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## 1961 Cumberland Echoes Are Presented

### Music Department Announces Programs

#### Choir

The Madison College Choir, under the direction of Patricia Silver, will present its final concert of the year on Friday night, May 26, at the vesper service. Composed of 50 members, the choir has appeared in the various Seventh-day Adventist churches in the Nashville area, during the school year. Several weekend tours have also been made, one to the Louisville, Kentucky, area, and the other to the Birmingham, Alabama, area. Alternating with the Academy Choir and the Elementary School Junior Choir, the College Choir has regularly provided music and responses for the College Church throughout the past school year.

Some of the anthems to be presented at its closing concert are "Jesus, Our Lord, We Adore Thee," by James; "Go Not Far From Me, O God," by Zingarelli; "Deep River," arranged by Cooke; "Call to Remembrance," by Far-rant; and many other outstanding selections. Mrs. Edna Thornton will appear as violin soloist and the Cornet Trio will present several numbers. Mary Lou Sullins, choir accompanist, will be at the organ, and Maggie Harms will be the narrator.

#### Band

The Madison College Concert Band, under the direction of Patricia Silver, will present its final concert of the school year on Saturday night, May 27. During the year the band has presented two Saturday night programs, besides appearing for College Day and at various Youth Rallies and Temperance Rallies. Several trips throughout the state of Tennessee have been made.

Numbers to be presented by the band will be "Song of Victory," by Purcell; "Celebrated Air," by Bach; "Overture Louise," by Schmidt; "Jungle Magic," by Walters; "Colonel Bogey March," by Alford; and many other selections.

The Junior Band, which is made up of students from the College Elementary School and the Madison Boulevard Elementary School

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No one's interested in classes just now. Everybody thinks the 1961 Cumberland Echoes is "the best annual we've ever had."

### Choir Plans Almost Upset Again

By ROBERT BURKS

With the memory of the big blizzard that snowbound the choir on a former trip, the choir started out at noon Friday, May 12, for the Alabama tour, confident that nothing would upset plans on this trip. They were headed for Birmingham, where they were to give their first program on Sabbath morning.

In February a driving snowstorm marooned the choir at Pewee Valley, Kentucky, forcing cancellation of a scheduled appearance at Bowling Green, and threw the choir a day late in coming back to school.

Although it didn't snow in Alabama, trouble came in drifts and almost upset the plans again.

Everything was going smoothly when, about one hundred miles from Nashville, one of the rear tires lost a tread. It took Mr. Kunau about an hour to get the bus rolling and once again on its way. All was going well until, about ten miles north of Huntsville, Alabama, a sudden loud noise underneath and an equally sudden loss of horsepower quickly brought the bus to a stop.

The trouble was diagnosed as major, and an S.O.S. for help was quickly dispatched to Madison Col-

lege and to the Huntsville Seventh-day Adventist church. The people of Huntsville really rolled out the welcome mat for the choir. Soon they were on the spot with cars to take all the choir members to various homes for the night.

The choir was glad to accept an invitation to appear in an unscheduled program that evening to help climax a revival meeting. The regular meeting was postponed till Sunday night, and the choir was given the entire evening for a much-appreciated program.

On Sabbath morning Mr. Herman arrived from Madison, driving the Highland Academy bus, which had been procured to rescue the choir. The choir was once again off for Birmingham. The Sabbath morning program was very successful and brought many compliments. Sabbath afternoon the program was repeated at Sheffield, where the group was again warmly received.

On Saturday night the Sheffield church treated the entire group to an outdoor picnic on the bank of a beautiful lake about twenty miles from Sheffield. There were boating and swimming and plenty of strawberries.

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By MARJORIE HANCOCK

Beating drums, blowing horns, and clanging tambourines—it was a strange cavalcade that paraded single file down the center aisle of the chapel just as everyone was about to leave on Wednesday, May 10.

As the procession reached the front, someone shouted above the clamor, "The 1961 Cumberland Echoes are here!"

Applauding greeted the announcement, which became more intense as the first copy of the beautiful 1961 yearbook was held high.

The first copy was presented to Elder and Mrs. R. E. Stewart, to whom this year's annual is dedicated. Then the academy officially presented the second copy to Mr. Vito Fragola, to whom the academy section is dedicated. A beautiful spray of flowers was presented to Mrs. Watson, the sponsor, for her excellent work in directing the preparation and publication of the 1961 yearbook.

When chapel was dismissed, the students rushed for the doors and out to the campus where the annuals were distributed. As the books were opened, such compliments as "It's beautiful!" and "The best we've ever had!" were heard. Everyone agrees that the 1961 Cumberland Echoes is indeed a beautiful book, deserving all the compliments it is receiving.

Thanks and congratulations go to the annual staff, their sponsor, the photographers, and the advertisers, whose hard work, efforts, and financial support have produced a publication that everyone will long enjoy and be proud of.



Carolyn Cothren, Frances McKee, and Mary Ellen Young enjoy the new Cumberland Echoes.

## EDITORIAL

### Time for Everything?

One of the hardest things to do at school is to find time to take an active part in extracurricular activities and at the same time devote sufficient time to class work. Sometimes it seems that there is just not enough time to help support the various organizations. This situation presents quite a problem.

The ASMC, the MADISONIAN, the yearbook, the MV Society, and several other active school functions need willing hands to carry on their programs. It is very difficult to find someone who is willing to assume a share of the responsibility of carrying them on. Many who are willing and capable simply cannot do it because they are loaded down with classes and work.

It is true that a student must have time to study. He must also take time for classes, work, eating, and sleeping. With most of us this leaves only a small amount of time for personal relaxation, which is important to a well-rounded life.

Perhaps the solution to the problem is to budget our time to the more important things. Knowing how to budget time is necessary to success in performing the duties of this life. Also, we must give an account to Heaven for the use of every minute of our time.

Whatever our program, we should try to take an active part in some school function. The personal satisfaction of having contributed to school life will outweigh any sacrifice of time. We are in college only once. Everything we can do to build up school life will not only help to develop our character but also bring many happy memories later in life. R.B.

## Up Down Campus And The

By BERTHA WAY KING

Sunlight filtered through the wind-tossed leaves and cast hourly shadows on the campus sun dial. . . and having a hard time keeping up with the time was Marjorie Hancock who asked, "What day is this, Wednesday or Thursday?" . . . Time was giving Probie Carolyn Cothren trouble, too, when her nurse's watch became "ill." . . . Seen: John Aitken and John Sellars carrying a SLOW sign. . . . Audrey Myers is being helpful as an assistant to the chaplain and was especially helpful on Mother's Day as she delivered carnations to sick mothers. . . . It was good to hear the cheery voice of Eugene Post calling to his wife from his hospital window. . . . And David Lima singing "The Wonder of It All" to a dear former teacher, James G. Rimmer, who is a patient on General. . . . Sue Vestal pauses in her busy schedule to smell a Peace rose. . . . The seconds and minutes tick away on the library clock and the shadows deepen on the sun dial. . . . Another quarter has nearly ended.

## Alumni News

A letter from Mrs. Robert Devlin (Doris Leatherman, Class of '60) brings us up to date on her family and also gives us some news about Madisonites. She tells of the arrival of Gregory Bryan Devlin, born March 6, on her parents' twenty-eighth wedding anniversary. He was born at Woodward, Oklahoma, and weighed 7 pounds, 8½ ounces. Writing from 2001 E. Main Street, Enid, Oklahoma, she says: "Bob is in school at Phillips University finishing his pre-dentistry this summer. I am working at St. Mary's Hospital on O.B., 3-11."

She tells of hearing from Alice Surdahl, Class of '60, who is working at Porter Sanitarium and Hospital in Denver. Also, she informs us that Alyce (Williams) Sisk, Class of '59, and David Sisk are living in Ft. Worth, Texas. Alyce is working in surgery and David is taking lab training.

Beverly (Hegstad) Bottsford, Class of '59, and husband Ronald will be moving to Andrews University upon Ronald's graduation from the Ministerial Course at SMC this year. After Ronald's year of graduate study the Bottsfords will come back to the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference, where they have been employed.

Marilyn Blackwelder and Zoe Cruzen Martin have successfully passed the National Board Examination in Medical Records and are now accredited record technicians. Marilyn will be leaving in June for a new position in the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital.

## Starch and Stripes

The Public Health Class and the Foundation and Trends Class recently toured the Dupont Cellophane plant. It was certainly interesting to all to see a piece of cellophane made right before their eyes. Dr. Lawrence, from the medical team of the plant, gave a summary of the functions of their Medical Clinic, which has a staff of six nurses covering a 24-hour day.

The School of Nursing is proud for the representation of our students in the T.A.S.N. (Tennessee Association of Student Nurses) Marlow Coppage was recently elected president of District Three and Patsy Adkins was elected second vice-president. Madison is proud to have its students hold these major offices.

Our sincere sympathy goes to Faye King on the recent death of her little nephew.

Eight junior and senior nurses are affiliating at the Children's Hospital in Cincinnati this quarter. They are Henry Bedford, Julius Piper, Margaret Casillas, Norma Forrester, Carolyn Holder, Juanita Mercado, Shirley Zinke, and Lily Cabansag.

## Future Events

May 19, Vespers—Mr. Gulley  
May 20, Sat. night—Outdoor Activities  
May 22, Chapel—Music Department  
May 24, Chapel—History Department  
May 26, Vespers—Choir Program  
May 27, Sat. night—Band Program  
May 29, Chapel—Speech Class  
May 31 Chapel—Mr. Lynd  
June 1, Academy Class Night  
June 2, Vespers—Academy Consecration  
June 3, Sat. night—Academy Commencement

## College Purchases Apartment House

The college has recently purchased the large apartment building across Larkin Springs Road on Sanitarium Drive known as the Kinsey Apartments.

The eight units in the building, ranging from single rooms to three-room apartments, will ease the housing situation by furnishing housing for workers and students.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kinsey, now in their eighties, came to Madison in 1925, and until their retirement were actively connected with the institution. Mr. Kinsey was connected with the engineering and plumbing departments. Mrs. Kinsey was at one time in charge of the laundry.

The Kinseys are spending some time with their son in Boise, Idaho, before deciding where to live.

The Madison Boulevard Church, of which they are charter members, honored them at a gathering on Saturday night, April 22, presenting them with a farewell gift.

## Summer Quarter

June 19 — August 18

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Band—from p. 1

will also present a group of numbers on this program. Several joint numbers will be performed by the College Band and the Junior Band. Another high light of the evening will be the joining of the College and Academy Choirs to present "This Is My Country," "Stouthearted Men," and "Battle Hymn of the Republic."

Choir—from p. 1

The trip home was uneventful, and sometime after midnight the bus lazily pulled into the parking lot at Madison. Tired, sleepy choir-members groped their way through the darkness to their rooms, thankful to be home again after two days of unusual excitement and activity.





A scene from the skit, "Take a Letter." Left to right: David Grogg, Charline Ward, Lucy Courter, Deanna West, Pat Runion, Carlotta Torres, Imelda Gutierrez

You'd better know how to spell, capitalize, and punctuate if you want a secretarial job in the office of Mr. David Grogg Holmes.

So the eager and over-confident applicants in the skit put on at chapel on May 10 discovered as they interviewed the boss.

The skit, "Take a Letter," put on by the Secretarial Department, gave a glimpse of the training and skills necessary for a good secretary. Applicants for the positions of filing clerk and typist also demonstrated their skills or lack of skills.

There were also other applicants whose appearance and attitudes were good illustrations of what not to do if one wants to get a job. Some of these were Miss Giggles, Miss Overdresser, Miss Know-it-all, Miss Sloppy Joe, Miss Bobby Soxer, Miss Glamour Girl, and Dreamy Dora.

Forty academy and college students took part in the program.

The skit was under the direction of Mrs. Eusey, head of the Secretarial Department, and her assistant, Lucy Courter.

## Students, Teachers Help Put Up Cave Springs Ad Building

A group of teachers and students spent Sunday at Cave Springs Home School for Handicapped Children, helping in the construction of the Administration Building.

Dr. Sandborn is superintending the construction of the 30- by 75-foot brick veneer building, for which practically all the materials and labor have been donated. According to Nashville builders, the building will be valued at \$25,000.

Those who spent Sunday at Cave Springs putting up ceiling and joists, doing electrical work, and working in the garden are Mr. Keplinger, Mr. Forrester, Mr. Don Martin, Walter Hileman, Eugen Domke, Gilbert Soto, Irving Titsworth, James Aoyagi, David Martin, Mr. Fred Martin, Roger Bradley, Stephen Marlowe, David White, Henry Scoggins, Paul Eirich, Pedro Perez, Mary Chisenhall, and Edna Bryant.

A large group went out again on Wednesday, picnic day, to put the roof on the building.

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## Band Goes to Memphis

The College Band of 42 members and the Academy Girls' and Boys' Ensembles will spend the weekend of May 19 and 20 in Memphis, Tennessee.

Friday night the band and choral groups will present a program of sacred music at Memphis Junior Academy. Sabbath morning various small groups will provide special music for Sabbath school and church at three different Seventh-day Adventist churches. In the afternoon the Madison groups will present music at a special youth rally. Culminating the weekend schedule will be a program of secular music to be given on Saturday night at Memphis Junior Academy.

An added feature of Saturday night's program will be several joint numbers by the Madison College Band and the Memphis Junior Academy Band. Elder Charles Edwards, former pastor of the Madison Boulevard Church, is the director of the Memphis band.

Madison musicians are looking forward to this trip with eager anticipation. The Memphis trip is the first weekend trip for the College Band to make in some time

The first annual Elementary School Music Festival was held at Highland Academy, Portland, Tennessee, on May 5 and 6.

During the past school year the church schools of the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference have organized choirs and, if possible, bands in their church schools to provide more musical experiences for their pupils. Culminating this plan is the holding of a conference-wide music festival, to be held the first weekend of May each year.

To represent the Madison College Elementary School this year were the Junior Choir, under the direction of Principal Winston Ferris, and the Junior Band, directed by Patricia Silver. One special number presented by Madison was "The Green Cathedral," by Hahn, sung by a girls' trio composed of Gayle Thornton, Juanita Cantrell, and Linda Myers. Jim Auge played Ranger's arrangement of "Carnival of Venice." The Junior Choir sang "The King of Love," by Shelly, and on Saturday night presented "You'll Never Walk Alone." The Junior Band presented Ribble's "Starter March" and "The Blue Moon Waltz."

Besides appearing separately, the groups also took part in massed numbers. The massed choir of 250 voices presented "The Prayer Perfect," by Speaks; "Praise Ye the Father," by Gounod, and "Let There Be Music," by Williams. The massed band of 40 players presented "Military Escort," "Normal March," and "Zenith Overture." The massed band and choir presented "God of Our Fathers" and "Onward Christian Soldiers." They were directed by Mrs. Silver.



"Operation Bedside" was organized as an MV project by a group of student nurses who wished to carry out the great commission by engaging in medical missionary work in the homes of the community people.

Convalescing patients going home from our hospital who had shown an interest in spiritual things or who needed help with housework or home medical care have been visited. Teams of students have entered many such homes, taking the love of Christ, the power of the Word, and the sunshine of Christian fellowship.

An elderly gentleman, during visits by a team on Sabbath afternoons, showed an interest in Bible truths and wondered how his beliefs differed from those of these young people who had cared for his dying wife in the hospital. When asked whether he would like to study the Bible, he readily assented.

Several weeks later, as the

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Do not delay, write today. The number of scholarships is limited and awards will be made early.

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## Elementary School to Have New Principal

Mr. W. D. Workman, of Battle Creek, Michigan, is the new principal of the Campus Elementary School. He will also teach grades seven and eight.

Mr. Workman takes the place of Mr. Winston Ferris, principal for the past four years, who has accepted a call to Southfield Academy, Detroit, Michigan, to teach Bible and English. Mr. Ferris will work on his master's degree during the summer.

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group of students arrived to give the study, they found a neighbor visiting and invited him to stay. This neighbor greatly enjoyed the fellowship, the singing, and the interesting slides on the Bible.

The students were surprised and pleased to learn that they knew this neighbor's mother, who had been a patient in the hospital. When they later visited her home, she, too, was interested in seeing the Bible pictures her son had told her of. Since she was still too ill to get up for long periods, she asked the students to bring the pictures to her home.

And so the gospel goes forth in this generation. To all the world? That depends on you and me. We have a commission—"to reach the people, wherever they are, and whatever their position or condition, and to help them in every way possible—this is true ministry. By such effort you may win hearts and open a door of access to perishing souls." *Ministry of Healing*, p. 156. —SUE VESTAL



## Hi-School Hi-Lites

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## Senior Sketches



Gerri Schlenker

Gerri, as she is known here, is five feet, three and one-half inches tall and has brown hair and hazel eyes. Although this is her first year at Madison, she has made many friends and is well liked. Her charming personality and cheerfulness make her an asset to the class and to the school. Gerri was born in Kansas, now lives in Tennessee, plans to go to Florida, but still clearly states that her home is in Minnesota. She is a member of the Academy Choir as well as the Girls' Ensemble.

Pet peeve: People who compliment you and don't mean it.

Hobby: Singing and drawing

Favorite food: Pizza and watermelon

Ambition: To be a dietitian



Betty Lee

Betty, the only member of our class who can claim the possession of a twin sister, is five feet, two and one-half inches tall and has pretty green eyes and long, light-brown hair. Her pleasing personality and friendly smile, together with her other characteristics, make her a very likable senior. She has been in thirty-two different states, but still claims California as her home. Although she is busy, as all seniors are, she still found time during the first semester to sing in the Academy Choir.

Pet peeve: People who talk about things they know nothing about

Hobby: Sewing, horseback riding

Favorite food: Banana cream pie

Ambition: Undecided

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## Happy Birthday, Mr. Fragola

Tuesday, when Mr. Fragola came to class, he found the sophomore class talking when he thought they should have been studying. They began behaving so badly that "he really bawled us out," as one said. Since they seemed to "know so much," he decided to give them a quiz. After he said the all-too-familiar words, "Take out a paper and pencil; question one," the class began singing "Happy Birthday" to him—all, that is, but Wanda Scoggins, who said she was "too scared (of the quiz) to sing." Wednesday would actually have been his birthday, but since that was picnic day, the sophomores thought Tuesday would be a nice day for a birthday party for him. They all thoroughly enjoyed themselves, ate cake, ice cream, and the rest to their capacity, and still had some food left.

But, such a look of surprise no one had ever seen, as the one on Mr. Fragola's face soon after American Government class began. A few of the members were missing, but apparently he didn't think much about the fact. After prayer, these missing members came rushing into class with more cake and ice cream and five gallons of root beer. At the same time they were singing "Happy Birthday." The look on Mr. Fragola's face was a complete betrayal of his surprise and amazement. The senior class, too, enjoyed giving him a surprise party. We're sure he got his fill of "partying" for one day.

Anyway, happy birthday to you, Mr. Fragola. J.B.

## Juniors and Seniors Hold Picnic

A busful of expectant juniors and seniors left the campus at 5:30 a.m., Wednesday, May 3, for their annual picnic at Kentucky Lake. As always, they had loads of fun enroute to their destination.

They arrived at Paris Landing about 8:30, and the boys immediately engaged in a softball game, the juniors against the seniors. The seniors were up first because they were the guests of the juniors. However, that didn't seem to help them much, as the seniors didn't score a single point, and the juniors did quite well.

Later, at the girls' game, the juniors got the wind taken out of their sails when the junior girls couldn't make even one point! Someone made the remark that the junior boys should play the senior girls!

All were quite tired after the ball games; so they really enjoyed the good food they had for dinner and the chance to rest a few minutes.

In the early afternoon they took

advantage of the sun to go swimming and boating. Some played tennis and badminton. About four o'clock everyone gathered for another ball game which lasted until suppertime. Again the senior boys were beaten by the juniors, but this time they managed to make a couple of runs.

It was getting pretty chilly by supper time, and everyone enjoyed eating around the fireplace. A marshmallow roast climaxed the supper. The seniors agreed that the juniors are pretty good cooks.

Before leaving, a short worship was held, at which several who had attended the Bible Conference told about their experiences.

On the return trip the travelers looked much different from the way they looked when they left. As a whole they were a pretty tired, dusty, and sunburned group. All agreed that it had been a wonderfully happy and exciting day. J.T.

## Class of 1961 Soon to Graduate

Graduation is just a few short days away for the academy. The seniors are realizing that there is much to be accomplished by June 1-3.

Committees are busy planning and working to make the weekend a perfect weekend—what each senior is looking forward to.

Class night comes Thursday night at 8:00 p.m. At the consecration service on Friday evening Elder W. E. Dopp, MV secretary of the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference, will be the speaker. Chaplain John Keplinger, brother of Principal Harold Keplinger, the class

sponsor, will deliver the commencement address. Chaplain Keplinger has just returned from thirteen months with the armed forces in Korea.

Name cards, pictures, and memory books mean autograph time—the time for putting in writing the memories that will last us a lifetime. Such activities are very evident among the members of the Class of '61.

Principal—from p. 3

Mr. Workman is presently teaching grades seven and eight in the Battle Creek Academy grade school. Before coming to Battle Creek he taught in California in the elementary field for a number of years. Mrs. Workman, also a teacher, will take graduate work at Peabody this coming year.

It is interesting to learn that Mr. Workman is a great-great grandson of Mrs. E. G. White. Mrs. Workman is a sister of Kenneth Knight, formerly of the campus and now residing at Ridge-top.

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