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THEY CEASED NOT TO TEACH AND TO PREACH JESUS CHRIST

Educators must agree that for one to learn to apply the learned at the same time is profitable. This not only applies to the intellect, but for the realm of God's work. It would be well if we looked at two college students who feel that applying what learned is of a great value.

Mr. Don Sewell is pastor of the Williamsburg Baptist Church, Williamsburg, Ohio. Situated sixty-two miles south-east from Cedarville, the church began as a chapel of the Lindale Baptist Church, Amelia, Ohio. It was organized into a local church on October 25, 1958, as the first Baptist church in this historical community. God's hand has been felt at the church to the extent of twenty professions to the Faith and a growing membership. Recently it was voted to underwrite part support of both home and foreign missions, and truly is a sign of a true indigenous assembly. Besides the regular services on Sunday there is a weekly prayer service and an organized visitation program on Thursday evening.

Another such student is Ray Shepherd who fills the position of Religious Director as the City Gospel Mission of Cincinnati.

CHRISTMAS AND TAFFY

The Gamma Chi and Alpha Chi Christmas Party, Monday, December 15, at the Xenia Reformed Church featured three Christmas films and a taffy pull. An extra added attraction of the evening was Rudolph, one of Santa's reindeer in the person of Dee Osborn. Singing, a devotional time, and refreshments made up the rest of the program for the evening.

The three films shown were "Christmas in Sweden," the "Vienna Boys' Choir" and a Christmas excerpt from Charles Dickens' "Pickwick Papers." The taffy pull proved an exciting event for the evening. Sticky, greasy fingers were all that was left when the students finished.

Grace Willetts, Lucy Lyons, Darlene Derr, and Paul Van Kleek made up the committee in charge of the party.

MY TWO FRONT TEETH?

The time has come once again when Santa must make his annual rounds. With the snow 6 feet high and the clear blue, star-studded skies above, one likes to settle down to a cozy fire-side with all of his Christmas shopping done. However, Santa's work has just begun because he has been visiting with some of the students at Cedarville College lately to ask them what they want for Christmas.

There is a wide range of gifts that have to be purchased from Bob Blumenstock's reply, "Oh, nothing," to ElDonna Coon's wish for an automatic woman to wash and iron her clothes and to clean her room. We suppose that Allen Biddle who wants a 10 lb. turkey will be so hungry that he will stuff it, roast it, and eat it all himself.

While we helpers were visiting with a few students at the lounge last week, we asked Merlin Ager what he wanted, "Oh," he replied glancing at Ruth Hinsel, "I've already got what I want." Keith Webster popped up with, "I gotta tree, I don't need anything." When we approached Grace Willetts with the question, she just giggled and said, "...but my roomie, Lucy Lyons, needs hand warmers." There was also a couple sitting at the table with stars in their eyes. Interrupting their thoughts, we asked Sandy Millikin just what she would like for Christmas. "I

really haven't thought about it much because I'm getting married two days after."

The other students on our list responded with very useful and needed items.

Tony:	Seat Covers
Bob Howder:	A Watch
Elaine Jordan:	Portable Radio
Les Webster:	New Dishwasher
Leon:	New brief case
Don Trent:	Books, I guess
Ruth Yost:	Slippers
John Enter:	House trailer
Jim Holcomb:	\$1,000 for school

Then there are those students who really desire certain things but they spend their time dreaming about them. One such person is Jo Ann Watson, "Nothing in particular...but...I would like to have some new clothes." Terry Zerby has been wishing for a long long time that someone would get him a new Zorro outfit. We stopped Lois Jeroniah in one of the halls and with a sigh she said, "Just a vacation away from Cedarville!" In the process of turning around to go, Dwayne Frank bumped into us with a broom in one hand and a wastebasket full of paper in the other hand singing, "All I want for Christmas is to be in Payton's shoes."

We were allowed to visit some of the classes so we asked Warren Woodard what he would like to have for Christmas. He looked out the window and slowly replied, "Less snow, that's all, less snow." There was one person on our list who we could not locate,

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Christian Work, cont.

Situated in the basin area, the mission extends help to the most wayward individuals and under-privileged families in the area. Meals are served each day followed by an evangelistic service. Groceries are periodically distributed to families not on welfare along with clothing. Bible clubs, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Brownie Scouts have been used extensively to reach the young people for Christ. Religious counseling is sought by many of these people with the result that many become Christians. Mrs. Marjorie Conn, Superintendent, along with the faithful help of Christian people and neighboring churches has brought the changeless story of Christ's redeeming love to many men, women, and children. It would be well for us to seek out such opportunities of service as well as remember these people and their efforts to bring others the story of Christ's salvation.

Leave God to order all thy ways,
And hope in him, what'er betide,
Thou'lt find in him, in evil days,
Thy all-sufficient strength and
guide.
Who trusts in God's unchanging
love
Builds on the rock that naught can
move.

GIRLS PLAN CHRISTMAS PARTY

The girls of Cedarville College who live in Faith Hall are planning a Christmas party. The gathering is to be in the lounge at 10:15 on Thursday evening, December 18. They will sit around the beautifully decorated Christmas tree for a time of fun and fellowship. Part of the evening will be spent singing Christmas carols. The time will then be climaxed with refreshments including Christmas cookies and punch.

My Two Front Teeth, cont.

however, before we left the Campus, we cornered Paul Van Kleeck. The only reply we could get from him was, "I'm satisfied," nodding his head in the affirmative, "and I hope every one has a married Christmas."

As for Santa's helpers and Santa himself, "A Merry Christmas to one and all, and we would like to have a smile from every person we meet in the coming New Year!"

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CEDARVILLE MEETS FINDLAY

On Friday, the Yellowjackets met the Oilers from Findlay. It was a fairly close contest for about three-fourths of the game. Cedarville played deliberate well-manouevring ball during the first half. But the Oilers seemed to to keep well ahead. The half-time score was 46-28 in favor of Findlay.

The second half was a little different. The Oilers really pulled away early in the half by a margin of thirty points. Then the Yellowjackets began to come back and our boys outscored Findlay by five points in the Second half.

It was a clean well-played game on the part of both teams. ~~Stagga~~ had 27 points; Reese had 24 points; and John Entner had 12 points. For Findlay, Polinski had 26 points; Kellner had 24 points; and Bartlomo had 12 points. Final score 91-78 in favor of the Findlay Oilers.

The J. V.'s posted their first win against five losses this season by defeating an industrial team from Janostonw. Butler was high man with 25 points.

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SELL A YEARBOOK AD

DURING CHRISTMAS VACATION

SUPPOSE

Suppose that Christ had not been born
That faraway Judean morn!

Suppose that God, whose mighty hand
Created worlds, had never planned

A way for men to be redeemed
Suppose the Wise Men only dreamed

That guiding star whose light still glows
Down through the centuries. Suppose

Christ never walked here in man's sight,
Our blessed Way, and Truth, and Light.

Suppose He counted all the cost,
And never cared that we were lost,
And never died for you and me,
Nor shed His blood on Calvary

Upon a shameful cross. Suppose
That having died, He never rose,
And there was none with power to save
Our souls from death beyond the grave!

O faraway Judean morn---
Suppose that Christ had not been born!

Nickolson

You never can tell when you do an act

Just what the result will be,
For with every deed, you are sowing a seed

Tho' its harvest you may never see.
