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## Church Treasurer To Be Student Council Lecturer

The week of April 18-22 has been selected for the 1954-55 Student Council Lectures with Mr. John Stockton, general treasurer of the Church of the Nazarene, as the special speaker.

These lectures began in the year 1947-48 under the sponsorship of the Student Advisory Council. Since that time they have been held every year, with the exception of 1953-54, with the aim of providing inspiration in various fields of Cultural and professional interest.

Those who have lectured in the past are: Dean Bertha Munroe of Eastern Nazarene College; Dr. Howard H. Hamlin, surgeon, Chicago, Illinois; Dr. V. H. Carmichael, Professor of Business Education, Ball State Teachers College; Mrs. Gertrude Taylor, author and educator; Dr. Edward S. Mann, president of Eastern Nazarene College; and Dr. Paul T. Cubertson, dean of Pasadena College.

## Piano Voice Students Present Studio Recital

One can hardly go astray in believing that Spring has arrived. Musical phrases are floating through the air from the open windows of the Fine Arts Building.

The piano and voice students gave a studio recital on Thursday, March 3, in the Fine Arts Auditorium. Three beautiful numbers, "The Sleigh Song," "Where'er You Walk" and "Song of India" were presented by Larry Finger, Roy Taylor, and Gloria Hollis. From the keyboard came the melodic notes of "Minuet," "Rhapsody in D Minor," "The Butterfly," and "The Gypsy Song," "Dorothy," and "Break Thou the Bread of Life," played by Loieda Smith, Frances Tucker and Emily Hamilton, Ruth Duke, Velva Sharpes and Lillian Felker.

With the beautiful, sunny days ahead, more music will be heard from the open windows of our Fine Arts Building.



All-Star Basketball Team. Front, left to right: Joe Finger, Dan Godby, Larry Finger, Jim Matthews. Second row: E. C. Rose, Bob Bellville, Harry Evans, Eddie Whittington, Ray Pettit.

## Double Octet Sings at Scarritt College

The polychrome wood carving of The Last Supper made an impressive background for the lecture given by Dr. J. R. Mutchmor, Ontario, Canada, in the Upper Room, at Scarritt College Thursday evening, March 10. The double octet, composed of Ruby Potter, Frances Tucker, Carol Asbury, Connie Earles, Mary Jo Bowling, Nettie Belvin, Patsy Decker, Geneva Franz, Sonny Fullwood, Bill Law, Daniel Godby, Asa Sparks, Phillip Goode, Bill Rowan, and Rex Houston were guest singers for the service; presenting three appropriate numbers; "Go to Dark Gethsemane," "Hallelujah! What A Savior," and "The Lord Bless You And Keep You." Prof. Ramon Unruh directed the octett.

Other choirs presenting music for the previous lectures included Vanderbilt University Choir, Peabody College Choir, Fisk University Choir, and Hillsboro High School Choir.

The college choir will make its next appearance at First Church of the Nazarene, Sunday morning, March 20.

## Classes Give N.Y.P.S. Programs at College Hill

The annual series of N.Y.P.S. programs presented by the different classes are now under way at College Hill Church. The programs, sponsored by the Student Council, begin at 6:00 p.m. in the main sanctuary.

The series was started March 6 by the College Senior Class. The college Sophomores were in charge March 20. The future programs as scheduled are as follows: March 27, College Freshmen; April 3, College Junior's; April 10, High School.

## Seniors Sponsor Dinners

The Senior Class is sponsoring special entertainment and dinner music during the evening meal on Fridays at 5:30. Everyone is requested to dress up for the occasion. That is, the girls will wear higher heels and the boys will wear white shirts and ties.

It is the hope of the Senior Class that everyone will take advantage of this opportunity and be looking forward to it each Friday evening.

If you missed last Friday make plans to attend this Friday.

## Dr. Mackey Is Speaker At Manitta, Georgia

President Mackey was the speaker during Religious Emphasis Week, March 7-11, at the High School in Manitta, Georgia. Each morning during the chapel hour he spoke to between 800 and 900 high school students.

During the week, his topics included: "Ideal Life," "How Can I Know God?" "Making My Dreams Come True," "Love, the Key to Happiness," and "Power of Peace Within."

The last morning the principal of the high school asked those who would pledge to go to church on Sunday to raise their hands. Dr. Mackey reports that he could not see one student who did not raise his hand.

We are happy that our president was chosen to speak during their Religious Emphasis Week and we are confident that they enjoyed and benefited much from his messages as we do.

## Former Teacher Honored at Grace N.Y.P.S.

Sunday night, March 13, the N.Y.P.S. at Grace Church, directed by Mrs. Tommy Hemmerly, honored Mrs. Sadie Agnew Johnson with a surprise story of her life. Details of her birth, childhood, conversion, sanctification, preaching and teaching experiences were given. Various members of Trevecca faculty and students who were associated with Mrs. Johnson paid tribute to her.

Mrs. Johnson came to Trevecca in September, 1918, and taught Math and Bible until 1948. She received her degree of Bachelor of Arts from Trevecca. While teaching in Trevecca, she did graduate work at Vanderbilt University and in June 1929, received the degree of Master of Arts with a mathematics major. She received a grade of "A" in every examination.

Her consistent Christian and deeply devoted life has been a source of encouragement and an example to all who have known her.

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### Spring Is In the Air

Tiny sprigs of silken clover peep through the tangled mat of coarse grass, long since browned by autumn's first frost. The bright yellow of the ever-present dandelion is scattered hither and yon. In more limited areas the crocus, tulips and hyacinths nod their pretty blossoms from side to side as if to outdo the others. Minute buds burst from the limbs of trees and bushes, happy to be freed at last from the shackles of winter.

The white clouds drift lazily over head providing a sharp contrast against the deep blue of the sky. Somehow the floating clouds seem unconcerned with the tableaux depicting the transition from drab gray winter to the carefree, colorful springtime.

Down in the hollow, the brook bubbles swiftly along, swelled almost to its brink by the early spring rain. The mirror-like surface of the lake ripples gently as the winds stir the branches of the still barren trees.

Everything seems dwarfed by the magnanimity of the earth. The smallness is a promise that very soon the world will be sheathed in a newness that will dominate its entire surface. For spring in all its abundant glory will grace the earth with its eagerly awaited presence.

### Sportsmanship at Trevecca

Sportsmanship at Trevecca is not greatly different from sportsmanship anywhere else for it embodies such factors as observance of the rules, regard for the other fellow, and the practice of courtesy at the same time that one is bending every effort to win for his team. Caught between two forces, the desire to be a good sport and the drive to achieve victory, the athlete may take the easy way out and stress winning at the expense of sportsmanship.

The real test of sportsmanship may not come on the football field or the basketball court. Jumping over the net to congratulate the tennis player who just won the match is only external evidence of good sportsmanship. You might be doing it because people are watching and you will be criticized if you don't. Good sportsmanship demands that there be a carry-over from the realm of sports to that of every day living. One who goes through the motions of being a good sport on the ball field but who has a disregard for the rules that protect the rights and privileges of others in the dormitory or in the classroom is a living contradiction.

The good sport is one whose character reflects maturity, self-control, respect for the rules of the game of life and for those who enforce them and a genuine respect for the rights and dignity of others. The improvement in this area at Trevecca has been excellent. Remember, good sportsmanship is attainable. Let's work for it.

H. J. Adams

### Helen Health Advises

This is the last of my series on healthful living. Now I'm going to step out of the spotlight and see how much I am wanted by how well you follow my advice.

### BALANCE WORK WITH REST AND PLAY

Take some time to do what you like to do when the day's work is over. You'll get more relaxation out of doing something which is entirely different from your work. The stress and strain of the day cause fatigue, both mental and physical. The emotions use up energy too. After work, it's time to let down.

Try to take some of your recreation out of doors. Out-of-doors exercise speeds up the circulation and digestion, relaxes

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### America At Crossroads

Very few of our citizenry realize the gravity of the present world situation. The "fiddle while Rome burns" philosophy characterizes the attitude of the majority of Americans. We have been calloused by talk of the potential destructive power of nuclear weapons and the awesome threats of the Communists. In our effort to escape pessimism we have failed to adopt a realistic attitude toward the world predicament.

At present, Red China looms as the great threat on the world political horizon, although many believe that their threats and actions are triggered in the Kremlin. Their leaders have rejected all conciliatory efforts as "third power interferences."

We are that near to another world conflagration, and atomic experts concur with the Apostle Peter regarding its consequences—"the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up."

We must relegate the "there is nothing to fear but fear itself" philosophy to its proper place in the past. There is something to fear besides fear! That is our own apathy, unconcern, and prayerlessness. We must pray for a genuine national revival.

Let us pray for a revival of righteousness. It is righteousness that "exalteth a nation," not the number on its church rolls. Only when God's people "humble themselves, and pray . . . and turn from their wicked ways" will He "hear from heaven . . . forgive their sin . . . and heal their land." We stand at the crossroads. Will we pray or will we perish?

### Science Club Members Attend Audubon Tour

Several members of the Science Club recently attended an Audubon Screen Tour presented by the Children's Museum. Going by film with Dr. G. Harrison Orians to the "land of the purple mist and sky-high ridges," the overflow crowd at the museum auditorium was held spell-bound throughout the interesting lecture. Dr. Orians had painstakingly pictured close-ups of wild birds, bears and colorful flowers; the people of the Smokies and many of their crafts and customs were also shown in Dr. Orians' film, "The Great Smoky Skyland."



### Kentuckian Has Many Varied Activities

"There will be a Junior Class meeting tomorrow." These words are familiar to the college juniors for the young lady who reminds them of the meetings is Carol Anne Asbury, their president.

Carol Anne is always "on the go" for class, club, or church. She is vice-president of the Speech Club, a member of the A Capella choir, Kentucky club, and is the representative from the East Kentucky District in the new Life Service Department.

Sports are also among Carol's many interests. She earned a school letter last year and was captain of the upperclassmen girl's volleyball team this year. A cheerleader for the upperclassmen, she led the yells that helped the team win many victories this season.

Carol is thankful for her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Asbury who led her in the Christian path. She was saved when she was nine; and today she loves the Lord and wants only His will for her life.

Playing the piano for the Juniors and a class of Junior girls keep Carol Anne busy on Sunday morning. She is N.Y.P.S. pianist and sings in the choir at College Hill Church.

### Attend Missionary Prayer Band

If you want to receive a blessing by helping our missionaries and others through prayer, you can have a vital part in the cause of furthering God's Kingdom by attending the Missionary Prayer Band, every Friday in the College Hill Sanctuary, right after chapel. We are looking for you!

## Banquet Honors All-Star Basketball Players

The T.A.A. Basketball Banquet in honor of the All-Stars was held Saturday, March 12, in the College Cafeteria.

The decorations centered around the beautiful trophy which was presented to the Sophomores who won the basketball championship. Variegated purple and white carnations and maline made up the centerpiece on the tables.

Entertainment was furnished by Dan Godby and Harry Evans with a humorous duet, Carol Asbury gave a reading, "Little Bobby Shaftoe" and a trio made up of Emily Hamilton, Carol Asbury and Wilma Lewis sang. E. C. Rose acted as Master of Ceremonies and announced the All-Star team and cheerleaders. He also expressed appreciation to the sponsors, Miss Joyce Smith, and Dr. Adams for their support during the basketball season.

### Student Wives Enjoy Programs

The Student Wives have been enjoying very delightful evenings this year under the leadership of Miss Amy L. Person, sponsor; Mrs. Jay Bybee, president; Mrs. O. J. Muse, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Wilbur Tremain, recording secretary; and Mrs. Kenneth Clements, treasurer.

In order that the members might be more capable workers and officers in the Missionary Society, one night a month is Missionary meeting.

The programs have been varied and interesting on such subjects as book reports and Bible Study of New Testament led by Miss Person.

To add to the pleasure and "weight," refreshments are served by the ladies every meeting and each quarter they have a covered dish dinner. This gives the women opportunity to exchange ideas and recipes.

### H. S. Choir Gains Interest

Congratulations go to our High School Choir and their director, Prof. Ramon Unruh. In making appearances at several churches in this area they have done much to gain interest and support for Trevecca College. On Sunday at Dickson, Tennessee, they raised \$175 for the school. Future performances are being scheduled.



Dear Fellow Student:

Putt, Putt, Putt, as the bulldozer moved the sod and top soil from around T. N. C. football field to start our new track.

Trevecca has striven to improve in the field of sports but progress has been slow. Now that our track is underway we are planning to have a track season climaxed with the annual track meet.

The track will be 340 yards or one-fifth of a mile. We are planning for the mile, 220 yard dash, and the 100 yard dash.

There will also be the high jump, broad jump, disc throw, and shot putt.

I will see you out on the track.

Yours for better sports,  
Ace

### Goodman Recital Is Given

On the afternoon of March 5 in the McClurken Auditorium a piano recital was presented by the students of Mr. Lawrence Goodman who is considered one of the best piano teachers in Nashville. Miss Josephine Jared and Miss Helen Loftin presented the recital and then Mr. Goodman favored the audience by playing also.

### Ode to a Plucked Flower

Trevecca students love the Spring Words are spoken and flow'rs are seen

Magnolia trees and Golden Bells Are plants of beauty we love so well

If you pick them to adorn your room

They'll all be gone and that right soon

So, look at them, admire them, smell 'em, lick 'em,

But for Beauty's sake, Please don't pick 'em.

H. J. Adams

### Chapel Bells

Ding! Dong! and students start for the chapel to find a treat in the spiritual realm. Rev. C. B. Cox, district superintendent of our Colorado district, spoke to us on "Pleasing God" and using Enoch as an example. He also said that prayer was communion, when God can talk to us. Mrs. Cox a T. N. C. graduate sang a special song at the close of his sermon.

On March 1 and 2 it was our pleasure for Dr. A. B. Mackey to speak to us, elaborating on the evils of the "Love of money" instead of the evils of money. He told the large student body, made up of young people wanting God's will, that God had provided a legitimate way to satisfy the desires of the human, but also there is a wrong way.

The A Capella Choir furnished our special music on March 3 and Rev. B. W. Murphy brought the message centered on "The Divine Things." God crowned the service with souls around the altar.

Rev. Paul Martin came on March 4 and brought a most challenging message to us as young people. He expounded on theme of why he was not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ.

Starting the next week off with a testimony and praise service was very appropriate because God has truly been blessing us. Dr. A. K. Bracken delivered a timely message on "The Doctrine of the Holy Spirit." It is a privilege to hear one so learned on a subject so vital to us.

A source of encouragement was the message Rev. K. W. Phillips brought to us on March 9. His topic was "Hope."

The director of music on our

### Take Etie Q to Church With You

"The Lord is in His holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before Him." You show your love for God by your attitude in His house.

Take part in the service. Sing each song in the right spirit; let it spring from your heart. If the song is one of joy or thanksgiving think of the words and be thankful for your blessings; before the song is over you truly will be worshipping the Lord.

Prayer is talking to God. When someone leads the prayer you should put yourself in the attitude for God to bless you.

God speaks to you through His messengers. Don't seek to find fault with the sermon—listen with an open heart asking the Lord to apply the truths to your own heart.

The pastor is the leader of the service. Stand, kneel, or remain seated as he directs. It is more inspiring for him to preach to a group rather than a scattered crowd so if you are early for the service take a front seat. When the church is crowded, leave the seats next to the aisle for the late-comers. Don't chew gum, write notes to your friends, or whisper in church.

After church—be friendly (not loud) especially to visitors. Christ wants to use you as His servant to win people to Himself.

You will enjoy the services more and receive more of a blessing if you go to church with the sole purpose of worshipping God.

### Christine Elkins Is Injured

Best wishes for a quick recovery goes to Christine Elkins, a graduate of Trevecca College. Miss Elkins was injured in an auto accident on March 6 and was a patient at General Hospital for a short time. She has been taken to her home in Kentucky while she recovers from the accident. Flowers were sent by the Kentucky Club and McKay Hall.

"Showers of Blessings" radio program was our speaker and singer on March 10. Professor Ray Moore sang several songs intermingled with some information on the radio program and a thought for the day.

Visiting us again as chapel speaker, Rev. B. W. Murphy spoke to us on the "Light of God."



**SPORT NOTES**

Howard Spruill was the point getter this season. Howard tallied a total of 211 points for an average of 17.6 points per game.

Rebounds play an important part in any ball game. The ten top rebounder for T. N. C. were; Godby 68, Brown 57, Bellville 51, Spruill 50, Pettitt 43, Rose 41, Evans 40, Stricklin 38, Murphy 37, and Matthews 35.

New balls and bats have been bought for softball. Teams get ready, fans get in the feel of softball. Let's make this a great season.

**Helen Health**

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nerves, and makes sleep more restful.

Have eight hours of sleep. The central nervous system (the brain and spinal cord) is kept busy all during your waking hours. The only time your nervous system gets a chance to take it easy is when you sleep. Plenty of sleep helps to keep the nervous system healthy.

Follow these three:

1. Get the most out of your daily meals.
2. Keep your skin clean.
3. Balance work with rest and play.

You will always find Helen Health is your friend!

**Hoop Stars Are Chosen**

The outstanding players of the 1954-55 basketball campaign have been chosen. These boys were chosen by their fellow teammates for their outstanding ability and team play. Each boy played hard, strove to win but took defeat when it came his way.

Those chosen for the first team were Howard Spruill, Upperclass; Bill Strickland, Sophomore; Dan Godby, Sophomore; Harry Evans, Upperclass; and E. C. Rose, Upperclass.

The second team was Ray Pettitt, Freshmen; Eddie Whittington, Freshmen; Bob Bellville, Freshmen; Joe Finger, Sophomore; and Jim Matthews, Sophomore.

Larry Finger, Sophomore; Moody Gunter, Freshmen; Jasper White, Upperclass; and Stanley Tucker, High School, received honorable mention.

**Curtain Is Down**

Just a few weeks ago the stage was set, the actors ready and the playing started. Now the last act is over and the Sophomores were chosen as its outstanding cast, with the Upperclassmen a close second.

The basketeers from the Sophomores class finished with a 10-2 record and the Upperclass finished with an 8-4 record. It was a great season—thanks to everyone that helped to make this season a good one.

**First Place Sophomores Win Play-Off**

The first-place Sophomores defeated the cold Freshmen, to make a clean sweep of the season Championship and the play-off. The Freshmen tied the score 3-3 and never was in the game after that. Hitting only five field goals, a ten percent shooting average from the floor, the Frosh was very cold. The Sophomores pulled away and finished the game eleven points on top, 31-20.

The High School, pulling the biggest upset of the year, defeated the second place upperclassmen 37-35 in an overtime.

Eugene Campbell dumped in a 35 foot set shot, with seven seconds left on the clock, to break a 35-35 deadlock.

**Scores**

Sophomores 37 Upperclass 34  
Freshmen 40 Upperclass 38  
Sophomores 70 High School 38

**Play-Off**

**S. F.**

Freshmen 38 Upperclass 35  
Sophomores 39 High School 29

**3rd place**

High School 37 Upperclass 35 (ot)  
**Finals**  
Sophomores 31 Freshmen 20

**Alabama Club Goes to Shelby**

Friday afternoon, March 4, from 4:00 to 6:30, was the time set aside by members of the Alabama Club for an interesting time of fellowship and enjoyment. The scene of the outing was Shelby Park. Much fun and entertainment was provided for each one present as well as plenty to eat.

**Among Top Ten in Nation**

Congratulations to Don Toole, a college senior, for outstanding achievement in selling for Wear-Ever. In a recent issue of the Wear-Ever News he was listed in the Ten Top College Dealers of 1954 in the nation. They work on a commission and this is the basis on which they are chosen.

**Final Standings**

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|----------------------|----|----|
| 1. Sophomores .....  | 10 | 2  |
| 2. Upperclass .....  | 8  | 4  |
| 3. Freshmen .....    | 6  | 6  |
| 4. High School ..... | 0  | 12 |

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