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Missionary Volunteer Rally Held At Maplewood

Seniors Win Maple Log Road Race

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The Maple Log road race ended February 3, with the seniors ahead with ninety subscriptions. Eating the dust of the seniors were the sophomores with sixty-seven subs. The juniors with thirty-seven, and the freshmen with thirty-one subs trailed behind. The classes were competing on a per capita basis.

The first prize winner for the girls was Jennifer Butherus, who received a beautiful piece of Empire luggage for her twenty subs. Second prize winner was Evelyn Wangsnes, who had nine subs for which she received a pair of ice skates. Colleen Julius received third prize, a billfold, for her eight subs.

On the boys' side Dick Haughey received a Remington Rand razor as first prize for his ten subs. Leo Christenson came in second with nine subs for which he received a pair of ice skates. Receiving third prize was Jim Gilbert with six subs for which he was given a billfold.

Thirty mechanical pencils were given to the students and faculty members who had three subs.

In order to get snapshots for our MAPLE LOG a snapshot contest was conducted with prizes for those who turned in the best snapshots each week. The weekly winners were Myvon Parry, Carl Olson, Jennifer Butherus, and Myrna Wadsworth, who each received a photo album. The grand prize winner of the snapshot contest was Judy Verlo, who received a special deluxe photo album.

The MAPLE LOG staff wishes to thank all those who co-operated in this campaign. We still welcome your subscription in case you didn't get it here before the race was over.

—Loren Denler

told a touching story of Margaret Dumbrosky, who was killed in an accident at Wells, Minnesota.

Then we saw an interesting film named "Your Word of Honor," a story of teen-age reckless driving; however, in our state teen-agers cause only a small percentage of the fatal accidents. After this visitation each and everyone became more aware of the need of better and safer driving.

—Diane Kelstrom

Bread Of Life

Elder Butherus was our speaker during the devotional hour of January 30. He told us of the great patriarch, Moses, who was born in the Isrealite settlement in Egypt. The command had gone out from the palace of Pharaoh that male children were to be killed and cast into the Nile River. Moses' parents saw that he was a proper child so they hid him three months until they could hide him no longer. One day Moses' mother made a small ark of bullrushes and put the baby Moses in it. His sister watched the little ark as it floated among the rushes of the Nile. Pharaoh's daughter saw the small ark and adopted Moses to be her own son, but left him in the care of his Jewish mother until he was twelve. Moses grew up to be a great leader of the Jewish people.

During the vesper service of February 5, Elder Murphy brought the message of the hour. "But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory of our Lord Jesus." I Corinthians 15:57.

It is wonderful to know that Satan has lost the battle with Christ; yet he will not give up. He knows that he has but a short time to work, and what he does, he must do quickly.

The seventy disciples had just returned from a successful missionary tour. They were rejoicing that even the devils were cast out in the name of Jesus Christ. It gave them courage to have that experience.

Never in the history of the world
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SOPHOMORE COMING OUT

On Monday, February 15, we had a little trouble in chapel. Teddy Steiner just couldn't be still. He was talking, none too quietly, to some of the other boys seated beside him. Finally Mr. Burgeson brought him up to Elder Murphy, who was trying to read the Scripture. Ted said he was sorry, but he just had to tell some boys that Mr. Burgeson was sponsor of the sophomore class. He then introduced the officers. They are as follows: president, Duane Butherus; vice-president, Barbara Bitzer; secretary, Dixie Ballew; treasurer, Bill Kanfield; and Sgt.-at-arms, Daryl Burghart.

—Dixie Ballew

The Vesper service of Friday evening, February 12, was the first of three meetings held by Elders Becker and Olson of the Northern Union and Minnesota Conferences in an interesting Youth Rally.

After the opening prayer in which Elder Becker asked the Lord to help youth become conscious of the task before them so the work could be finished, Elder Butherus introduced the evening speaker, Elder Boyd Olson.

Elder Olson reminded us of the experiences of John the Baptist back in Christ's time and how he was a "burning and shining light" for God. So we as modern youth should accept the responsibility the Lord has laid upon us to spread the gospel message, for He is counting on us.

Elder Olson also told us of the experiences of modern youth and their struggles in bringing their friends and even parents to Christ and how they succeeded only by the help of the Holy Spirit.

In closing, our speaker asked those who would accept the challenge of finishing God's work to raise their hands, and there was a wonderful response.

The eleven o'clock service on Sabbath, February 13, was conducted by Elder Vernon Becker. "It makes no difference how long we live but how," was the statement he brought forcefully to our minds. He asked us to pray for God's help in "keeping us ALIVE as long as we live." Some of us are not really awake when it comes to the responsibilities entrusted to us. God wants us to prove to Him that we are alive. We say we are going to prove to Him that we are alive. We say we are going to do something for the Lord but never actually do it.

We are commissioned as God's sentinels to warn the world of approaching danger. The blessing we give to someone else will come back to us.

At the close of this service, we signed a pledge which told of our recognition of the great task which lay before us and our willingness to be sentinels for God and share our faith with others.

The Sabbath afternoon meeting was the one we had all looked forward to. After an inspiring half hour of song service directed by Elder Olson, and special music by several students, twelve students of the academy were sent out to

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Lyceum Number

One of our best lyceums of the year was presented to us February 6 by Miss Sabina Ann Gotfredson, concert mistress of the University of Minnesota Symphony. She played several numbers on her violin and was accompanied by Tossi Tchymaje at the piano. Some of the pieces she played were "Concerto for Violin," by Mozart, "Sonata No. 6," by Handel, and Sursoti's "Gypsy Airs." Tossi played two piano solos — Mozart "Sonata in F Major," and Chopin's "Revolution Etude."

Miss Gotfredson is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and is now teaching.

A few years ago she won \$1,000 on the Cedric Adams Talent Show and last summer she, with a group from the University Symphony, took a trip to Europe visiting music festivals and other places of interest in the music line.

We enjoy all our lyceums but I'm sure we enjoyed this one especially well. —Colleen Julius

Safety Patrol

Sgt. Kaisersaat of the Minnesota Highway Safety Patrol visited our school on February 10. He spoke to us about the part we play in a state-wide campaign for safety. We should talk to our parents and make them realize how easily fatal accidents may happen. He also

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GUEST EDITORIAL

When the month of February comes, we are always reminded of two of our most famous presidents, George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. Although both of these men attained the highest office which this country offers, their backgrounds were quite different.

George was born into a family who was rich in this world's good. He was a stern, honest man, one who, as a general, led armies to hard-fought victories.

Abe was born into a family who never knew what it was to have more than what was needed to live on. He was a kind, self-educated man who was quick to help others, no matter what the cost to himself.

Just as these two men came from opposite environments but reached the same goal, we here at Maplewood, though we come from varied homes, need not let that keep us from reaching the same goal,—a closer walk with God each day—so close that when He comes again, we can continue to walk with him to our heavenly home.

—Lyndon E. Davis

The new year is well on its way. We say we've started all over, but have we? Is it as easy as we at first thought? To begin over again and keep out of the rut is not a simple task. The struggle onward is the challenge which appeals to the class of people who want success.

Have you ever started working on something and when you finished it, you said, "If I could do it all over again, I'd do it differently." That has happened to many of us. Now that the new year has started, we have a chance not to make the same mistakes we made last year.

Every person is different from everyone else. We have our own individuality—power to think and do as our mind tells us. What we accomplish with this power depends entirely upon us. We are made up of the qualities or characteristics which we have inherited and those which we have acquired. The way in which we develop these characteristics or individuality might possibly, and usually does, determine our success in life.

Personality doesn't just happen, it's built bit by bit. No experience is unimportant. Every thought, every act, every spoken word has its effect on the shaping of personality.

Let's be careful what we do and say this coming year, because we all want the kind of personality so that when our name is mentioned, people smile instead of frown.

—N. W.

Our Roving Reporter

Question: Which faculty member is your favorite and why?

Bob Bergh: "Mrs. Link, because she is always very pleasant and has a lot of patience with me."

Shirley Aultfather: "Mr. Gilbert, because he's so easy to work for."
Jeanie Rogers: "Mr. Davis, just because he's such a nice man."

Sherry Swan: "As the teacher's motto goes, 'I have no favorites.'"
Marvin Osvald: "Mr. McCune, because he always shuts my door when lights are out."

Gladys Denny: "Miss Williams, because she's always so sweet and she calls me honey."

Dick Jensen: "Mr. Adams, because he's so good to me."

Virgetta Bankes: "Mr. Torkelson, because he is big like my dad."

Ruth Farnes: "Mr. Burgeson, because he helps me make breakfast in the morning."

Harlen, Jan, and Alden: "We like George because he helps us with Bookkeeping, which is taught by Miss Lothian. (Ask Miss Lothian who George is)."

Lovina Larson: "I love 'em all."
Cliff Burgeson: "Mrs. Link, because she's so pleasant."

Sandra Ford: "Mr. Butherus, because I like to argue with him."
Evelyn Wangsnes: "Mr. Haughey, because he's a good boss."

Arlo Ellis: "Mr. McCune, because he always brings me back from town."
Marguerite Garner: "Mr. Burgeson, because he's so much fun."

Hats off to you faculty members who received this honorable mention.

Doctor I. Q.

On Saturday night, January 30, the various industrial departments of Maplewood Academy sponsored a Dr. I. Q. program in which many students and faculty members took part. Mr. Haughey was the quizmaster and his assistants were Mr. L. Torkelson and Mr. Jess Adams. Mr. Davis was the treasurer. The grand prize question was the opening part of the show. Everyone in the audience was asked to guess how many nuts were in the jar. The prize was a beautiful cake and it was won by Cecil Conquest Sr., for guessing the closest number.

Mrs. I. O. Johnson won a box of candy for her correct answer. Duane Butherus won an amazingly large "Sugar Daddy" about 6"x4". (Mr. Adams claimed it to be fresh from the barn). Among other prizes won were two large cans of fruit juice won by Gene Adams, a cake won by Mr. Bergh, a red cedar box from the craftshop by Evelyn Morisset, and a bag of cookies from the bakery by Evelyn Wangsnes. The jackpot question of 188 shiny pennies was won by Carol Eklund; however, the best of all prizes was won by the girls' dean, Miss Lothian. She walked off with the most handsome rooster from the Maplewood Academy farm. Many other prizes were given away, totaling in all \$20.00 in copper and several bags of peanuts besides the other prizes mentioned.

—Darlene Ytredal

Clublicity

Crescit Eundo:

On the evening of January 21, the girls met as usual for worship in the parlor, after which some were given the privilege of presenting an impromptu speech. Some of the subjects were "Three Ways to keep your hair neat and trim," by Carol Eklund, "Five advantages of being night watch," by Esther Hensel, and "The disadvantages of a P.A. system," by Virginia Abernathy.

January 29 found a group of happy girls enjoying the ice skating rink.

Our first girls' club in February was a Treasure Hunt. For an advantage we shut off all the lights and gave each group a flashlight to use. The winning side were given almond Hershey bars and to the losing side "suckers."

On February 11, the girls organized into basketball teams, each class having a team of their own. Our president asked for suggestions for our club. Then we were dismissed.

—Roberta Guishard

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Knights of East Hall:

January 25 found the Knights enjoying the chills and spills of tobogganing at night. Nothing daunted our spirits, even the few minor casualties suffered from the big, steep hill. A few of the less brave, and maybe wiser persons cleared off the ice and went skating. Then we came back and had a good warming cup of cocoa.

On the second of February, the mighty Knights of East Hall quietly passed into the gym for a rousing game of Bombardment.

Jim Gilbert showed us some very good pictures February 9, taken around Maplewood this year and last year. Most of them brought back fond (or otherwise) memories.

—Jerry Gilbert

HONOR ROLL

For Semester
Ending January 15

Diane Johnson
Gail Trumble
Myrna Wadsworth
Frances Barnhart
James Gilbert
Ellen Olson
Ted Steiner
Shirley Aultfather
Loren Denler
William Bromme
Duane Butherus
Sharon Fowler
Orlo Gilbert
Diane Kelstrom
Jeanie Rogers
Jan Zempel
Harriet Anderson
Barbara Bitzer
Leo Christensen
Eileen Dahlberg
Ben Steiner

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HONORABLE MENTION

Gary Hymel
Pamela Jones
Colleen Julius
Evelyn Kisor
Beverly Reyant
Evelyn Wangsnes
Darlene Ytredal

Bread Of Life

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had the power and glory of the gospel been so well-demonstrated. Jesus withstood the temptations of Satan and did not yield. He died on the cross so that we might have eternal life if we will but let Him lead us.

Yes, Jesus did all that for us sinful beings, but what are we willing to do for Him?

Brother Burgeson spoke to us on Sabbath, February 6.

"And Nathaniel said unto him, Can there any good thing come out of Nazareth? Philip saith unto him, Come and see." John 1:46.

Philip did a very honorable thing that day as he told Nathaniel that he had found the Messiah. He did something that day that each and every one of us should do. We should tell others of the Christ who came to save sinners from their sins. The time is short and we must work rapidly. Soon Jesus will come and we will find that we have been asleep to the perplexities of the world. We should awake from our slumber and tell others of Christ's soon-coming. The time is short and the doors of probation will soon close. Friends, what are we doing to warn this sin-sick world of ours?

—Robert Bergh

Chapel Chats

"As followers of Jesus we are admonished to improve our work until it reaches perfection." This was the key thought of Mr. Sherwood's sermonette on January 30 in chapel.

Mr. McCune acted as emcee for an exciting contest to prove who—boys or girls—know more about what is going on around the school. The boys were represented by Tommy Bosanco, Jerome Huset, Johnny Morrison, and Jerry Howe. The girls were Hazel Garner, Ruth Farnes, Betty Daniels, and Diane Kelstrom. In spite of fervent effort on both sides to excel, it turned out to be a tie.

On January 25 Elder Murphy told about Lindberg's life and his flight to Paris. The kidnapping of his little son made the story very exciting.

Elder Boyd Olson described and gave us an outline of a teaching career. It is one of the finest ways to be a true missionary for God.

January 29 was an interesting chapel day. The seating arrangement was changed and we all had new neighbors. Then Elder Butherus presented pennants to the students bringing at least one new student to Maplewood. Then Mrs. Tonsberg had a delightful musical (Continued in Col. 3)

Views and Interviews

Elder V. W. Becker—

Elder V. W. Becker is not a stranger to us here at Maplewood, for he visits us frequently and we always enjoy his inspirational chapel talks and sermons. Elder Becker is a graduate of Union College. His work as educational secretary has taken him to the Greater New York and Texas Conferences. He came to the Northern Union Conference in April, 1951, from Colorado, where he had been principal of Campion Academy for seven years. His hobbies include reading, photography, and leather work. Elder and Mrs. Becker have one son, thirteen-year-old Ronnie.



Elder J. D. Smith—

Elder J. D. Smith is a good friend of Maplewood students and faculty. He has been president of the Northern Union Conference for eight years. Prior to his work as Union president, he was president of the Iowa, Southern New England, and Texas conferences. He began his work as an evangelist and pastor in the conferences of the Southland, after attending Southwestern Junior College at Keene, Texas. Elder and Mrs. Smith have one son, Jere, Maplewood graduate in the class of '48, who is in the Naval Air Force and stationed in French Morocco, Africa.



Senior Personalities

Pamela Jones:

Five-feet one-half inch-tall Pamela Jones, our shortest senior, lives in Hutchinson. "Pam" as she is usually called, has short blond hair and blue-grey eyes. Cooking, sewing, and playing the piano are her main interests. On Saturday nights she either devotes her time to reading or entertaining a young artist. Her favorite food is "anything mom makes." Next year you will find Pamela at Union College taking the nurse's course. Best o' luck to you, Pam!

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Carl Olson:

Carl, who comes from Correll, Minnesota, is attending Maplewood this year for his fourth year.

He is 5' 10" tall and has dark blond hair. His favorite food is apple pie and one of his favorite pastimes is reading about automobiles. His pet peeve is two-faced people.

He takes an active part in the choir and also plays his trombone in the Symphonette. His favorite subject is American History.

He plans to be a farmer some day and with his ability, we know he will have success.

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Colleen Julius:

Colleen comes to Maplewood from Wadena, Minnesota. She has been here for two years and says she likes it here.

For favorite recreation, we find her roller skating. She enjoys playing the flute in Symphonette. She says she likes a "Chevie" (a '29 Chevie?)

Colleen likes any kind of food, just so it's good.

Her pet peeve is people who start to say something and don't finish it.

She stands 5' 6" tall, has brown eyes and dark brown hair.

I don't know what her ambition is, but whatever it is, I'm sure she will succeed.

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Stafford Morisset:

Stafford comes to us as a senior from Bemidji. He is very proud of his city and loves to be out-doors in northern Minnesota. His favorite pastimes are hunting and fishing. He has always liked fried chicken and has definitely decided on that as his favorite food. We see him many times in the gym practicing basketball for that is one of his favorite sports or on the ice rink, for hockey is another. He is also an active member of the Missionary Volunteer Sunshine band and Seminar group. Stafford has decided that after he graduates he will go on to college with a missionary future in view. We wish you much success, Stafford.

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Diane Kelstrom:

Diane Kelstrom, a blue-eyed laughing senior comes to us from Stewart, Minnesota. If you should chance to ask her what her favorite food is, her reply would be raisins. "Kelly" loves to play soft ball and go horseback riding, and her favorite subject is Physics. Her favorite pastime is going to Duluth. Her 5 feet 6 inches of height and blond hair help to make up a very wonderful "veep" for the senior class. Diane's ambition is to be a medical missionary. We wish her the best of luck. We know she will succeed.

CHAPEL CHATS

program. It consisted of Diane Johnson playing "Fan Fare" on the organ, Jennifer Butherus playing "When it Rains" on the piano and Louise Overacker playing a "Nocturne" by Chopin and "Italian Serenade" on the piano.

Miss Williams gave us helpful hints on how to get that first job after graduation. Neatness is one of the most essential qualities.

"How may we raise our citizenship grades?" and "What does escorting mean?" were questions answered by Elder Butherus on February 1.

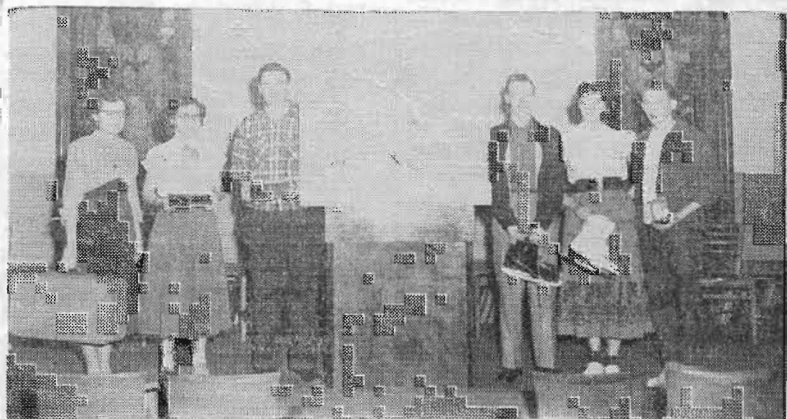
On February 5 Mr. Bartlett explained to us about true happiness. Disobedience to any of God's laws is what causes sorrow.

Mr. Burgeson told us some more about his experiences on the road. He also told us of his views on yellow cats and North Dakota weather.

Elder Butherus helped us consider our choice of a lifework in his talk on February 12.

Mr. Gilbert presented some interesting facts in the life of Abraham Lincoln on February 15. He was tallest, not only in height, but also in character.

—Diane Kelstrom



Maple Log Prize Winners: Jennifer Butherus, Colleen Julius, Jim Gilbert, Leo Christensen, Evelyn Wangsness and Dick Haughey.

--- Waggin' Tongues ---

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Darlene Ytredal visited her home the weekend of February 13.

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A group of students were invited to Beverly Johnson's home for a party on January 23. They had a very enjoyable time.

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Elder B. G. Butherus attended a Tri-Union Educational meeting at Lincoln, Nebraska, recently.

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Virginia Abernathy, Dixie Ball-ew, and Virgetta Banks visited at their homes over the weekend of February 13.

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Pat and Bill Kanfield's father visited them on Sabbath, February 13.

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One day in Geometry class, Miss Lothian asked, "What are the lines in a figure that you draw yourself?" The answer was supposed to be "auxiliary lines," but Ruthie Farnes came up with "artillery lines." She got geometry and war slightly mixed.

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Gail Trumble visited at her home the weekend of February 13.

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Valentine's Day in West Hall made quite a few girls forget their diets!

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Colleen Julius and Frances Barnhart went home for the weekend of January 30. Fran's sister, Mrs. H. W. Gerlach of Los Gatos, California, was also home for the weekend.

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The arm in the sling seems to be the fad around Maplewood now. The voice of experience speaking: "It's not as much fun as it looks."

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The boys' reception was announced very uniquely at midnight on February 13. The girls are glad to know that it is informally western. The date is March 21. Thank you, boys, for the invitation.

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Everyone will want to attend the next Symphonette concert which will be given in the Maplewood chapel on Saturday evening, March 13th.

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Mr. and Mrs. Butherus entertained the faculty at their home on Sunday evening, January 31. After the very delicious meal, which featured some dishes common in India, the evening was spent playing table games.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merickel visited friends at Maplewood on Sabbath, January 30. Mr. Merickel was farm manager here several years ago.

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Mr. Birkeland, Hutchinson photographer, has been taking group pictures at Maplewood recently. The MAPLE LOG staff are busily getting the annual ready for publication.

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On January 23, there was a basketball game in the gym. After that we had a choice of either ice-skating or rollerskating. We all had a good time.

Marguerite and Hazel Garner visited their home at Hinckley over the weekend of January 30.

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Films were shown in the chapel on Saturday evening, February 13. Two of them were "The Crack in the Iron Curtain," and one of Walt Disney's "Sea Island." The Milwaukee Road film, "The Pacific Northwest" was also shown.

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All the students and faculty gathered outside the main entrance during chapel on Wednesday, February 17, and Mr. Birkeland took a picture of the group.

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The Maplewood Academy Board held their annual meeting at the Academy on Tuesday, February 16. One of their activities was to have their pictures taken for the MAPLE LOG.

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The juniors were invited by their sponsor, Elder Butherus, to his home Sunday evening, February 14. Mrs. Butherus prepared a very delicious meal for the class, and after the supper the group played games. We all had a wonderful time, and in behalf of the juniors the secretary of the class wishes to thank Elder and Mrs. Butherus for everything.

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Many visitors came to Maplewood to attend the Youth Rally on Sabbath, February 13.

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Sunday, February 14, was the unusual day at Maplewood, for it was a school day. In order to close school on May 16, we must have school on several Sundays, and February 14 was one of them.

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Mrs. Leland Torkelsen visited her son and his family in Jamestown, North Dakota, for a week recently.

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The voice students of Mrs. Charlotte Link will be presented in a recital on Saturday evening, February 27. The Madrigal Singers will appear in the same program, with several instrumental students. We hope that many of our parents and friends will be able to attend this recital.

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Elder Boyd Olson will be the guest speaker for the Week of Devotion to be held February 26 to March 6.

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Gwen Kohoutek, Louise Overacker, and Darlene Sweet went home over the weekend of February 13.

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Cathleen Kaldahl spent a week in February at her home.

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The newest member of the Maplewood family is Pat Kanfield, a senior who attended another academy the first semester. Her brother, Bill, is a sophomore at Maplewood. Pat's registration makes the Senior Class number forty-five now.

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This unusually fine weather in February makes us wonder why the Californians don't move to Minnesota!

SPORTS ROUNDUP

The second half of the basketball tournament is now underway. We now have six teams entered in it. They are the "Wildcats," the "Royals," the "Mystery," the "Gophers," the "Texans," and the "Hornets."

We are all enjoying the nice weather that we have been having here recently. Several boys have been taking advantage of it to get out and loosen up their throwing arms and to get them into shape in anticipation of a little baseball if the good weather holds out.

Turning back to basketball, on January 18 the Gophers played the Hornets, the sophomore team coming out on top by a score of 56-12. Dick Haughey led the Gophers with 21 points while Richard Carlson and Tom Bosanco each scored 3 for the losers.

January 21st found the Wildcats defeating the Mystery team by a score of 54-15. Buddy Thulin with 19 and Harlen Peck with 16 led the senior team while Mr. McCune scored 6 for the Mystery team.

Then on January 23, the Royals played a game with the Hornets. The final result was a 93-25 victory for the Junior team. Jon Rosenthal scored 32 and John Morrison 3 to pace the Royals, while Jim Covell made 9 for the losers.

The next game was one of the closer games of the tournaments so far. It was a hard-fought game between the Gophers and the Mystery team. After trailing for most of the game, the Mystery team came from behind to win by a score of 40-33. Mr. McCune got 20 points for the winners, while Dick Haughey made 14 for the Gophers.

In an even closer game on January 28, the Royals managed to squeeze out a 41-38 victory over the Gophers. Richard Van Raden scored 16 for the winners, while Dick Haughey made 23 for the Gophers.

In the last game of the first half of the tournament, the Wildcats defeated the Hornets by a score of 106-9. Roger Mickelson had 30 points for the Wildcats, while Jim Covell scored 5 for the Hornets.

On the evening of February 4, just after the close of the first half of the tournament, the Wildcats played a team of all Stars, made up of the best players on the different teams. It was a close game throughout with the all-Stars finally winning by a score of 33-31 on Dick Haughey's last-second basket. The box score of that game is as follows:

ALL-STARS

Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
Mr. McCune	4	2	1	10
Haughey	7	0	0	14
McKellip	2	0	0	4
Fankhanel	0	0	2	0
Morrison	1	0	0	3
Schmidt	0	0	1	0
Burghart	1	0	0	2
Totals	15	3	4	33

WILDCATS

Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
Peck	2	1	1	5
Mickelson	4	2	2	10
Thulin	4	0	0	8
Anderson	3	0	0	6
Morriset	1	0	2	3
Totals	18	3	5	31

FOREFRONT TIDINGS

Not a golden wedding, but a golden anniversary of a 50-year old working-out of God's plan of Christian education in this school calls for joy, and a heart-felt invitation to all alumni who can spend all, or part, of the weekend of May 1 with us to plan thus. May it be a real "home coming" with pioneers and today's youth hearing and sharing experiences. The annual Maplewood Talent program to be given on Saturday evening, May 1, will honor the Maplewood graduates of half a century.

Dean ('41) and Merlyn ('41) Torkelson with their two children not only visited the Maplewood Sabbath school on January 23 but made a definite contribution to the pleasure of Sabbath worship with the beautiful solo that Merlyn sang.

A week later, Donna Carlson ('52) made her visit more than welcome when she sang two beautiful solos for Sabbath school and church service.

Bob Blake ('50) and Donna Burghart - Blake brought the cutest little blond curly-head with them when they came to see us on the Sabbath of February 13.

We were both happy and sad when we shook hands with Elder Vernon Kelstrom and his sweet wife Cora Knutson-Kelstrom ('35). We were glad to see them again, but sorry to have them leave so soon. They are now on their way to Washington, D. C. where Vernon will be enrolled in the Theological Seminary.

Don't forget May 1!

—Ethel H. Hartzell

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the business districts and residential areas of Hutchinson to share their faith by trying to get enrollments to the 20th Century Bible Course and then praying with them. During the half hour that they were gone, representatives of the eight Missionary Volunteer "Share Your Faith" bands gave reports of their respective band activities.

When the twelve students returned, they had many thrilling experiences to tell of their contacts with those who are lost in the pleasures of this world. They made us realize how much God is depending on us to shine our lights to others before it is too late.

After Elder Becker dismissed us with prayer we left the chapel, determining in our hearts, "For Christ, do more in '54."

"God is waiting to bestow His richest blessing to those who will accept the call of His Spirit."

—Bill Bromme

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

March 2 — Richard Jensen
March 5 — Elaine Fankhanel
March 8 — Orlo Gilbert and Sharon Fowler.
March 11 — James Gilbert and Beverly Reyant.
March 12 — Marcia Anderson
March 17 — Patricia Pederson.
March 23 — Cathleen Kaldahl
March 27 — Gary Hymel.
March 28 — Donna Gunderson.
March 30 — Grace Amundson.