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MADEIRA high school newspaper staffers working on their paper under Mrs. Barrett are Sue Browning, Ed Smith, Mary Jane Schlosser, and Roberta McKee. Mrs. Barrett is at left.

Madeira Band Wins TV Contest

By ROBERTA MCKEE

Sunday, Dec. 8, was a very exciting day for a group of boys with plenty of "jive" from Madeira High School.

Known as "The Highlanders," this dance band won first place on "School for Talent," a program originating from WCPO-TV Studio.

THE HIGHLANDERS have 11 regular members: Seniors—Gary Smith and Terry MacDonald, trumpet; Steve Strider, drum; Jerry Robinson and Edwin Smith, sax; Terry Rotunno, bass; Bill Thorman and Bob Huber, trombone; juniors—Charles Britton, trumpet; Clay Mueller, sax.

Steve Harper, a sophomore at Mariemont High School, is the piano player for the group.

THE HIGHLANDERS are a

reorganized dance band from Madeira High's former combo, "The Katz."

The boys decided they would like to do more than just play for their own pleasure and at the school basketball games and their first big engagement came when they were asked to play for Madeira's Homecoming Dance in October.

Then on the first of December they participated in a dance band contest at Castle Farm and tied for first place.

THEY WERE awarded a recording contract with the Huber Recording Co. The Highlanders are now playing at the Canteen in Mt. Washington where they alternate with three other bands.

News from Madeira

By MARY JANE SCHLOSSER

Slaves were on hand to serve their toga-garbed masters on Dec. 12. This was Madeira's annual Latin Club banquet. Club members were the masters of the future members who were slaves. A quartet and dancers provided entertainment.

SOME of the world's most beautiful Christmas music will be presented Dec. 18 to the student body. The chorus and band will be joined together for this concert. Mr. Gardner Benedict and Mr. Charles Medert are the directors.

JUNIOR HIGH cheerleaders were chosen Dec. 10. The happy girls are as follows: Carolyn Wierwille, Andy Ar-

borgast, Paulette Bowling, Janice Ables.

"SNOWFLAKE FANTASY" will be the theme of this year's GAA formal, and Dec. 21 is the date. A Buddy Rogers combo will play for the dance. Carol Davis and Pat Facciuto are cochairmen.

MHS JUNIOR Tom Elliott was elected football captain of next year's football team. Tom qualified for this position by being a letter man.

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