

BULLETIN



Arthur Peddle, Student Body President Elect for 1967-68 and the past year's (1966-67) Student Body Secretary Sharon Craft chat over lunch,

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MCC Wins 'All-Sports' Championship



Coach Bill Shinsky (r.) receives the All-sports trophy from Sherrill Cox, student body president, as Sherrill makes the presentation on behalf of the students of MCC.

10th Annual

Bible Lectureship
"THE CHRISTIAN OUTREACH"
October 15-19, 1967

MCC teams were victorious over three other colleges participating in All-Sports Day competition on May 13 as the MCC Warriors hosted the annual event. This is the second consecutive year that the Warriors have cone out victorious.

Other teams competing in the all day affair were Detroit Institute of Technology, Midwestern Baptist College and Detroit Bible College. Sports involved were Softball, Track, Soccer, Tennis, Bowling, Badminton, Volley Ball, Table Tennis, and Horseshoes. Detroit Bible College ran the Warriors a close second in number of points at the end of the day.

On May 20, the Warriors clenched the Softball championship between these four teams when they beat Detroit Bible College in both games of the final double-header.

Jim Bruff (l.) and Bill Hendsley pause during their daily workout on MCC's new tennis courts. This year's Tennis Team won two meets and lost four, but the record promises to be better next year with more emphasis being placed on all sports. Art Peddle and Larry Smith are also on the 1967 Tennis Team.



"Beautiful Day" Reveals The 'Other Side'



President Palmer (l.) protects the "hot corner" while Dr. Joseph Jones serves on the mound.



After three gruelling games, "Ole 19" (Dr. Jones) digs in, with students, to enjoy the evening meal which has been catered to the park by Saga Foods, Inc., MCC's fine campus food service.

On "Beautiful Day" (which happened to be May 18 this year), administrators, faculty, secretaries, and other staff members are transformed into third basemen, pitchers, batters, etc.

Administrative and academic matters are set aside for a day when the MCC family leaves the campus for a day of fun together at a near-by park reserved for the occasion.

When President Palmer, in chapeel, says "It's' a Beautiful Day", the students know exactly what he means. This year, G. Wheeler Utley, Chairman of the Board of Directors, was invited to the campus especially to make this long-awaited announcement. It was the most well-received (and the shortest) speech Chairman Utley has ever made!

Fine Arts Closes Busy Year With "Oedipus" and Concert







Members of the Fine Arts Department have been one of the busiest groups on campus this year. Under the leadership of Professors Downey, Hackett, and Marsh, three major productions have been presented. In addition to the annual Fall Tour of the A Cappella Chours, the group produced the delightful Gilbert and Sullivan musical, "H.M.S. Pinafore" under the direction of Mr. Paul Downey. During the Winter Quarter, the Art Department presented the work of approximately twenty art students in a varying array of canvas creations, awarding prizes for the top three paintings selected by qualified judges.

The Drama Department accepted an unusual challenge from Drama Coach Douglas Marsh when it presented the 5th Century B.C. Greek play of Sophocles titled "Oedipus, the King". The script for the play was a modern translation made by Mr. Marsh from the Greek.

The A Cappella Chorus wound up its year's work with a tour of the eastern states during the Spring Quarter. Final performance in full concert was presented especially for the student body on the lawn of the campus May 26 in a twilight program.

Top Left — Kathy Scott, Sharon Craft, Cynthia Clark (at piano) and Carol Anderson are shown in Section Rehearsal for 2nd sopranos.

Lower Left — Professor Marsh (l. background) oversees make-up activities as Larry Smith ("Opedipus") puts the final touches on the king's beard as the cast prepares for dress rehearsal of the ancient Greek tragedy.

Lower Right — The paint is hardly dry on some of these paintings by MCC art students. Easels protect the canvas on which the imagination, skill, and hard work of the artist is captured. Several campus functions each year provide art students with opportunities to sell their work.

PALMER AND BILAK VISIT EUROPE



Stephan Bilak (l.) and Lucien Palmer (r.) show their flight tickets to the gate attendant prior to take-off on the first leg of their Eastern Europe survey journey. The trip began June 7 with plans to return June 26.

On June 6 Lucien Palmer and Stephan Bilak enplaned for a trip to Eastern Europe. The purpose of this visit to the Slavic Countries was to determine the extent of coverage and the effectiveness of the last seven year's radio preaching by Bilak to this area of Europe in the Ukrainian language.

Upon his return to the campus on June 21, President Palmer said, "This trip has proved to be one of the most necessary and productive of any mission investigation I have ever made. It pointed up several things which we, as elders of the church

sponsoring this work, needed to know.

"In the first place," Palmer said, "we found that this means of preaching behind the iron curtain by U.S. missionaries is the most effective way to spread New Testament Christianity as long as present conditions relative to religious activities, exist. "In the second place, we know that the people of Eastern

"In the second place, we know that the people of Eastern Europe are hearing Stephan Bilak by radio. This makes us realize that the number of programs on the Russia For Christ Broadcast each week must be increased and that this broadcast is worthy of being pushed to its greatest potential."

The first part of the trip carried these missionaries to Vienna, Austria where they rented an automobile and travelled 3,500 miles visiting many cities, towns, and hamlets in the countries of Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Hungary, and Romania. They could not make the same extensive investigation in Poland or Russia

on this trip.

In addition to making contacts with the people of Slavic descent, an extensive visit was made to the headquarters and broadcast facilities of Transworld Radio in Monte Carlo. In regard to this visit, President Palmer remarked, "We were further encouraged about the Russia For Christ Broadcast upon seeing this very competent and powerful radio facility." Broadcasts are also beamed from the east into Russia from Inchon, Korea.

The broadcast in Ukrainian began on the campus of MCC in 1959 and is now sponsored by the Rochester church where brother Palmer is one of the elders and Chairman of the Missions Committee. Brother Bilak has been the only speaker on the

broadcast since its beginning.

WWJ Listeners Vote For MCC



President Palmer (left) accepts a \$200.00 check from WWJ-Radio personality Johnny Borders.

Johnny Borders, emcee of a morning show on Detroit's WWJ-am, fm, tv station, invited listeners to write in their comments concerning his new weekday morning music show. The prize for the most writeins was a check for \$200 to the charitable organization that was mentioned most in the mail he received.

Michigan Christian Junior College won out over more than fifty other charitable and non-profit organizations. The reason: an announcement about the contest was made at a Ladies Associates meeting one night. The result: \$200 for MCC.



Janice Allen (l.), representing the "W" Club of MCC, presents an oil painting of Mrs. Ida Palmer to the college in honor of the president's wife for her devotion to the college through the years and for her dedicated service with the "W" Club as Sponsor.

The painting by Hank Gootee will match paintings of President Palmer, former President Gatewood and the late Alma Gatewood.

Highest Basketball Honor Initiated

The first winner of the "West Taphin" award is Jerry Olsen who set all-time scoring records both in average points per game and in the most points scored in a single game. He was also voted the most valuable player in the league and elected to the all-league team.

Preparing to award the first "West Taphin Basketball Trophy" is Mrs. Iris Williams, mother of the late West Taphin, former MCC student and basketball player. Sherrill Cox represents the MCC Student Council which initiated the annual award in honor of West Taphin who drowned last year during summer vacation. He would have graduated with the 1967 class. President Palmer listens solemnly as West's former days at MCC are recalled.



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Fall Quarter

Orientation - Registration **September 17, 18, 19** You'll Be Glad You Came To MCC

Michigan Christian College graduated the largest class in history on June 3 as exercises were conducted under the pine trees on MCC's picturesque campus.

Dr. Stafford North of Oklahoma Christian College delivered the Commencement address.