

## Gifts-for-King Service To Have Music Theme

A Christmas musical program, directed by Gerald L. Woughter and David H. Heydenburk, will be the theme for the fourth annual Gifts-for-the-King service to be held Sunday, December 14, at 3:30 p.m. in the Memorial Chapel.

The program affords the opportunity for friends of the school, parents of students, alumni, and trustees, as well as students and staff members, to give material expressions of their interest in the work at Bryan. In behalf of the school President Judson Rudd will acknowledge the gifts presented by the various groups.

## BOARDING DEPT. GETS NEW 'WALK-IN COOLER'

A new "walk-in cooler" was recently added to the boarding department equipment to help relieve a congested condition in the refrigeration compartment. The cooler or refrigerator is used primarily for the storage of milk and eggs. According to Earl Williamson, comptroller and business manager, the cooler answers to a large extent the need for a deep-freeze unit, especially in providing increased facilities for refrigeration.

In order to have room for the new unit, it was necessary to expand the pantry, which is adjacent to the kitchen. Consequently, the darkroom which was located next to the pantry has been moved to a room in the north end of the first floor. More space has been provided for the darkroom and its equipment, and ample storage cabinets have been built in.

The boarding department, operated under the direction of Mrs. Erma Hill, is regularly serving meals to 240 students and staff members, a 25 per cent increase over previous figures. There are 98 students working in the department in the preparation and serving of the meals.



A trio of the Bible conference speakers (left to right, they are Rev. William Bennett, Miss Elizabeth Cridland, and Rev. Norman Hirschy) are shown with Dr. Rudd (extreme right).

## Bible Conference Challenges Staff, Students

After a week-long series of meetings, Bryan's annual Bible conference closed November 2 with services in the First Baptist and First Methodist churches in Dayton.

Speakers for the conference included R. G. LeTourneau, industrialist of Longview, Texas; the Rev. Norman Hirschy, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Evans City, Pennsylvania; the Rev. Ralph Cline, a

minister in rural Methodist churches in east Tennessee; the Rev. William Bennett, until recently instructor in the Philadelphia Bible Institute and now pastor of the Grace Bible Church in Ann Arbor, Michigan; and Dr. S. B. Higgins, who is associated with the Christian Laymen's League of Chattanooga.

Two missionaries from the Sudan Interior Mission, Miss Mary S. Beam and Miss A. Elizabeth Cridland, told of their experiences as pioneer workers in the southern part of the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan.

Those who attended the conference sessions shared the view that the Spirit of God worked in a quiet but effective way throughout the conference.

Mrs. Rebecca Manuel, cashier and a graduate of 1952 who plans to go to Africa with her husband, had this to say about the conference: "I was especially blessed by the missionary messages, which were a great challenge to me. The need of the African mission field was made more real, and it has

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## SOPHOMORES PRESENT FANNY CROSBY'S SONGS IN VESPER PROGRAM

"Beloved songs of Fanny Crosby" was the theme of the vesper service presented by the sophomore class November 23.

The scene reverts to the time of the celebration of Fanny Crosby's ninety-fourth birthday. Fanny Crosby, played by Marilyn Morgan, receives many young people into her home and tells them of her work in a rescue mission. Songs, such as "Saved by Grace" and "Saviour More Than Life to Me," written by Fanny Crosby are interspersed throughout the scene.



The election is over. The young people now in college, who have lived under a Democratic, a New Deal, or a Fair Deal Administration all their lives, will soon see a Republican administration take over the reins of government, and most of them will be expecting a big change for the better. Many of us who began to wonder whether there would ever again be another party in power are still rubbing our eyes. Can it be true that another day has dawned? What will the new day bring? In the days ahead we will be asking ourselves many questions related to this change in administration. The answers will all come in the course of time.

In his newspaper column entitled "The Plowing Will Have to Be Done," Ralph McGill writes some inspired wisdom that young and old should read and heed, particularly those of us who are true Bible believers.

"Well," said the old farmer as he discussed the election, "no matter who wins, I know who is going to have to do the plowing."

"He uttered a profound truth. We will all have to keep on doing the plowing."

"A great many persons never quite understand this simple fact. They persuade themselves that if an election goes as it seems to their heart's desire it should, then all things will soon be merry as a wedding bell: wars will cease, taxes will come down, prices will be reduced, labor will cease its demands, the Negro problem of attaining full citizenship will disappear, and life will become serene and placid with wages high and the cost of living low.

"Alas, this is not true. The Russians will still be there when we open our eyes on Wednesday morning. They will be there Thursday and Friday, next week and next year! The plowing will have to go right on.

"So, the plowing will have to continue. And each of us will have to learn there is no easy remedy. The old troubles will remain. The Soviets and the problem they pose throughout the world will be with

## Tarzier Illustrates Threat of Communism; Van Hoose, Others Appear at Chapel Services

Chapel speakers during the month of November included a number of visiting speakers, as well as faculty and student programs.

To stimulate interest in the field of journalism at Bryan was the purpose of Cecil Van Hoose's appearance November 4. Mr. Van Hoose is sports editor of the **Chattanooga News-Free Press**.

The Rev. Robert Tarzier explained some of the pitfalls of Communism

### ROAST TURKEY ENRICHES THANKSGIVING BANQUET

"... Mmmm turkey!" was echoed throughout the dining hall on Thanksgiving by students, faculty members, and special Bryan guests alike, at the traditional Thanksgiving banquet.

The dining hall had a festive look with 20 double tables each decorated with an attractive centerpiece and favours. Twenty different committees, headed by an art club member, took part in the contest for first prize, each decorating one double table.

A musical program interspersed with scripture reading followed the dinner of roast turkey. Senior Jerry Manuel emceed the program and several other students supplied the special music and scripture reading. Later in the evening, the film, "Youth for the Kingdom," was shown.

Among other activities during the day was an early morning worship service sponsored by the Christian Service Association. The speaker was the Rev. C. M. Harsh, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Mission in nearby Graysville.

us yet. The plowing will never end until the last trump sounds."

All of us must sooner or later face and accept Ralph McGill's inevitable conclusion. In our case, the ministry of definite Christian education must go right on. It is our work, and if we go on right, there will be fruit year by year, and on into eternity, in and through the lives of a select group of consecrated young people.

As we face the future, shall we not look up and thank God that our calling and election is sure? Shall we not take courage, and give and work with even greater devotion and assurance of lasting results, of fruit that abides?

"Go ye therefore, and teach . . . and lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world."

JUDSON A. RUDD, President

and the significance of its threat in the world today in a talk November 5. Present director of the Nordic Mission, Mr. Tarzier, who was formerly pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Riga, Latvia, escaped persecution at the hands of the Communists and came to America in 1946. His home is now in Knoxville, Tennessee.

The Rev. Frank Pickering, a missionary on furlough from Bolivia, South America, told of his experiences while working among the uncivilized Indian tribes of that country. Mr. Pickering, who spoke November 6, just completed 19 years of service in Bolivia. His son, Wilbur, is a freshman at Bryan this year.

A missionary under the Foreign Missionary Society of the Brethren Church, the Rev. Hill Maconaghy, spoke in chapel November 12. He is on furlough from mission work in Argentina, South America.

Founder of the Biblical Research Society, Dr. David Cooper of Los Angeles, California, brought the message November 15. Dr. Cooper, whose ministry is among the Jews, is editor of the **Biblical Research Monthly**, a periodical published especially for reaching the Jewish people for Christ.

Pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church in Chattanooga, the Rev. W. Earl Stevens was speaker November 21.

### DISTRICT BANKERS HOLD SESSIONS ON BRYAN HILL

The East Tennessee Bankers Association held its thirty-first annual meeting on Bryan Hill October 16 as guests of the Dayton Bank and Trust Company. A full program was planned for the afternoon and a banquet was served in the evening. James D. Arrington, publisher of the **News-Commercial** of Collins, Mississippi, was the main speaker for the banquet which was served in the university dining hall to 165 guests.

In the afternoon, the program included speeches by J. H. Anderson, president of the Park National Bank of Knoxville, George W. Thorogood, executive vice-president of the Merchants Bank of Cleveland, and E. L. Tipps, Rhea County agent, who spoke on the "Agricultural Outlook."

## Alumni Choose Project; New Missionaries Sail

In a recent ballot, the Bryan Alumni Association voted to adopt the building of an athletic field as its 1952-53 project. The field, upon completion, will provide regulation size areas for football and softball, as well as a cinder track. Location of the field is to be in the north sector of the campus northwest of the Octagon dormitory.

More than \$3,500 was donated by the alumni during the past two years for the purchase of 101 steel doors for the Memorial Building.

During the month of October, several Bryan alumni sailed from the United States for the foreign mission field. Charles and Betty Taber are now in Seine-et-Oise, France, since leaving the states October 17. Mr. and Mrs. Taber graduated with the class of 1951 and are engaged in further study preparatory to mission service in French Equatorial Africa under the Foreign Missionary Society of the Brethren Church.

October 18, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Murphey and their son, David, boarded a ship for Nazareth, Israel, where they are serving under the foreign mission board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Mrs. Janice Goehring, who is serving with Mid-Missions, an independent Baptist board, arrived in Japan October 25, and is now engaged in a study of the Japanese language.

### FOUR MAKE DEAN'S LIST IN FIRST HALF-QUARTER

Members of the sophomore and junior classes comprised the Dean's List, which requires a 2.5 or "A" average, for the first half of the fall quarter.

Those on the list and their averages were, Martha Sheffield, sophomore, 2.676; Betty Starring, junior, 2.642; Joseph Henry, sophomore, 2.566; and Nadine Schick, junior, 2.5.

The Honor List, composed of those ranking in the upper 10 per cent of the student body, included Alice McLeod, Lowell Harris, Fayth Ann Conner, Ralph Maynard, William Lanning, Howard Addleman, Janice Brown, Richard Cornelius, G. Earl Hamilton, Dianne Lindgren, John Edleston, Marilyn Steinberger, Robert Clouse, Joeann Enyart, Jesse Deloe, Bessie Degerman, James Gould, Verena Bender, Joyann Conlan, Dorothy Underwood, Fred Donehoo, and Audrey Mayer.



C.S.A. governs numerous activities as seen by the above illustrations. The pictures are (1) A typical group of children reached by workers in the schools; (2) Bryan fellows conducting a street meeting; (3) Fred Donehoo, one of several student pastors; (4) Children at Carp school, which is served by C.S.A.; (5) Mary Grover telling a story to her colored Bible class.

## Initial C.S.A. Program Places 200 Students In Christian Work; 3,000 Contacted Regularly

In cooperation with the churches and schools in Rhea County and surrounding areas, the Christian Service Association has again offered its facilities to Bryan students for Christian service work.

During the first half of the fall quarter, more than 200 students were placed in Christian service with regular contacts averaging 3,000 weekly.

Every Monday morning, 98 students with their Bibles, flannel-graph boards, and other materials drive off to hold chapel services in 21 public schools. Nearly 2,700 children hear the gospel in these schools which range in size from little two-room buildings to modern plants with several hundred children.

Five children have made a profession of faith in the twenty Child Evangelism classes which meet weekly in the community of Dayton. The classes, for either white or colored children, are held on Sunday afternoons in private homes which have been opened for such groups. Here 200 children receive instruction concerning the Chris-

tian life as given out by 56 workers.

During the first half-quarter, the 12 street meeting workers personally spoke to an average of 61 people each week. The group plans the services in a different community each Sunday afternoon.

An average of 17 contacts are being made at the Rhea County jail in Dayton each week. Six students are participating in this work, which has resulted in one confession of Christ. Cottage prayer meetings, held especially in the homes of the sick, average 14 in attendance each week, and three regularly visit the two local hospitals.

In a gospel testimony that has resulted in a great number of confessions of Christ as Savior, a group conducts chapel services each Sunday evening at the Negro Agricultural Training School several miles north of Pikeville in neighboring Bledsoe county. There are usually 180 negro boys at the school, and, according to those who direct the services, the boys often thank the Lord in their prayers for sending these people to tell them about

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## MARYVILLE TRIUMPHS IN INVITATIONAL MEET

The first Annual Bryan Invitational Cross-Country meet was held on a recently laid out 3.8 mile course, Saturday, November 8. Five schools competed for the two trophies awarded at the conclusion of the race: a large one for the winning team and a smaller one for the second place team. In addition to the trophies, 10 ribbons were presented to the first 10 finishers.

John Hale from Maryville College in Tennessee strided the distance in a winning time of 19:52. With the sturdy backing of his teammates he and the other Maryville boys recorded a smashing victory with 31 points.

Their nearest competitor was the Berea College, Kentucky, team with 67 points. The University of the South placed a very close third with 68 points, followed with Bryan and Berry Schools with 77 and 111 respectively. Ribbon winners for Bryan were Everett Boyce and Don Walker, who finished sixth and eighth.

## Senior Men Capture Football Championship; Sophomore Girls Place First in Speedball

Intramural competition between the men's football and women's speedball teams came to a climactic end early in November. The final football games were played Novem-

ber 3 with the champion seniors defeating the last place freshmen by a score of 34 to 2, and the sophomores overcoming the juniors 12 to 8 to maintain second place in the standings. The sophomore girls captured the honors in speedball competition by either winning or tying all their games.

Standings at the end of the season were the following:

Men (Football)	Won	Lost	Tied	Pts.	Op.
Seniors	4	0	2	110	45
Sophomores	3	1	2	87	70
Juniors	2	4	0	70	65
Freshmen	1	5	0	34	121
Women (Speedball)					
Sophomores	4	0	2	38	22
Juniors	3	2	0	24	22
Freshmen	2	3	1	26	24
Seniors	0	4	1	14	34

Post-season games in football were scheduled with Tennessee Temple College November 15 and 24; the traditional North versus South battle was staged at the Rhea Central High School stadium Thanksgiving Day in Dayton.

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Jesus. Each of the converts has been given a copy of the gospel according to John and three have memorized the entire third chapter of John to earn Bibles. Recently a one-half hour weekly Bible class was started in each of the school's six grades.

Several C.S.A. members hold positions as student and assistant pastors, youth directors, and leaders of various church and other Christian groups.

### October Financial Report

Operating	\$ 2,320.09
Building	1,027.40

Total October gifts .....\$ 3,347.49

### FISCAL YEAR TOTALS

(June 1, 1952 to Oct. 31, 1952)

Operating	
(Budget \$20,000)	\$13,924.19
Building	17,169.39

Total gifts to Nov. 1 .....\$31,093.58

### Christ Above All

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### BIBLE CONFERENCE

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caused Jerry and me to look forward with more zeal to the time when we, too, will be serving the Lord there."

Miss Lois Weyhe, registrar and instructor in English, gave her impression of the conference in the following words: "The Lord's leading in the choice of speakers for the Bible conference this year was very evident in that we had a balance in the teaching of the Word, the devotional inspiration for daily living, and the missionary challenge."

Joanne Simon, a sophomore from Wheaton, Illinois, gave this testimony: "I think the Lord blessed us especially well with Bible expositors. The Word was not presented in an emotional way but in a quiet working of the Holy Spirit."



Dean D. W. Ryther (left) welcomes R. G. LeTourneau just after he and Mrs. LeTourneau have alighted from their plane at the Dayton airfield.