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Week of Prayer

At 7:30, Monday evening, Oct. 1-4, Elder Paul Nystrom was introduced to the MWA Student Body, as the Week of Prayer speaker.

The 1974 Week of Prayer was a wonderful experience for most of us students. Each meeting began with a song service that featured more student musical talent that has been used before and ended with a heart to heart talk with Elder Paul. A lot of important topics were discussed including God's love and forgiveness, and how to have faith and love in our own lives.

This eventful week was climaxed on Friday evening, with the Ordinance of Humility and the Lord's Supper, followed by testimonies of thanks and dedication to Jesus by the students.

The attitudes developed during the Week of Prayer brought our minds and hearts together, pointing us toward Christ, and a more spiritually minded school year.



Costume Party

A managery of guests attended a costume party on October 31. Little Boo Peep along with some flying aces she had found while searching for her sheep. The Siamese twins and Cleopatra spent the evening looking for a Dracula chased the faculty mirror. kids. Grandpa and Grandma visited with a wino, meanwhile the Sheik and his body guards were fighting off a mob of old ladies. A motorcycle bum, and a baby fought over some candy, which in the end Groucho Marx ate. An old had with a broom hobbled around trying to sweep unsuspecting guests off

their feet. Nancy Koepplin and Cindy Reinhart, as the martians, and Sally Jonietz and Janie Hofer as the bees, tied for first place. Second place went to Marsyl Dickinson with Donna Hilderbrand as Little Boo Peep and her lamb. Sandy Toyne and Hazel Clarin as siamese twins.

An obstacle course was set around the gym and guests tried their luck roller skating through it. Following this we retired to the cafeteria for singing, hot apple cider and carmel apples and then said good night.



Sally Jonietz and Janie Hafer tie for first place.



Bo Peep and lamb tie for second place.

BEARDS FOR THE BANQUET

This years Maple Leaf Banquet will be a back to the old west theme with long dresses of cottons or old fashioned styling and fellows in boots, and beards, and cowboy hars.

Because of the theme of the Old West and a setting in the 1850's, the Maple Leaf staff contacted the faculty to see if a beard growing contest could also climax the banquet. The simple rules of the contest for the fellows is that they are to be clean shaven on November 20, and see what they can

grow by the bariquet on December 18. The rules also state that the student may take his beard or moustaches home with him at Christmas but that it must be off when he comes back to school in January. The beards are to be kept as near as possible, during the growing period.

The judging of the contest will be on fullness, length, suitability to the face. The contestants may enter a beard, beard and moustache, or moustache.

The Picnic

The A. S. B. Track and Field Day was October 6, and started at 8:30 Sunday morning. The day was cold and so student participation was down but still many were in attendance.

Push-ups was the first event of the day with the events continuing until one o'clock. The list of events and their winners is as follows:

Push-ups (Men)	Softball Throw
Andersen, J.	(Women)
Cora, G.	Alder
Christiansen, C.	Bray
Mile Run (Men)	Hasse
Moser, P.	Football Throw
Thomas, J.	(Men)
Larsen, D.	Taggert
Mile Run (Women)	Haas
Tallent,	Roderick
Heitner,	Football Kick
Dockam, S.	(Men)
880 Relay (Men)	Taggert
Senior	Haas
Junior	Bacon
Freshman	440 yd (Men)
440 Relay (women)	Haefner
Junior	Thomas
Sophomore	Jackson
Senior	880 yd (Men)
220 Yrd Run	Furst
(Men)	Bacon
Haetner Weber	Long Jump (Men)

Weber

Larsen

(Women)

Dickinson

Tallent

Clarin

Long Jump

100 Yard Dash	Archery (Men)
(Men)	Beyer
Haefner	Borg
Weber	Hamilton
Morrison	Archery (Women)
Discus (ivien)	Merikel, C.
Hamilton	Bray
Haas	Hasse
Morrison	Football Throw
Shot Put	(Women)
(Women)	Alder
Bray	Bray
Heinrich	Ferris
Anderson	Football Kick
High Jump (Women)	(Women)
Ferris	Alder
Aider	Bray
Hill	Dickinson
Softball Throw (Men)Shot Put (Men)
Taugert	Morrison
Furst	Roderick

After the events ended the students met in the cafeteria for lunch.

Roderick

Taggert

Football games were changed to basketball games in the afternoon because of the weather, but were still a highlight of the day.

At the evening chapel the winners of the events were announced and the class that had the most points was the Seniors.

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COMING E	ENTS AND ACTIVITIES
Nov. 24	Boys Open House

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Nov. 27-Dec. 1	Thanksgiving Vaca-
	tion
Nov. 30	Home Leave
Dec. 7	Girls Club Benefit
Dec. 14	MWA Music Program
Dec. 18	Maple Leaf Banquet
Dec. 19-Jan. 5	Home Leave
Jan. 11	Lyceum
Jan. 15-17	Semester Exams

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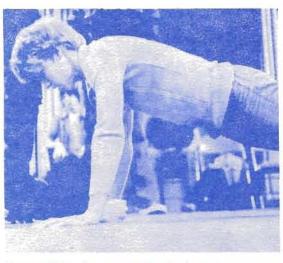
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Haefner

High Jump (Men)

Rideout

Haefner

Morrison

Bitzer

Pettis

Conrad Christainson starts the day in push-up event.



Craig Rueb in the relay.

Editorial

I am the third generation of my family to attend Maplewood. My grandparents both attended around 1933, and my parents in 1953, so Maplewood is somewhat of a tradition in our family. During those years Maplewood Academy has gone through many changes. Here are a few I thought were interesting.

Entertainment in 1933 was composed of a "Grand March" (Definition: Couples pair up and march in circles to music). Go ahead silly read the definition again. Baseball was played, however it was generally frowned upon. By 1953 a gym accompanied the administration building which previously had contained all school functions. Roller skating was reaching its peak, students skated 3 and 4 nights a week. Now a well rounded program of socials along with a variety of sports fill out an education.

Fifteen cents per hour was the wage in 1933. Students were expected to work five hours, two of which were considered "domestic time" for which you worked without pay. The tuition was twenty-five dollars a month. By 1953 the wage had doubled to thirty-two cents an hour. Today with tuition nearly 10 times that of 1933, the student can be thankful for minimal wage laws.

Entertainment and work wages are just two of the ways that Maplewood has changed. Each year the school continues to change and make improvements that will benefit the student

Longest Beard:

11 ft. 11½ inches recorded in 1911;

Ladies Beard:

14 inches recorded

in 1884

in 1884;

Longest Moustache: 102 inches (Guiness, Book of World Records)

If you think that to grow a beard is to acquire wisdom, a goat is at once a complete Plato.

LUCIAN

There was an old man with a beard, Who said: "It is just as I feared — Two Owls and a Hen, Four Larks and a Wren

Have all built their nests in my beard." EDWARD LEAR

One Summer - Holbrook Style

BY PEGGY GLASS

You're kidding! Me, a student missionary? Am I really going? I thought nothing this fantastic would happen to me. But it did, and two weeks later I was on my way to Holbrook Indian Mission to spend six weeks as a student missionary from Maplewood.

Holbrook Indian Mission School is near Holbrook, Arizona. It's a boarding school for Indian students, grades 1-12. Most of them are Navajo, with a few Sioux, Papago and Pima. Grades 1-10 have classes very similiar to ours, while 11 and 12 have mostly vocational subjects.

There were five other student missionaries and ten Indian students who were working there, last summer. Together, we had many enjoyable experiences.

My job consisted of working in the garden every morning until it started to get hot, and then I would go to a different job like, cleaning dorms, and warehouses, taking inventory, shelling walnuts, packing candle stands which the welding class makes and sells, sorting and clerking in the Dorcas building and others.

Two faculty families and I went out for a week on the Navaio Reservation and held a Vacation Bible School. We camped right next to a Navajo family while there, which was really interesting. They had a couple of il goats that just loved to see the inside of our tents, campers, and drink out of our water bucket! I worked with the Kindergarten Department and really loved it. We had fun trying to understand the little ones sometime, since a few could not or would not speak English. The kids were all really friendly and loved everything connected with Vacation Bible School. While we were there, two of the girls had werewolves knock on their windows during the night. These are usually other Indians with skins on who try to scare the people, in the house, into leaving it so they can go in and steal from them, and sometimes it works.

Over the Fourth of July, one of the faculty families took the student mis-

sionairies back-packing into Havasu stream, went swimming anytime, and had lots of fun, even when a skunk came visiting one night.

Canyon, where the Supai Indians live. There are three beautiful waterfalls, connected by a terraced stream in the canyon. Seeing them and swimming there really made the long hike worthwhile. We camped right next to the

We did some traveling while I was in Arizona. One Sabbath we went to Window Rock, where we passed out literature. On the way, we stopped and visited several families. Some of these families couldn't speak English, so we had to get used to talking through an interpreter. Another Sabbath afternoon, we went to Hopiland. The Hopi's homes are built to blend in perfectly with the mesa they are built on, so that from a distance, you can't tell them apart. The Hopi are friendly, they love having you come into their homes and seeing what they have made. On all of the bushes are their prayer feathers. They put these on each time they say a prayer so that it will be answered. One afternoon we were at Jeronimo's Cave. The cave is not marked, so you have to pick a passage and follow it through in the dark with about an inch of dust all over.

One Sabbath, we went to Chile, Arizona, where another Vacation Bible School was being held. On the way, we stopped at Canyon de Shelley. People live on the bottom of this canyon, so it is interesting to watch them work from the top.

The faculty and staff at the Mission are all nice and friendly making you feel right at home there. I think being a student missionary is a fantastic way to spend your summer and I enjoyed the time I spent at Holbrook Mission. The hardest part about my summer was saying good-bye to everyone and packing to come home.

NOTE: The Student Missionery program is sponsored by the offerings collected for the M.V. association on the Maplewood campus. Each year one or more students are chosen to give their summer to help in the mission field. If you are interested in aiding this program financially, write to:

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