval, (3) have the approval of the Student Council and the Business Manager, and (4) sign an interest-bearing note of 6% per annum due and payable at the end of the quarter in which it was borrowed.

### Nashville N.Y.P.S. Has Banquet

The annual N.Y.P.S. Fellowship Banquet for the Nashville societies was held in the college cafeteria, Friday night, December 2. Those in charge of the special program were Rev. Bob Gray, District President, Rev. Don Jernigan, Rev. John Knight, and Rev. Paul McGrady. Some snappy "to the point" speeches all helped to make an enjoyable evening. This was the last in the series of the N.Y.P.S. Fellowship Banquets. These banquets are for the purpose of receiving information in regard to the work of the N.Y.P.S.

### Chapel Bells

On Veteran's Day, Nov. 11, Rev. Cecil Ewell brought a timely and effective message. Saluting those who have jeopardized their lives for us, he expressed his appreciation for America.

Founder's Day program consisted of special emphasis on various phases of the life of Rev. J. O. McClurken, founder of Trevecca Nazarene College.

After Professor Unruh sang "There's a Secret", Rev. W. M. Greathouse spoke on the four aspects of the doctrine of the witness of the spirit.

Rev. V. Neil Richardson, business manager, spoke on Luke 12: 13-15. "It is time," he said, "to turn to God and learn of Him and be able to give the world the New Testament standard." Eddie Whittington sang, "Jesus Is Mighty."

After Barbara Wilson, Nancy Sheridan, and Alice Williams sang a medley of hymns on prayer, Dr. Maude Allen Stunck spoke on Isaiah 12:1-3. She admonished that one must dig by praying and God will give a fountain of living water springing up within the soul.

Miss Amy L. Pearson, registrar, presented a unique message using as her topic "Mental Furniture." Using as her text Phil. 4: 8, she pointed out that whatever is in our heart will soon creep out and show in our faces.

Larry Finger, Patsy Decker and Justine Rushing sang "Saved by Grace."

Monday, November 21, President Mackey used the Scripture Eph. 5:25 and spoke on some past experiences of Trevecca College. He strove to impress upon us the need for a Christian Education in a holiness institution and admonished us to stand together united.

Dr. Homer Adams, Dean, spoke on having something for our faith to cling to at all times. He pointed out many dangers for which youth need to be alert. Bobbie Seymore, Bythella Theus, and Joan Hennigan sang "I Was There When It Happened."

Rev. Fred Reedy, pastor of Clarksville First Church, brought the "Thanksgiving Message." He used for his text Romans 12:1. It is reasonable to give our all to God; there is nothing to lose. Professor Unruh sang "Thanks Be To God."

### Sympathy

Our sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Campbell in the death of their baby boy.



## Social Ledger Leaves

Leaves . . . leaves . . . in the spring I remember the first buds . . . then bending . . . blowing . . . bouquets of brightest green . . . and now a red, and gold russet brown . . . tumbling down . . . leaves . . .

T.N.C. students were given a treat as the college Senior Class sponsored the first traditional banquet of the year, the Thanksgiving Banquet. Though the banquet departed quite far from that of the Pilgrims over 300 years ago in decorations, surroundings and food, T.N.C. students gathered in the same spirit of thanksgiving to God as those first settlers did. Their banquet of 1621 and ours of 1955 were fused together as Charles Cork, Carol Asbury and Ellen Phillips, dressed as Pilgrims, bowed in thanksgiving to God for all the blessings he has bestowed upon us. As I followed Eddie Cloud and Janey Little and Ralph Lee and Lib Stucki, I heard nothing but enthusiastic comments over the evening's activities.

"Hurrah for the fun and the puddin' done; Hurrah for the pumpkin pie." This was a familiar phrase around T.N.C. campus at the time approaching the Thanksgiving Holidays. Students scattered far and near to their homes but some remained on campus to enjoy the festivities here. The head residents, Mrs. Orndoff, Mrs. Mingledorf, and Mr. and Mrs. White prepared a chili supper for those that were left here during the holidays. Following Bill Calkin and Jean Clayton, I peeked in on the gathering and it seemed the forty that were there were having quite a lot of fun.

During the holidays several students were privileged to attend a N.Y.P.S. banquet following a workshop on the East Kentucky district. These were: R. T. Kendall, Bill Kerns, Asa Sparks, Wilma Ingram, Pat Losey, Anita Liles, Carol Asbury, Janey Little and Jess Luster.

## Wedding Bells

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Tucker were married on December 1 at Woodbine Nazarene Church. Rev. Biggs officiated. Mrs. Tucker is the former Miss Connie Janet Earles of Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cox were married December 9, with Rev. B. G. Wiggs officiating, at College Hill Church. Mrs. Cox is the former Miss Wyoma Sissom of Nashville, Tennessee.

## Cake Code

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For six years it was not broken. In 1954, however, someone was just a little smarter than he was supposed to be. That year the code was written as music. For instance, the notes G,D,A,E,B,F, and C, in order meant, "Go Down And Empty Bottom Fishpond Clean."

There has been quite a variety of codes throughout the years. For some years it has been just a jumble of letters, while in others there have been letters composed with clues concealed in them.

Last year the code was translated into French, coded, and then run through a matrix. Needless to say, it was never broken. Even with a solution in hand, it is almost impossible to understand.

This year, the Freshmen have made a valiant effort, though often seem to bog down. The first code, which they broke was merely a glorified morse code.

The Freshmen are still working hard and with plenty of time left, who knows what may happen?



## Frankie Edwards Is Versatile Editor

Graciousness, talent, dignity and rollicking wit is the delightful combination found in the dark-haired lass from Kentucky whom we know as Frankie Edwards.

Though now a southern belle, Frankie was born up north in Detroit, Michigan. Frankie is one of five children. Her family moved to Mayfield, Kentucky where she began school.

Frankie's variety of talents led her to many fields of interest in high school. She was president of the Mayfield Jr. Music Club and was a member of the school choir for four years. Also talented in speech, she represented her high school in a speech festival held at Murray College receiving a rating of excellent. Frankie received good experience for her present job as TREVE-CHOES editor since she was assistant editor of her high school paper one year and editor the next, leading her staff to receiving a national award.

Frankie came to Trevecca in 1952. She has continued her interest in extra-curricular activities as she participated in A capella choir for three years; was secretary of both the Science Club and Clio Society and also served as assistant editor of the Darda during the school term 1954-1955. This year Frankie is

## Merry Christmas from Trev-Echoes Staff

## Somersvilles

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us to the airport and we were soon on our way to San Juan, Puerto Rico. We arrived about 8:15 and taxied to the Caribe Hilton Hotel. Puerto Rico is under the American flag. Here we found a more aggressive people and modern living conditions. Brother Harold Hampton is the district superintendent here. Rev. Hampton and Rev. Porter are doing a great work in San Juan.

The wonderful way in which we were entertained by our missionaries and the blessed services that God gave us were a great blessing that we shall never forget.

D. S. Somerville

participating in the Clio Society, Speech Club and Ministerial Association. Her talent in speech helped her capture the lead in last year's Junior play, "Little Women" and the recent Christmas program, "The Story of Hope."

Frankie has a double major, religion and history, and is minoring in speech.

Frankie's deep spiritual life has been a great inspiration to those around her. She has felt God's call to the ministry and is preparing for that field of service. She has been active in church work, preaching, teaching Sunday school and acting as counselor in summer camps.

Peeking into our editor's private life we find that her favorite sport is football—that she especially enjoys reading, study of human psychology and dramatics. Also she could think of nothing better than sitting down to a meal of steak, broccoli and cocoanut pie.

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## Teamwork Gives Undefeated Sophs Football Championship for 1955

The teamwork, unity, and cooperative spirit that the Sophomores have shown all season paid off by giving them the Trevecca football championship for the 1955 season. The undefeated Sophomores defeated the hapless Freshmen Thursday, to win the championship game 79-0.

Moody Gunter ran around end five yards for the first touchdown, which set the pace for a scoring riot.

Gunter passed to Ed Whittington (3), Walton Brown (3), Don Pyles (2), and Robert Hedgepath (1) for nine T.D.s.

Gunter scored once more, and then Rusty Hartsell pulled the surprise play of the season—he faked to Gunter; Halfback Ed Whittington tagged the ball, and Hartsell ran 25 yards to score on a center keep sneak, while the Freshmen chased Gunter.

Harry Hemmerly got into the scoring act by being responsible for a safety.

This was the fifth game in which the Sophs have held their opponents scoreless.

Officials were Bruce Kelly, Dan Godby, and Squirrel Smith.

### Sophomores Swamp H.S.

Moody Gunter, backed by his hard-hitting linemen, passed successfully to defeat the High School 26-0 in Tuesday's game. For the opening score Gunter passed to Robert Hedgepath, who sped to pay-dirt. The extra point was passed to Don Pyles, to make it 7-0.

The Sophomores again took possession of the ball and after passing within 5 yards of the scoring line, Moody Gunter scampered over.

The High School had the ball near the mid-field strip when Gunter intercepted a pass and paced off 50 yards for the T. D. Don Pyles added the extra point.

Near the end of the game Hedgepath intercepted and drove over for the final score, bringing another Sophomore victory, 26-0.

Officials for the game were Harold Hughes, Asa Sparks and Bob Fulwood.

### Delayed Reports

**SOPHOMORES 86  
HIGH SCHOOL 6**

Touchdowns: Sophs.—Gunter (5), Whittington (2), Pyles (2) Hartsell, Brown. Extra points—Gunter (2), Hedgepath (2), Pyles (2), Whittington, Hartsell, Brown, Murphy.

High School—Bruce Kelley

### Upperclassmen Team Wins; Edges Freshmen 20-19

An extra point the Freshmen didn't make in the first quarter spelled defeat for them, 20-19, Saturday in a nip-and-tuck ballgame with the Upperclassmen.

A key block by Earl Parrish and yardage gains by Wayne Goodwin set up the first Frosh T. D. The climax came when Roy Miller caught a pass from Toby Williams in the end zone.

Larry Finger snagged a Dwight Presson pass in the UP end zone next, and "Whit" passed to Bob Bledsoe for the extra point to make it 7-6.

Miller caught another Williams' pass to score, but Presson and Dan Godby combined on a pass-catch attack to tally again for the UPs.

Presson hit Finger again for the last Upperclassmen T. D. and then plunged over for the P.A.T.

Parrish was on the receiving end of another one of Williams' passes, and Roy Miller scored the extra point, but that wasn't enough, and the game was over.

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Here they are! Trevecca's Football All-Stars for '55: 1st team, left to right, Don Pyles, Moody Gunter, Larry Finger (Honorary Captain), Earl Parrish, Rusty Hartsell, Dan Godby. 2nd team, left to right, Ed Whittington, Walton Brown, Bruce Kelly, E. C. Rose. Missing from picture—Roy Miller, Robert Hedgepath. Players receiving Honorable Mention—Dwight Presson, Bob Fulwood, Wayne Goodwin, Jim Hampton, James Spruill, Donnie Smith.

LAST SCHEDULED GAME OF SEASON

Sophomores 38 Upperclassmen 0

ALL-STAR GAME

Sophs vs. All-Stars, Wednesday, 14th

### Standings

	W	L
Sophomores	9	0
Upperclassmen	5	4
Freshmen	3	6
High School	1	8

UPPERCLASSMEN 32

HIGH SCHOOL 12

Touchdowns: UP—Finger (2), Bledsoe, Rose, Godby.

H. S.—(Other statistics are not available).

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