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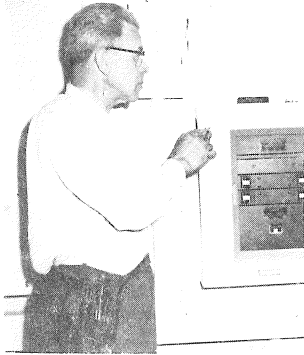
## *Class of 1958*



Front row, left to right: John Brumbaugh, B. S.; Esther Chesebro, A. B.; Frances Cooper, A. B.; Albert Yost, A. B.; Robert Marcellino, A. B. Second row: Clifton Miller, A. B.; G. Paul Wyland, Class Advisor; Joe Raymer, A. B.; Glen Greenwood, A. B.; Lane Moody, A. B. Third row: Edward Mawhorter, B. S.; Elmer Evans, A. B.; James Erskin, A. B.; Maurice Stone, A. B. Back row: John Abuhl, A. B.; Richard Wentzel, B. S.; Jerry Thornton, A. B.; Keith Coakley, A. B. Mr. Greenwood also received the Th. B. degree.

## Mr. William B. Patterson, Sr.

### - A Trustee With "Faith and Works"



A familiar person on the campus of Cedarville College is one who not only serves on the Board of Trustees but also has worked many Saturdays and used part of his vacations doing electrical work without charge to the college.

He is Mr. William B. Patterson, Sr., Parma, Ohio, who is presently wiring the new college dormitory and also making improvements in the entire electrical system.

As general foreman for the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company for nearly thirty-four years, Mr. Patterson has charge of service installations, street light maintenance, and overhead maintenance. He is now in his fortieth year of electrical work.

With this background of electrical knowledge and experience, he was named as chairman of the college buildings committee. His task is to keep watch over the buildings and make recommendations for improvements.

One such suggestion by Mr. Patterson will save many dollars in annual operating expenses.

When the Baptists received ownership of the college in 1953, several changes were in evidence. One thing necessary was the rewiring of the electrical system to eliminate excess meters, thereby obtaining lower rates for electricity. Sixteen separate meters were then used, which meant that each meter had a minimum rate plus a higher rate per unit of kilowatt power.

Mr. Patterson saw that more meters were used than was necessary and suggested connecting several buildings to one meter. This would eliminate the minimum rate; each meter would reach a point quicker each month where rates per kilowatt usage was lower.

Since Mr. Patterson has been working on this project for quite some time, six meters now replace the original sixteen. This results in a substantial saving during the year.

Mr. Patterson drives from Cleveland, Ohio, a distance of 185 miles one way, Friday afternoon after work. He works on the wiring all day Saturday, then drives back Sunday afternoon after church. His son, William Patterson, Jr., Mid-Missions missionary in Slemp, Kentucky, and graduate of Cedarville College has also helped during his vacations.

Why does he give so much of his time freely for this work?

"I believe the Lord gave us Cedarville College and will supply the necessary funds so the Regular Baptists can have a good liberal arts college," Mr. Patterson said. "The college can train young people to go out in secular work as well as Christian service and to be led of the Lord to support the Regular Baptist

churches. Through these churches they can support the missionaries who have been called into full-time service.

"I am willing to do anything within my power to help build a school of which we will all be proud," he continued; "one that will be a credit to the GARBC and to the friends of the school."

Mr. Patterson also has two daughters: Mrs. Bruce Turnbull, wife of the professor of science at Cedarville College; and Mrs. Norman Getty, Lorain, Ohio, who attended Cedarville College and now works in a bank.

## Cedarville Grad Teaches In Michigan



Miss Shirley Shirley, from Cleveland, Ohio, teaches seventh graders English, history, geography and a general music course. A 1957 graduate of Cedarville College, she is teaching in Banks Township Public School, Ellsworth Michigan.

"Some boys do not have an appreciation of music," she said, "but I enjoy teaching the subject." She has been teaching this year with a special teacher's certificate.

Western Reserve University has accepted her application, and she plans to do summer graduate work in English there. Six hours of graduate work are required for her to continue teaching next year. She plans to get the required courses

and then be able to teach in other states.

While attending Cedarville College, Miss Shirley majored in English and minored in education. She was active in the college choir and was its accompanist one year. In her senior year, at graduation ceremonies, she was awarded the music trophy. This trophy is awarded each year to the student, selected by the music faculty, who has shown the most outstanding musical achievement during the school year.

When asked whether she felt inadequate as compared to her fellow teachers, she replied, "In my own teaching I don't feel adequate, but that is usually the same feeling encountered by beginning teachers. However, I feel definitely the training I received in Cedarville College was fully sufficient. If a student 'puts his nose to the grindstone,' the courses are complete; he will receive proper training."

Miss Shirley was a member of the Music Master Society while attending college. This society is the honor group of the music department. Those selected are chosen on the basis of class rank, ability, cooperation, service to the group, and, above all, willingness to make personal sacrifice in order to serve the Lord.

Dear Friends of Cedarville College:

There were 667 individuals who "joined the caravan to Cedarville" on May 14th. when the GARBC conference met in Columbus. To all of you who visited our campus on that day we say, "Thank you for coming. Come back again real soon." Many of our visitors expressed delight at what Cedarville has to offer our young people. We hope all of them went home with a greater prayer burden for their college.

Almost every day now we are receiving applications from young people who plan to enter college next fall. The enrollment is way ahead of any previous year at this time. We are praying and working for 100 new students by September 10th. Will you pray and work with us?

On April 23rd. we sent a letter to over 9,000 people who have an interest in our college. At that time we informed you that we would need \$25,000 in order to pay our bills at the end of this semester. A few of you have mailed your gifts directly to the college, others have given through the churches. We are grateful for all who have responded to this appeal but we must hear from many more of our friends if this need is to be met.

As of May 26th we need \$18,000 to pay our bills. Will you use the envelope stapled to this BULLETIN and give through your local church or send it directly to the college. Thank you very much for your prayerful and sacrificial giving.

Vacation time is always difficult for our Christian schools. There is no student income during the summer months. Then, too, when we take vacations there is a tendency to forget that faculty and staff salaries in our schools must be met just the same. Money must also be available to complete plans for the fall semester. By all means take a vacation but don't forget your college when you do!

Of our God it can be said, "Great is thy faithfulness." Therefore we can say, "The Lord is my portion...therefore will I hope in Him." We shall trust Him.

Sincerely in Christ,

*James T. Jeremiah*  
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