

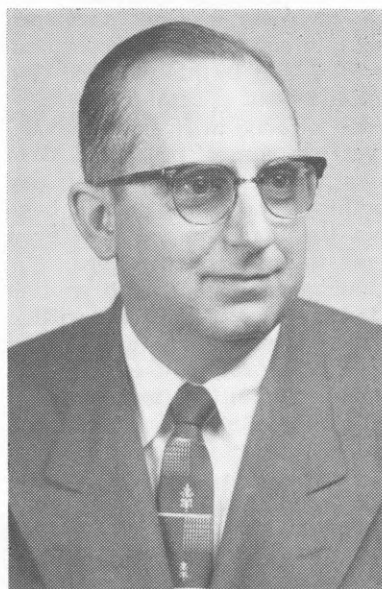
# TREV-ECHOES

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## Rev. Strickland is S. C. Lecturer

Rev. Charles H. Strickland is scheduled as speaker for the annual Student Council Lectures to be April 16 to 20.

Reverend Strickland was sent out in September of 1948 by the Board of Superintendents to pioneer the Church of the Nazarene among the Europeans (as the white people are known) of South Africa. He is superintendent of this work. In this brief time 19 churches have been organized with a total of 490 members. This is one of the overseas fields of the Department of Home Missions and Evangelism.

The Stricklands have four sons. This is their first return for furlough although Mr. Strickland was in the United States for a few weeks to attend the 1952 General Assembly.

## Choir Now Touring

The A Cappella Choir, under the direction of Professor Ramon Unruh, is now touring the southern states. They left April 5 and are due to return the evening of April 17.

We should continue to remember them in prayer that they will be a blessing to the churches, and also that God will protect them on the highways.

## Alabama, Georgia Send Christian Workers Elect Caravans in March

On March 23, a group of young people from the Holten-Heights Church in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, were our guests. They were given supper in the cafeteria, then attended the high school's dress rehearsal of the senior play.

The following Monday sixty young people, accompanied by several pastors, came from Georgia. A banquet was held in their honor Monday night. Dr. Mackey, Professor Greathouse, and Rev. Mingledorff, were the speakers. A "question and answer" session was held for the caravan's benefit Tuesday morning. A sight-seeing tour of the city completed their day with us.

We enjoyed having all the caravans, and hope many of the members will return to be students at T. N. C.

## Trophy Given to Best Actor and Actress

Best actor and actress awards were presented immediately following the High School play, "Tom Sawyer."

Best actor award was presented to Bill Galloway who starred in the role of Tom Sawyer. Best actress award went to Barbara Martin who portrayed Aunt Polly.

Best supporting actor and actress went to Larry Kolar (Huckleberry Finn) and Joyce Wood (Widow Douglas).

The best actor and actress received a gold trophy.

The play was directed by Carol Anne Asbury.

## Preferential Poll Taken

The Preferential Poll for the six major offices was taken April 9.

The purpose was to provide opportunity for the students to express their desires for whom they want as their leaders. This poll was used as a basis for selecting the candidates for the offices of Student Council President and Student Council Secretary; *Dar-da* Editor and Business Manager; and TREV-ECHOES Editor and Business Manager.

Ralph Lee, the able president of Christian Workers Association, has this to say about this year's workers.

"We have never had a more competent group of workers. Thank God for their faithfulness in devoting their time, their talents, and their prayers for the sake of lost humanity and glorifying Jesus."

The election returns for the third quarter are as follows: County Work House, Mickie Smith and Sarah Jones; City Work House, Bobby Barnhill and Zarilla McVay; County Jail, Bud Campbell and Irmgard Haerr; Juvenile Court, Mozelle Partridge; Rest Homes, Billy Ring and Jeanette Griffin; Colored Work, James Ralph; T.P.S., Cecil Vaughn; Friday Night Street Service, Moody Gunter and Nina Griggs; Saturday Night Street Service, Edward Bullock and Bobbie Seymore.

## All-School Play Cast Is Chosen

"A Stranger Passes," a three-act dramatic comedy is the all-school play that Miss Mabel Cooner has selected to be presented on May 17.

The cast chosen is composed of John Wilde (Ed Whittington), Ann Wilde (Carol Ann Asbury), Priscilla Wilde (Janey Little), Steve (Charles Cork), William Norcross (Jimmy Martin), Dora Parker (Hessie Sutblett), Lita (Kathie Eonottie), Inspector (Asa Sparks), Judy, the maid (Nina Griggs). Two other characters in the play, Phillip Wilde and The Stranger, have not been chosen as yet.

Practice sessions for the play will be getting underway soon. The play is under the direction of Miss Mabel Cooner.

The world is goodnatured to people who are goodnatured.

—Thackeray

The candidates are being announced April 16, and the election will be held April 23.



## Janey Little Places First in Oratorical Contest Here

Janey Little, Freshman student, recently placed first in an oratorical contest sponsored by the Women's Christian Temperance Association of Nashville. Asa Sparks, sophomore came in second place.

Others participating were: Mary Nell, Paul Dell, R. T. Kendall, and Mrs. Lucille Jones.

Each of them spoke on the "Evils of Alcohol." Judges were students from David Lipscomb College.

Janey will be entering a state contest in the near future.

## Welcome, New Students

TREV-ECHOES staff extends a hearty welcome to the new students who came in this quarter.

Students come to Trevecca for different reasons. Some want to become preachers, some missionaries, some teachers, and some just want a good allround education in a Christian college. Whatever your purpose in coming, we trust that you will leave Trevecca richer in experience, better grounded in your Christian faith and more determined to help spread the gospel of salvation around the world.

May your stay at Trevecca be valuable, happy, and satisfying.

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## Who Cares for the Rural Sheep Today?

Consolidation of schools may be good, but centralization of churches may be a step away from the needy people for whom Christ died.

Churches are cloistering around the urban areas. In many places the pasture is so short that the flock has nothing to do, so it seems, but to eat each other up. The competition is so keen that shepherds accuse one another of sheep stealing, while many poor lost sheep wander on the hill-sides with no shepherd.

It is true as many assert, that they have cars and can go to town where there is a church; but Jesus went to them, and He sent His Disciples out to find the lost sheep of the house of Israel.

The world still carries its merchandise into the rural areas. And the countryside is being cluttered with the cheap things of the world, while the little white church which stood by the side of the road is vanishing.

If you cannot make light of your troubles keep them dark.

—Anon.

I find life an exciting business, and most exciting when it is lived for others.

—Helen Keller

## Resist the Devil

One afternoon, in late spring, a barefoot boy and his dog went romping down the old dusty lane. The dog, a little, black terrier that was usually frisky, seemed a little more so on that particular afternoon.

The spring air had given a touch of adventure to both boy and dog. And, as they raced along something happened that should not happen to a dog. For at that moment the neighbor's pet cat jumped out into the middle of the lane, and seeing its predicament shifted from intermediate to high gear and went sailing for home.

The dog decided that this was the signal to start the chase, so off they went together. The dog gained steadily, until finally the cat, realizing its chances of escape by running were about over, stopped and turned on the dog. With its fur standing straight up and its tail waving defiantly, it looked twice as large as before.

The little black dog was smart; she veered to the right and bypassed the cat, and went running down across the meadow barking at the top of her voice, as though she had had no intention of chasing the cat at all.

The Bible says, "Resist the devil and he will flee from you." It takes our will to resist, but it also takes the presence of God through the Holy Spirit to reinforce our will to ward off the thrust of the devil.

## God Hath Not Promised

God hath not promised skies always blue,

Flower-strewn pathways all our lives through.

God hath not promised sun without rain

Joy without sorrow, peace without pain.

But God hath promised strength for the day,

Best for the laborer, light on the way;

Grace for the trial, help from above,

Unfailing sympathy, undying love.

—Annie Johnson Flint

Overcome evil with good.

—Jesus Christ

Where God is not, peace cannot come;

Where peace is not, God cannot come.

—Erasmus

## "In Your Patience Possess Ye Your Souls"

Failure has knocked at many doors and gained an entrance because of a lack of Patience. All things in life which are worth having, are worth waiting for. We don't find Solomon's temple built overnight, and neither were the Jews led out of captivity overnight. Instead they dreamed and prayed daily as they carried the heavy brick, under the vigil watch of the Egyptian task-Masters. They were convinced in their mind that somewhere beyond the dark abyss of their present state the sun was shining. Their patience, prayers, and tears came up to God and he delivered them, *but not overnight*.

The stammering, stuttering tongue of Moses was not developed into one which conversed with the Pharaoh of Egypt overnight. Moses began in a basket, not a mansion, and by his patience God appointed him to lead the Children of Israel out of captivity.

Another striking example of patience is found in Noah, the Evangelist who won only 7 souls in 120 years of earnest preaching. Give up? *Never!* God had called him to warn the evil people of his day of the flood that was coming, and nothing short of that would have delivered Noah and his family from the flood waters. Yes, even Noah would have perished had he not waited upon the Lord.

Yes, all things which are worth having are truly worth waiting for. God's eye is scanning the world today for people who are willing to wait patiently upon Him even if they never win the approval of man. Occasionally the eye of Christ will find a soul who is willing to wait. In the past some of those who were willing to wait were Dwight L. Moody, Charles Spurgeon, and Bud Robinson. Many there be who will vow to God that they will follow tho the night be dark, but few there be who will follow when the rays of light have dimmed to the place that the songs have died away and the shouts are no longer heard.

Just as Christ spoke to Peter and James, he is speaking today. His eye still is looking eagerly for one who has patience enough to wait. Do you have the patience to wait? If so God has a field that needs harvesting that has never known the blade of a cycle. Will you answer his call through patience? "But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint."

## A Day in Spring

It was a warm lovely day. The breeze was just enough to be inspiring to the soul. No one wanted to go to Zoology lab, but you know how it is!

Everyone was tense as he marched, (or should we say dragged?) into the lab. For you see it was the first day of the spring quarter and no one knew what to expect; since most of us didn't do as well as maybe we would have done had we studied more. Well, to shorten the story, our professor decided it would be a fine day for a field trip, but it wound up to be seemingly a forty-mile hike.

Nature was never more arrayed in her beauty (being the 22nd of March, the day after the 21st, the day after the 20th which, this being leap year, was the first day of Spring.) The sun was warm upon us as we started looking for the first signs of Spring.

Someone found a snail, and there were peach blossoms, a wild rose bush, grasshoppers. Spring had surely come, all right. But these are just a few of the things that were seen on the trip.

It seems that Phil Riley and Lloyd Griffin were trying to be tight-rope walkers for they were seen walking across the creek on a gas pipe.

It also seems that Janey Little was fascinated by the Green Lantern, (a dark green building which we passed) and since she had on a green outfit, some asked if she were Irish and if this were her favorite dining place.

Earlene Shuttlesworth seemingly was always way behind the rest of us, but surprisingly enough she came up with a crawdad, and proudly said, "This will mean maybe, 'Cash'."

But I'm getting away from my story. Let's see—oh, yes, there were some more animals which I remember seeing. A cow, dogs by the score, chickens, pigs, and, strange to say, a few humans working or staring at us as we passed by.

Spring is surely "busting out all over"; so if you feel like winter is still here why not take a few minutes, (if you have the time) and enjoy a day in Spring.

—Paul Dell



## Chapel Bells

Thursday, March 22

Rev. Greathouse, Dean of Religion, spoke on the topic "God's Great Love." It is not that we loved Christ because we are Christians, but rather that He loved us while we were yet unlovely.

Friday, March 23

Rev. Don Ballard, Pastor of Holten Heights, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, spoke on the changes God can make in our lives.

Monday, March 26

Dr. Mackey spoke on "Making the right decisions." One man was cited to have cut two inches off each end of a piece of wood because it was four inches too long to fit the stove. Surely we can make better decisions than this.

Tuesday, March 27

Rev. H. W. Mingledorf, pastor at Dalton, Georgia, told of his missionary work in Peru, and his association with Rev. Roger Minans.

Wednesday, March 28

Rev. Keys, field representative, brought a stirring message on Wednesday. In this modern day when things move so swiftly we need to have the right conception of the cross of Christ.

Thursday, March 29

Professor Unruh sang "What a Savior," a very appropriate Easter song.

Following the song Rev. Fred Reed from Clarksville First Church spoke on that Fathomless Text, John 3:16. His stirring message consisted of three points: 1. character of God, 2. cost of redemption, 3. consequences of the cross.

Friday, March 30

R. T. Kendell sang, "I Gave My Life for Thee." Prof. Howick gave us a historical account of what happened on that ancient day when Christ was crucified. He talked of the sayings of the cross. It was an inspiring message.

## Personality Parade Salutes

### CLASS VICE PRESIDENTS

#### SENIOR

Paul Schurman . . . "Gordy" . . . Nashville . . . 21 . . . 5'11"—160 . . . brown hair—blue eyes . . . nice . . . good singer . . . Ministerial Association, M.A.A., Honor Society . . . traveled with Trevecca quartet . . . plays ball for UPC . . . Dad pastors at Grace Church . . . likes music, sports . . . future minister . . . engaged to Ann.

#### JUNIOR

Allen Hollis . . . (no longer in Junior Class)

#### SOPHOMORE

Don Pyles . . . "Doc" . . . Weirton, West Virginia . . . 23 plus! . . . 6'2"—180 . . . dark brown hair and eyes . . . well-dressed . . . efficient . . . M.A.A., West Virginia Club president, Ministerial Association secretary, M.A.S. . . . served four years in U.S.A.F. . . . football All-Star . . . likes finger printing, books . . . future minister . . . dates Joyce.

#### FRESHMAN

Don Browning . . . "Brown" . . . Man, West Virginia . . . 19 . . . 6'—182 . . . blonde crew-cut—blue eyes . . . witty . . . versatile . . . M.A.A., West Virginia club, C.W.A. . . . "Mr. West Virginia Nazarene for 1955-56" at W. Va. Institute . . . NYPS President in Nevada . . . likes art, music, sports . . . future undecided . . . pitches softball for Frosh . . . usually seen with Roy, Larry, Ted, or Jan.

Monday, April 2

Chapel was opened by a stirring reading given by Joe Jones entitled "Prayer Changes Things."

Dr. Mackey then spoke on the subject "Would a Man Rob God."

Tuesday, April 3

Prof. Unruh rendered a special number in music after which Paul McGrady, pastor of Englewood Nazarene Church here in the city, spoke on "How you could prove your salvation." He gave his outstanding goals; 1. Live a life free from sin. 2. Be a soul winner for Christ.

Wednesday, April 4

The choir gave us three special numbers from the tour selections. Rev. Leon Chambers spoke on the subject "Let us search our ways and turn again unto the Lord."

While it is true that in the midst of life there is death, it is also true that in the midst of death there is life.

—Mme. Chiang Kai-shek

## Book Review

*In His Steps* by Charles M. Sheldon. New York; Books, Inc. Price \$1.00.

The theme of *In His Steps* is what Jesus would do. The power of the book lies in this phrase. The book may be applied to the life of an average person and sets an example for every day living.

The story opens in the study of the pastor, Henry Maxwell, at the First Church in Raymond.

The events following a mysterious man's appearance at the door of the minister and in his church impresses upon the Reverend Henry Maxwell the need for the application of what Jesus would do in every day life. He carries his theory into the lives of his congregation at the First Church at Raymond and it spreads all over the country.

Kindness, nobler ever than revenge.

—Shakespeare

## Films are Presented

Two interesting and entertaining films were recently presented at the Friday night program in the Fine Arts Building. They were "Crossroads," and "Missionary to Walker's Garage."

Truth forever on the scaffold, wrong forever on the throne; yet that scaffold sways the future and behind the dim unknown standeth God within the shadow, keeping watch above his own.

—James Russell Lowell

One always tends to fear another whom he has wronged.

—Beuell Gallagher

Physical strength can never permanently withstand the impact of spiritual force.

—Franklin Delano Roosevelt

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# TRACK SEASON UNDERWAY; FIELD DAY TO BE MAY 22

For the first time in the history of Trevecca, the Men's Athletic Association, under the leadership of Harold Hughes, president, and Dan Godby, track manager, is sponsoring a track season with the three college teams and the high school team participating. The season opened on April 3 and will reach its climax with the annual field day on May 22.

The events for the track meets, in which the teams will compete, fall into two categories: running, and field events. The running events include the 100 yard dash, and the half-mile distance run. The field events include the high and broad jumps, the shot put, and the discus throw.

Track is considered the fundamental sport from which the other sports originate. Since this year marks the birth of this sport for sports enthusiasts at Trevecca, the teams have many vacancies and there is a great need for boys interested in this versatile sport. This year appears to be one with keen competition with individuals as well as teams battling for the awards that are to be given.

The girls also will participate in the field day events. Each team needs YOUR support; so we'll be seeing you out for track.

## Trailer Court Filled

When I was a little boy we played a game called "Pussy wants a corner." Each player except one had a base. The person without a base would go from one to the other crying, "Pussy wants a corner," to which each would reply, "Go to the next neighbor."

Other features of the game I do not remember. My idea right now is this, the old trailer court is filled, except for three spaces and three persons have spoken for them. After this no one should bring a trailer to the campus until there is available space for it.

The new trailer court lacks a road and electric service before it can be placed in service. Until then, "Go to the next neighbor."

—V. NEIL RICHARDSON

## Senior Correlates Knowledge Gained in Four Years at T.N.C.

### FROSH

Learned to sleep in during breakfast.

Learned that it took just 5¼ minutes to wash, dress, and hit the front seat in Mrs. Redford's Math class just as the second bell rang.

Learned that food and such does sometime fall from McKay Hall windows.

### SOPHS

Learned that I must have been a pain in the neck when a freshman, because all the greenies seemed that way to me.

Learned that it was useless to try to read Miss Person's English Literature assignments; so I developed my personality in the T room instead.

### JUNIORS

Learned that being an upperclassman wasn't so good after all, since there was always more work than time.

Learned that I could endure a symphony concert for "HER" instead of going to a basketball game.

Learned that it was best to sleep in on test days.

### SENIORS

Learned that I don't know half as much now as I thought I knew when I first came to college.

Learned that four years at Woolworth's or Cooper and Martin's seemed like an eternity.

Learned that T.N.C. is really a very nice place—and that it is going to be hard to say goodbye after all.

## Upperclassmen Win First Track Meet Godby Captures High Scoring Honors

The Upperclassmen took first place in Trevecca's first track meet sponsored by the Men's Athletic Association, by racking up 22 points. The Freshman captured second place and the high school took third. The individual scoring honors went to Dan Godby for the Upperclassmen, with 11½ points.

In the running events, Larry Finger and Tom Hardaway tied for first place in the 100 yard dash with a time of 11.5. Bob Bledsoe took third place.

In the 220 yard dash Dan Godby, with a time of 25.5, took first place followed by Galloway and Hardaway, respectively.

In the field events, Dan Godby and Tom Hardaway tied for first place with a mark of 4 feet 10 inches and Donnie Smith placing third in the high jump.

In the broad jump, Dan Godby again captured first place with a record mark of 18 feet 6 inches. Larry Finger and Tom Hardaway finished second and third.

Harold Hughes threw the discus 95 feet 7 inches to take first place with Godby taking second and Ray Gill third.

Again, Harold Hughes took first place in the shot put with Godby taking second and Browning and Sawmiller tying for third. The mark for first place was 39 feet.

### Team Scoring

UPC	22
Frosh	7½
Sophs	0
H. S.	2½

### Individual Scoring

Godby	11½
Hughes	6
Hardaway	5
Finger	3½
Galloway	2
Bledsoe	1
Smith	1
Gill	1
Browning	½
Sawmiller	½

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