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# WHISPERING CEDARS

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### WHISPERING CEDARS INTERVIEW REV. AND MRS. LOCKERBIE

From the First Baptist Church in Buffalo, N. York, in September, Rev. Lockerbie and his wife came to become our field directors. They now live in Cedarville on Bridge Street. The Lockerbies have two children, one boy and one girl. Their daughter is in Brooklyn, N. Y. where she is completing her Nurses' Training at Methodist Hospital. Their son is teaching at the Stony Brook High School on Long Island. He has a choir and teaches English.

Mrs. Lockerbie, because of her husband's long absences for long periods of time, will soon go to live with her daughter in Brooklyn.

Finally with his family taken care of, we will turn to Rev. Lockerbie. Rev. Lockerbie has held meetings promoting our school in all the neighboring states, Michigan, Illinois, New York, and Pennsylvania. His meetings have been well attended and the in-

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### CONCERT TO BE GIVEN THURS. BY COLLEGE CHAPEL CHOIR THEME IS BIRTH OF CHRIST

On Thursday evening, December 19, the Cedarville College Chapel choir, under the direction of William P. Ambrose, will present its annual Christmas Concert. The program will be held in the college chapel.

The program, centered around a narration of the story of Christ's birth, will include such numbers as "Let Carols", "Lately We Wait", the "Hallelujah Chorus." It will also include such carols as "Silent Night," "Away in a Manger," and "The First Kings."

The narration will be given by Mr. Glenn W. King

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GIFTS

To judge a person by his dress, mannerisms and social aptitude is not an accurate practice. However we are forced to admit that evaluating a person by outward appearance constantly occurs. By such evaluation one not only judges the personality of another, but he also forms an opinion of the other's belief, association, and ideals. We cannot overlook this attitude simply because we claim that it is not an exact method of evaluation. We must face it! We must arouse ourselves to recognize that our Christianity is appraised by others through our appearance.

There has been a despe-  
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A "gift." That is certainly a common expression. Many and varied are the kinds, however. Some gifts are given with the express purpose of receiving a gift in return. This undoubtedly will happen many times this Christmas. Another type of gift is the "have to" kind when a gift is received which necessitates a return gift. This, too, will occur this "holiday season." Then there is a third kind which desires to honor the person to whom the gift is given. The gifts of the wisemen were for the purpose of honoring the Son of God. Notice the corruption and degeneration that has taken place. The gifts were to Christ for His honor while today the Christmas gifts which are supposed to have their origin in this account are given to friends for kindred purposes.

A distinct and different gift from all of these is the "free gift" of Romans 5:15 which has no strings attached. This gift flows from the heart of Divine Love and is based purely on His Sovereign grace.

GRADUATE RETURNS TO  
ALMA MATER AS PROFESSOR  
OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Dale Thomson, Professor in Science, returns to school to teach. Mr. Thomson, a graduate of Cedarville College, returned this year to the school campus not as a student but as a professor. In Mr. Thomson's absence from the school he became a husband and a father. Mr. Thomson's wife is the former Virginia Starr. The Thomsons have a son seven months old, whom they call "Scotty."

Before coming to Cedarville Mr. Thomson attended Fenn College for one year and then received his B. S. degree from Cedarville College in 1956. Mr. Thomson, while at Cedarville was president of the student council, participated in baseball and basketball. Also, in the way of christian service, he sang in the choir and in the school quartet.

In the coming months Mr. Thomson will be working on his M. S. in Zoology.

May Mr. Thomson's coming back to his alma mater strengthen the school's testimony for our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE IN  
AUDIO-VISUAL AID ROOM

Last year some energetic faculty members, namely Mr. Wyland, converted the East room of the third floor in the Ad Building into an Audio-Visual aid room. This room was darkened to make it possible to show films.

Just recently new improvements have been added. Seventy-one theater seats have been installed to provide comfort for the viewers. The projector has been placed on an elevated platform in the rear of the room so that the light of the projector will not interfere with the vision of the students. They placed a cabinet in the room for film storage.

Contemplated future improvements include a new electrical receptacle to be placed in the back of the room and curtains for coustical purposes.

BEAT BLUFTON

GIFTS - - -

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This gift is no less than Jesus Christ. The Son of God became the Son of Man that the sons of men might become the sons of God. Have you thanked God for this "unspeakable gift" today?

Tuesday-----The Christmas Formal and play will be held in the Cedarville High School Auditorium at 6:30 P.M.

Thursday--The Chapel Choir will give a Christmas program of music in the Chapel at 7:30 P.M.

The evening will close with Christmas Caroling to homes in the community.

### HOW TO STUDY

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Be careful of their insidious propaganda! Cramming is clearly the only sensible way to study. But beware! Even cramming can be overdone. When you cram, be sure you are good and relaxed. Before you start, eat a hearty dinner. Then get a date and go out and eat another hearty dinner. Enjoy the peaceful pleasure it affords and don't go home till you're properly relaxed.

Once at home, stay relaxed. Do not, however, fall asleep. This is too relaxed. To insure wakefulness, choose a chair that is not too comfortable, e.g., a chair with nails pointing up through the seat. But now you need light. Use a candle: its cheaper than electri-

Read your textbook in a slow, relaxed manner. Do not underline because it reduces the resale value of the book. Always keep your books in prime resale condition for you never know when you'll need get-away money.

As you read, no doubt you will come across many things you don't understand, but don't panic. Relax. Remove a callus, or go out and catch some night crawlers.

Relax! Live! Enjoy! Remember - any number of people have bachelor's degrees, but only a precious few have poise!

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LOCKERBIE---

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and effects have been excellent. He sees young people come to Christ and rededicate their lives to Future service for the Lord. Right now he is in Elton N.Y. holding meetings. At the close of February Rev. Lockerbie will go to the west coast in the states of California, Washington, and Idaho until April.

Let's pray that the Lord will abundantly provide for and bless Rev. Lockerbie as he serves Him in this capacity.

ate failure on our part when a person who is dressed untidily, distastefully and unstylishly can be earmarked as a believer in orthodox Christianity.

Poverty can be an excuse for occasion ally wearing out-of-date apparel. But, habitual uncleanliness and untidiness is unexcusable under any circumstance.

Therefore let us make the art of good appearance a vital aspect of our college career, for all our newly acquired intelligence and our inward spirituality may come to nought before the scrutinizing eye of the world if we fail in this point.

## CHOIR CONCERT —

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with the assistance of several male members of the choir.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

GOOD FOR A LAUGH

George Gobel: "My father told me that every musician has a girl, but only the guitar player has his pick."

We heard . . .

that Paul Van Kleek likes the student center at Ohio Northern.

that John Entner was lonesome at the game Tuesday night. We wonder why.

that the Girls' Dorm holds a special attraction for Morrie. Think so, Lucy?

that Jerry Thornton thinks that it is sheep shearing time.

that Bob Self enjoyed himself on the bus Tuesday night.

that the safe cracking was an inside job. Is that right Phyllis?

that Mr. Turnbull's desk just cannot be kept clean.

PRAY FOR OUR SCHOOLSELF LEADS JUNIOR VARSITY

The J.V.'s journeyed to Findlay. The game was pretty tight for part of the game and then the opposition broke away to score a 63-50 victory.

The high point man was Self with 17.

## SCOUTS UNBUILT TO HOLD ONTO NORTHERN IN SECOND HALF

On Saturday, Dec. 7, the Yellowjacket cagers traveled to Ohio Northern for a league contest.

In the opening minutes of the game the Blue and Gold jumped off to a 5-1 advantage. They kept hitting until they had built up a seven point lead. At this point the Ohio Northern team began to battle back until they had tied the score. Again the Yellowjackets built up a seven point edge only to have it torn down by a determined Northern squad. The half ended with the score 44-40, in favor of Northern.

The Northern team began the second half with such a surge of points that the Yellowjackets were never able to recover. When the final second ticked away and the buzzer sounded the Blue and Gold had been defeated, 99-73.

High scorer for the Yellowjackets was Moody with 21 points. High point man for both teams was Bollis, of Northern, with 23.

## J. V.'S TUSSLE

In the J.V. game against Ohio Northern, the two teams had

battled to a 2-2 tie at half, the J.V.'s succumbed to the Northern night and fast break, 61-45. High scorer for the J.V.'s was Self with 13.

## FINDLAY IN COMMAND ALL THE WAY, WINNING 83-72

Last Tuesday our cagers travelled to Findlay, Ohio, to carry the spirit of the Blue and Gold into the game with Findlay College. This was a league contest.

From the starting jump Findlay roared into command. The Yellowjackets fought gamely to overtake their leaders, but could not manage to take the lead by the first half buzzer. The score at this time read Findlay 35 and the Yellowjackets, 27.

In the third period, the Yellowjackets fought back to gain the lead for the first time during the game. Soon, however, this had escaped them and Findlay was back in command. By the end of the game the Oiler's had built an eleven point margin to down the Yellowjackets, 83-72.

High point man for the game was Wallcut with 29. High for the Blue and Gold was Moody with 23.

WE PLAY BLUFFTON TONIGHT