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Students to Share Party With Needy This Christmas

"Let's give our party to others this year," is the idea that the Student Association has planned for a party of Christmas activities, December 17.

"Instead of having an all-school party where the spirit and happiness of our student body is handed out in one place, we have decided it would be better to share it with others," commented Bill Floyd, Student Association president.

Chile have already been assigned needy families by the Student Association and to which they will individually label gifts.

After the clubs have completed their work, the plan is for everyone to meet and go to the country farm with all the gifts.

Hot chocolate will be served in the Emerald room for the group and from there he wanders down the road toward alcoholism. This year the Student Association has decided that North American undergraduate students will contribute to the spirit of the alcoholic problem. This year's program, The Robert's Executive Awards, offers $300 to those who can show the highest percentage of winning one of the many awards.

Further information as to where to send the editorial manuscript can be obtained in the Business office.

Essay Contest
On Alcoholism To Begin Soon

In America today there are more than 56 million people who drink. Of these approximately 4 million are what the medical profession would call alcoholics.

Nobody is born an alcoholic. He learns to take his first real drink. Then comes the second, and from there he wanders down the road toward alcoholism.

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Interesting Highlights Of The A Capella Chorus Trip In The Northeast...

Part of over-flow at Muscatine. Members program recorded for re-broadcast. Assorted emotions (typical bus ride). Dayton, Ohio was second performance.

Campus Players Stage Barbecue for Nearly 300

In spite of a wet weekend, which turned the usually-shady grounds into a muddy mess, 150 Campus Players, and friends, turned out for a barbecue barbecue at the college's parking lot, Monday, December 5.

Eight girls volunteered to prepare the menu and 300 hamburger patties, and the male players and dates cooked them. Unlimited by wet wood and ground, everyone waited for his turn of eating.

Tastiest part everyone was.
Safety Is No Accident!

CHARLES BURKS innocently met his death last summer while returning to Harding. The car he was riding in was hit by a car load of drunks. Be careful on your trip home.


These pictures were not placed here for fun or beauty. To the contrary, they are here to cause everyone who reads this page to stop and think. If they help make students and faculty members more safety conscious, we will feel that our purpose was accomplished.

Before you begin your long trip home for the Christmas vacation check your car thoroughly for any faulty mechanical operations. Be sure to check the nut behind the wheel.

In 1956 the age of the automobile came into its own. Congress passed a multi-billion dollar highway development program, assuring the motoring public of wider, longer, straighter roads in years to come.

Automobile manufacturers took advantage of this promise and began to fashion dreams of steel: powerful, sleek, multi-colored models with all the newest conveniences. And, the nation's drivers made certain that accident statistics came of age, too.

They killed, maimed, crippled and destroyed more men, women, children and property than ever before in the history of the automobile.

Cars spun out of control on wet, icy roads, pedestrians were struck down while trying to cross the street against the light, sleepy, tired or drunk drivers gambled their reflexes against their lives... or the lives of others.

These pictures indicate the results of such carelessness. The reckless young tried to show off behind the wheel of his father's car and was dashed to a date with eternity.

"Drive like everyone else is nuts" or drive defensively, could be a good slogan to remember when you speed by oncoming automobiles less than three feet from you, just across that white line in the middle of the road. Some people don't stay on their side of the white line.

In 1956 excessive speed killed almost five times as many motorists as did any other action. Last year 40,000 Americans were killed and 1,500,000 were injured on our streets and highways. If safety is not practiced to a fuller degree, 42,000 will be killed in traffic in 1957.

Why allow such mass murder to take place? The majority of the deaths were through carelessness; 35,000 of those killed need not have died. A Kemper Insurance study reveals that 88 percent of the people who died on the highway in 1956 were killed in accidents involving people who disobeyed traffic laws.

Safety is no accident. You are the one who can see to it that you return to Harding after Christmas.

Every year we get the opportunity to learn by our mistakes and the mistakes of others. What have you learned? Will you try to get home as quick as you can, or will you make sure you get there alive?

Drive Defensively, Politely --- and Live!

Don't Be a Fool! --- He Met One!

Slow Down — And Live!

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DRIVING WHILE DRUNK! Drunken driving cost the driver his life. Watch out for careless drivers during the vacation.

HE WAS SLEEPY! He didn't stop to wake up and refresh. His sister paid for his carelessness with her life. Don't drive when you are sleepy.

YIELD RIGHT OF WAY to emergency vehicles. The driver failed to yield the right of way. Now this policeman is wearing a plastic nose. Drive carefully!

EXCESSIVE SPEED can kill. The driver of this car saved a few minutes, but what did he gain? Slow down and live!

DRAG RACING! It may be fun to drag with the gang, but it isn't very smart. This race killed three teenagers.
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Academy News

By Mary Lee Northeast, Editor

Perhaps the most enjoyable andnearest addition to the Harding Academy curriculum this year is the newest hymn books for the auditorium, made by the S.T.A.R. social club. A check for $1.00 was given to the club on December 4. The presentation, entitled "Tree," was a Thanksgiving project. Bettye Ritchie and Nancy Knott, girls participating stepped from a Christmas tree and also is dedicated to services to the community.

Senior Key Club is planning a Christmas program Friday at 3 p.m. The program will be given in the Green Room, and all students are invited.

The elementary grades had their Christmas Basket party on Tuesday nights. Helen Brown and her committee were responsible for getting the boys ease before an audience as they direct songs, lead in prayer, and make short talks.

As the new high school editor for the annual, I would like to thank Terry Pippen for providing the ACADEMY this space for our news.

On December 5, the Association of High School Women in Western Tennessee held their last meeting before the holidays. The students were divided into three teams and have been competing for grades on room neatness. The two teams who will treat the winner to a Christmas party on Sunday, Dec. 15.

The Library has been concentrating on decorations for the Christmas season. The girls have been counted, and a Christmas poster was made for a shadow box.

The S.A.M. club is planning a bulletin board party for Dec. 15. At the party further plans will be made for the Christmas basket to be given to a needy family before the Christmas holidays. Plans for a spring banquet are being discussed. A date and theme will be chosen soon.

The junior class' outside activities were begun Saturday evening. November 18, when many of the members participated in an evening of Christian fellowship at the home of Jim Thompson. The theme was "enemies that have the lovely grain pattern and color of light-pink mahogany. It's guaranteed, too!

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Merry Christmas and
Happy New Year!

The Academy, which seems to make a habit of heartbreaking losses, could not keep the ball frozen and Bald Knob, in a small dash, put a final 3-35 line on the Academy 3-41 record, Saturday.

Bob Kinser sank a two pointer with three minutes remaining to put the Wildcats ahead 32-31, and Coach Per Lyell immediately gave the Freeze orders which the Bulldogs solved by fouling, giving up a free shot for possession of the ball. The Wildcats fired twice from the free throw line and missed, and on the second try fouling determination was rewarded with a two pointer which gave the winning margin.

Bill Cook hit 3-29%, and the Bulldogs hit 3-24%, and the second half they hit 3-29% while the Bulldogs got 22%.

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Powder Puff Parade
By Barbara Galyen

Team One captivated by Maggie Chaffin and Glenda Calvert,投资额
and applied their way to the intraschool volleyball championship last Thursday in the final game of the season. The remainder of the team consisted of Vita McWilliam, Betty Baker, Je’Cailin, Glenda Hilgus, and Lenora Gross.

Although most girls predicted this to be the toughest game of the season, Team One easily outplayed and outdistanced Team Two from the beginning whistle. Powered by the Chaffin sisters and the serving of Miss Gross, Team One outmaneuvered the unpredictable Karen Fry and the rest of her team.

Team-work was the best displayed by any team yet this season. Both teams played well as a unit, but Dean One had more of that spirit which makes a winning team. Team Two baffled a number of easy returns which could have counted in their favor.

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These clubs who plan to enter the club volleyball tournament had better be sharpening up their plays. Competition and ability will be loaned. Delta Chi will seek to retain last year’s championship. Four of their Delts members placed on the all-star list. Kappi Phi’s, second place last year, will place four on the all-star teams.

Club volleyball will begin after the holidays.

if a nation expects to be ignorant and free, in a state of civilization, it expects what never was and never will be.
—Thomas Jefferson.

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One Man's Opinion

BY DON RUSE

The time has again arrived when an otherwise normal person suddenly develops a demonic cast in his eye and voluntarily plants his neck on the block.

The duties to demonstrate graphic powers becomes unbearable, so two supposed basketball powers must suffer the kiss of death. After all, this writer only predicted the football champ, Oklahoma, to finish last.

Faculty Appears Unstoppable

One prediction is certain, if the Faculty has a game, it will be thrash play. The Scholars were good last year and are twice as good this year.

Hugh Rhodes was farmed out to Lubbock in the West Texas League and Cecil Beck has been retired to Coaching in the Minors to make room for stand-by rooks.

Ted Lloyd, last year's immortal scoring champ, was drafted into the Memphis in the Minors to make room for stand-by rooks.

F. M. Johnson, who gained experience on the Academy team; and

Alf Armstrong and Ken Yarunder also will not beat the varsity.

The Bulldogs and Garrett Turner's Rebels remain to growl over last place with the and going to the Rebels for the booby prize. I'm a Teacher myself.

Cecil spent long hours aligning the teams every time and this writer will agree that he did an expert job in the Southwest Conference. Four teams look equally tough. We would call it a highly improbable tie between the Owls, Mus- 

tons, Aggies, and Longhorns. Ark- ans' own Sanchoys beat a lull even last year with Dale Flashboard.

Buck Does A Thorough Job

Actually, a very husky job is given to the Owls. Don't sneer at Owls, who plays a fine game, may have misgivings over robust Weissman's initial approach to basketball but all will be forgiven last year. Dick Scrath played the backboards and buckets key baskets. George Gymnasium is the reason for the nod.

The Aggies and Mustangs each have had no backboards. The Owls and the Longhorns have Jerry Mitchell and Glen Fromer. You pick between them.

College of Ozarks Defeat Bisons, 55-44

Inability to hit key field goals, inaccuracy at the free shot line, and an apparel slippery basketball, polished out the 15th defeat for the Harding Bisons, as they fell before a taller and more experienced Col- leges of the Ozarks quintet, 55-44.

Collage of the Ozarks moved to an early game lead and then hung on relentlessly to counteract Harding's second half full court press.

The Bisons played just the oppos- ite of their last week's encounter, the Route of Arkansas Col-

ges when they played such an im-

pressive first half, leading 36-30.

Saturday night, the College of the Ozarks marched to a 38-23 half-time lead and looked to be in for a breeze, until Coach Groover turned his Little men, Pete Stone and Dwight Simms, loose on half swing.

The Bisons produced four more points (21-27) then did College of the Ozarks during the exhilarating second stanza.

At one time during the melee, the Harding dribble specialists drew within five points of the leaders and looked like a team that might come from behind, but they missed their opportunity by inability to score when the chips were down.

Fred Massey once again was the big offensive gun for the Bisons as he buckled on 13 markers. There is no telling how many he would have scored if he had been hitting early in the game. No one else seriously presented a scoring threat for the Aggies as Leon McQueen, who has been absent for the past few days, was second in the scoring column.

If you would have tasted the flavor of Arkansas State, it would have been hard indeed to deter from their
taste.

In the feeling category, the Bisons proved a little more agile as they didn't lose a man via this route.

Fred, who usually has to be careful about fouling, since he has to guard a much taller man, had only one called against him. City and Mc-

Queen each had four.

Eventually every team places to- gether the good first and second halves they have to form one com-

plete game of almost perfection. When they do they give someone a rough time. This is what the hard-

working Bisons will do on any given

night at the expense of an unfor- tunate opponent. Then will they have tasted of victory and will be hard indeed to deter from their next meeting.

The team to take the risk next will be Henderson State Teach- ers College.

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