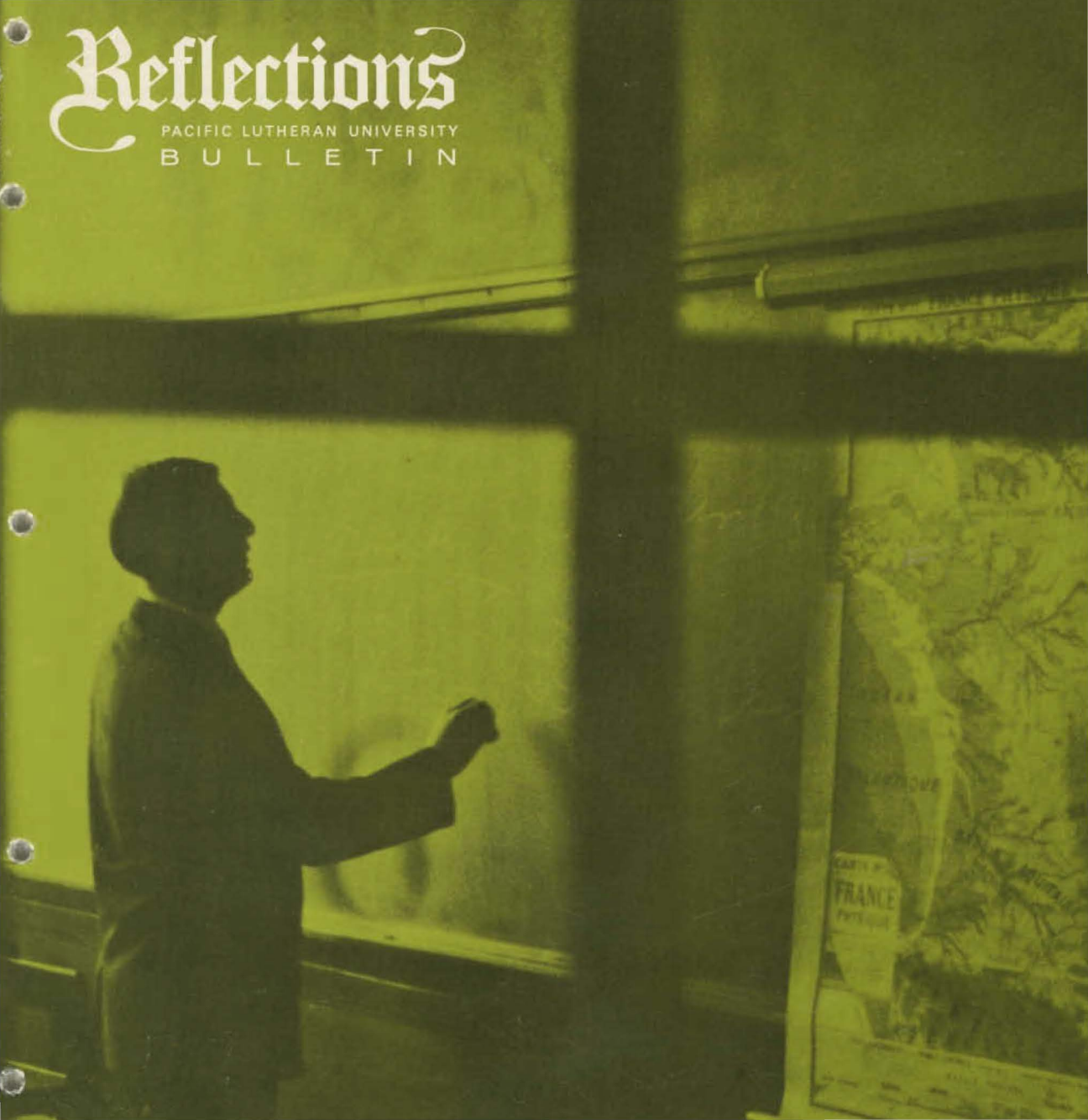


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Our Changed Chapel Policy

By Robert Mortvedt

At the Regents' meeting held on June 10, the following resolution with respect to chapel attendance was approved:

"WHEREAS, Chapel attendance has long been considered a vital part of the religious life and experience of the students and faculty of Pacific Lutheran University; and

"WHEREAS, during recent years a great deal of thoughtful and prayerful concern has been devoted to efforts to adapt policies in the light of increasing enrollments, as well as changing attitudes; and

"WHEREAS, the Board of Regents has expressed a vital concern in working toward a program of positive voluntarism and has urged the faculty, administration and student body to work creatively toward this end;

"BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED,

- 1) That henceforth Chapel for all students and faculty is on an expected and earnestly urged basis; and
- 2) That the administration, chaplains, religious activities committee, faculty and students be asked to seek divine guidance as they face the challenge of

responsible voluntarism by doing everything possible to inspire respect for Chapel, to beautify and intensify its purpose and meaning, and to cultivate the fullest possible attendance on the part of the entire academic community."

It would be easy to write a very lengthy article dealing with the history and various important aspects of this decision; but such an article would be essentially pointless. I shall, therefore, attempt to make my statement as brief and factual as possible.

That the resolution will be received with a feeling of varying degrees of regret by many people goes almost without saying. They will feel that something very important has been lost which possibly can never again be recovered. I happen personally to hold this view strongly, but I think I understand my reactions sufficiently well to recognize that the kind of discipline which I feel is essential in my own life is not any longer accepted as either necessary or desirable by a great many thoughtful and responsible people.

Anyone who knows me intimately knows that I have struggled and prayed ceaselessly during my six years at PLU to attempt to make required chapel (I have steadfastly refused to say compulsory) so appealing as to arouse a favorable response from students and faculty alike.

No one knows more certainly than I that I, together with those who have supported my efforts, have failed. Recognizing failure is usually the better part of wisdom.

The resolution, on the other hand, will be received with approbation by a great many people—not because they are basically opposed to chapel, but because they are convinced that any element whatever of compulsion related to the concept of worship is destructive of the very purpose of worship. Although I can debate this view, I respect the integrity of most of those who hold it. Even while they have opposed the required chapel rule, they have continued to support the program by their personal attendance.

The ability of the University to require attendance deteriorated sharply when the enrollment of the University exceeded the capacity of the chapel. This began to prevail about six or eight years ago—at the time our student body reached the figure of 1,150. When we were no longer able to assemble all students and faculty members in the chapel, we considered the idea of alternate days for different groups; but, we found it unfeasible. We attempted for two years to have simultaneous services in Eastvold Chapel and Trinity Lutheran Church, dividing the students into upper and lower divisions. Very soon it was evident the system did not work, for it was *impossible to enforce*. We could not find the hundreds of man hours of counseling essential to an effort to persuade recalcitrant students of the desirability of attending chapel. Most of all, we could not

eliminate the negative factors of the argument that any kind of compulsion is antagonistic to worship.

We next attempted a system of voluntary attendance for the upper classmen, hoping their response would lead to the happy conclusion that voluntarism would work. It didn't, but it exacerbated the problem of required attendance for the freshmen and sophomores.

Students are people whether at home or at the University. Therefore, just as you cannot force young people successfully to attend church services in a thousand churches across the land, you apparently cannot compel them to attend chapel on a college campus — especially during a period of swiftly growing demands for more and more freedom from all kinds of restraints.

And even though you try valiantly to persuade, you can be defeated by the simple fact that chapel can be *boycotted* even by the students who are in attendance. All they have to do is turn their attention to other things than the service; and this tactic, regrettably, became increasingly evident as the months went by. The current generation of students is anything but docile; in many respects, this is good. All learning involves intelligent and responsible personal reactions.

Now we face a new day. The greatest challenge, worshipfully speaking, which the students and faculty have ever faced is before them. Since there is no chapel requirement—only serious expectation of attendance—everyone is in a position to respond with responsible purpose and dedication. This will require hard, serious, prayerful effort and concern on the part of all thoughtful members of our community. Chapel can quietly decline in importance, or it can become a new and richer experience than it has been.

Many of us, students and faculty alike, pray for the latter. We believe the one really potentially unifying force on our campus is worship. We believe worship is a vitally essential element in Christian experience; in fact, there can be no Christian experience without worship.

We shall do our utmost to make chapel a meaningful experience with overtones of beauty, searching inquiry, opportunities for meditation — all within the enduring invitation to "Listen and know that I am God."



President Mortvedt to Retire



Announcement of the forthcoming retirement of President Robert Mortvedt came when this issue of Reflections was going to the printer.

Dr. Mortvedt, who has been president of PLU since 1962, told the board of regents at its Sept. 10 meeting that he desired to retire at the end of the current

academic year. Although his term does not expire until 1972, the regents with deep regret acceded to his wish to retire effective August 31, 1969.

Dr. Mortvedt, who will be 66 in November, told the regents, "I am convinced that only a younger man can give the leadership the University will need as it attempts creatively to meet the challenges immediately ahead."

"The University has reached a point in its development where some crucially important decisions must be made with respect to its future. I feel that the man who will be expected to lead the institution through this stage must be here to develop the plans, the strategy and the implementation," he said.

Earl E. Eckstrom, regents chairman, stated that the board has been extremely pleased with the outstanding and dedicated leadership of President Mortvedt. "He came to us at a crucial time in our history, and we thank God for the significant advances which have been made during his presidency," he said.

Following the surprise announcement, the regents instructed the executive committee to start the mechanics of obtaining a successor. This includes notifying the American Lutheran Church which will call for nominations and the PLU faculty which will appoint a screening committee.

Dr. Mortvedt said that he and his wife have purchased property in Gig Harbor (near Tacoma) and will build a home there.

President Mortvedt told the regents of the pressing need for additional facilities for science and music instruction. The regents set a target date of 1969-70 for these additions to present facilities, and directed three of its working committees to conduct feasibility studies and make fund raising plans for the two to three million dollar project.

An Expression of the One, Holy



Emmet E.
Eklund,
Chairman,
Department
of Religion

When the World Council of Churches convened its Fourth Assembly on July 4, 1968, at Uppsala, Sweden, it was observing its twentieth year of existence. Brought into being at Amsterdam at its First Assembly in 1948, this organization of 235 churches from eighty different countries has also met in two other assemblies, Evanston in 1954 and New Delhi in 1961.

Its Fourth Assembly could have been held in a number of places but perhaps for this time, Sweden was as good as any and more appropriate than most other countries. Although this northern nation has a relatively strong military defense system. (As recently as 1963, the Swedes claimed the fourth largest air force), it is far better known for its tradition of peace, with its over one hundred and fifty years without war, its Nobel Peace prizes, and its Dag Hammarskjöld. For a world so plagued by war, Sweden was one of the few peaceful havens. Also, the high standard of living, arising out of its strong economic base, made it easier for Sweden to carry out the large responsibilities related to an Assembly numbering some 2,000 people. A modern gathering such as the Fourth Assembly involves a great deal more than food and lodging. A world forum such as this gathering demands and deserves the highly technical skills which are needed for radio and television. Since this Assembly was of world interest, world coverage by news organizations was required. To meet this condition, only a country of high technical development could handle such a task.

The Uppsala Cathedral



Dr. Eklund attended the World Council of Churches Assembly at Uppsala, Sweden, in July. He wrote the following article for Reflections.

y, Catholic, Apostolic Church

Moreover, this was the land from whence came one of the great churchmen and pioneers of the modern Ecumenical Movement, Nathan Söderbloom. It was symbolic that the city of Uppsala, where the archbishopric of Sweden is located and which was occupied with such distinction by Söderbloom from 1914 to 1931, should be the place where the Fourth Assembly was held. It was just forty miles to the south, in the capital city of Sweden, Stockholm, that in 1925, the important Universal Christian Conference on Life and Work was held. Almost single-handedly, Archbishop Söderbloom arranged and led that conference which was to be one of the important precursors of the World Council of Churches.

Finally, the beauty of Sweden and the lovely cathedral-university city of Uppsala were only two more factors which conspired to make this land of Scandinavia a fitting place for the coming together of this world forum of Christianity.

In passing, it is not likely that the Fifth Assembly which will probably be in 1974 or 1975 will meet in either Europe or North America next time. Nor do I believe that it should. Three of the four assemblies of the W.C.C. have met in the so-called western world. The Christian Church is more than these lands. The Church is "catholic" not parochial in nature. One bold suggestion was made that the next assembly ought to be held in Havana, Cuba, or Capetown, Africa! That the witness of the Gospel would be significant in such areas cannot be doubted. It is hardly possible,

though, that any invitations will be forthcoming from these places. In all likelihood, the next general meeting of the W.C.C. will be held somewhere in Africa, Asia, or South America. One other likely possibility would be a city behind the Iron Curtain.

The One Church

Familiar to us is that part of the Nicene Creed where we confess: "I believe *one, holy, catholic, and apostolic* church." The four adjectives, "one," "holy," "catholic," and "apostolic" are affirmed as the marks of the Church. Can these qualities be attributed to the W.C.C. which has now completed two decades of existence? There are good arguments against this. The very name — World Council of Churches—discourages the attempt to call this organization the Church. Further discouragement for such an endeavor is simply to be reminded of the fact that this body is made up of 235 different denominations.

Supporters of W.C.C. themselves argue that this is not a church. Visser t'Hooft, capable general secretary of the World Council for the first eighteen years of its history, specifically says that the "World Council cannot claim to be the one Church." Fears have often been expressed that the W.C.C. may become a huge super-church threatening the individuality and diversity which the creativity and the spontaneity of the Gospel seems to display in the variety of the many denominations.



Opening Procession

Yet, there may be another way to approach this question. Though the W.C.C. is not the Church, may it not display the marks of the Church? Since it is made up of the churches, each is itself an expression of the true Church, it may be assumed that the W.C.C. also portrays the marks of its constituent parts. Visser t'Hooft seems to say this when he writes: "It [the W.C.C.] can only try to express the mind of the *Una Sancta* (one Church), but not claim to be the *Una Sancta*." Those of us who were privileged to be at the Fourth Assembly believe this world today of Christendom is an expression of the marks of the Church. Furthermore, these qualities seem to have been better expressed at Uppsala than at any previous assembly.

The oneness of the W.C.C. is expressed in its statement of the basis for membership: "The World Council of Churches is a fellowship of churches which confess the Lord Jesus Christ as God and Savior according to the scriptures and therefore seek to fulfill together their common calling to the glory of the one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit."

Our concept of oneness is often distorted because we are looking for it in the wrong place. We assume that since there is a variety of church policies, emphases,

and liturgies that there is no unity. Such a view is a distortion of the New Testament itself. In its writings, variety in the Christian Church is already evident. The differences among James, Paul, and Peter are plainly shown early in Christian history. Yet, there was unity. *It was the unity the Church knows in Christ*. In Christ is the true unity of the Church. Since it abides there, the true unity of the Church cannot ultimately be destroyed. In the light of this truth, the W.C.C. is not attempting to create unity but to express the unity which God has already given His Church in Christ, His Son.

Expressions of this unity were evident at Uppsala in manifold ways. The Bible was studied by all participants present in morning sessions. The Word of God was preached. And, what was perhaps the most dramatic affirmation of this unity was the participation of some of the Roman Catholics in the celebration of the Lord's Supper! The drama of this was further emphasized by Father Robert Tucci, S.J., who, in his excellent presentation to the Assembly, asserted that there are no theological reasons—only practical and psychological ones—why the Roman Catholic Church should not belong to the W.C.C. He further served to allay Protestant doubts and fears when he said: "For us Roman Catholics also, the union of all Christians in the one Church of Christ cannot be the victory of one church over another, but the victory of Christ over our divisions, our conversion to Christ in which we are loyal to the promptings of the Holy Spirit which is the spirit of unity, and which can lead us along ways we cannot today foresee."

Holiness

As we have been guilty of a wrong view about unity, so have we also distorted the meaning of holiness. More than one of the

scandalous divisions in Christendom has arisen over claims and counterclaims of superior holiness. What has been overlooked in these less than admirable conflicts is that the nature of holiness is *derived*, not *achieved*. It is a gift of God and, like oneness, has its source in Christ. The Christian Church can know this holiness only as it professes faith in God's grace. The marks of such holiness are humility and repentance.

This understanding of holiness was clearly seen at the Fourth Assembly. In the document of the first study group which dealt with "The Holy Spirit and the Catholicity of the Church," holiness was declared to be "imparted by God alone, and has been manifest by the Holy Spirit in creating a community which shows its holiness by living for God and for others; but it is constantly counteracted by our preoccupation with ourselves."

The mark of holiness was shown in more than a documentary way. One of the chief strengths of the Fourth Assembly was its willingness to be exposed for its betrayal of the gift of God's holiness. Hence, it could listen to James Baldwin, the Negro author, rightly accuse the churches of unfaithfulness to God's command to love. It could recognize the truth of youth's protest that the words of the churches have been more courageous generally than their actions.

But there is also another side. Holiness enables one to see honestly and humbly the hypocrisy in our fellowmen. Few showed this better than Senator George McGovern of South Dakota. As a representative of the Methodist Church in America, this sensitive man took to task his fellow non-American Christians for their self righteousness in relation to their criticism of the United States over the Vietnam affair. One was well reminded of Jesus'

teaching about seeing "the splinter in the eye of one's neighbor" but overlooking "the log in one's own." The Senator did not leave his utterance there, for he also criticized our policy in this miserable and perplexing involvement of our country in Southeast Asia. Is not this mutual confession and criticism an evidence of holiness—a mode of behavior too little practiced certainly in our normal living?

Catholicity

Few will deny at least the outer appearance of this mark of catholicity at the Fourth Assembly of the World Council of Churches. It is stirring to recall that not since 1054, when Eastern Orthodoxy separated from the West, has there been such a wide representation of Christendom brought together in one place. The most visual evidence of this was the wide variety of ecclesiastical dress from the American business suit of the typical Congregational or Baptist clergyman to the rich vestments of the Eastern Orthodox

Dr. Akanu Ibiam of Biafra, a president of the World Council of Churches, talks with Archbishop William Wright of the Anglican Church of Canada.



groups and the colorful dress of the African churchmen who have impressively combined their tribal dress with churchly garbs. A more significant evidence of this mark has already been noted—the common celebration of the Eucharist by members of all three traditions: the Eastern Orthodox, Protestant, and Roman Catholic churches.

As with "one" and "holiness," so "catholic" has its source in Christ. It is not enough to define "catholic" simply as universal. Conrad Bergendoff, president emeritus of Augustana College (Rock Island, Ill.), states the fuller meaning for the Christian Church when he writes: "Catholicity in the New Testament consists in a view of the universality of the redemption in Christ" (*The One, Holy, Catholic, Apostolic Church*, p. 54). Drawing from this Christological view, the W.C.C. declared in the document previously referred to: "Since Christ lived, died, and rose again for all mankind, catholicity is the opposite of all kinds of egoistic particularism." For many of us it seemed as though catholicity in this deeper sense seldom has been shown so remarkably as at the Fourth Assembly in Uppsala.

Apostolicity

This fourth mark has always been close to the life of the W.C.C. Apostolicity, which means "to be sent," reminds us most clearly of mission. It was out of the missionary movement that the modern ecumenical movement arose from whence came the W.C.C. In 1961, at the Third Assembly, this mission concern was further strengthened by the incorporation of the International Missionary Council which, as a part of the twentieth century ecumenical movement, had maintained a separate existence since its organization in 1921.

With apostolicity, as with the other

three marks, the W.C.C. sees this in a Christocentric way. The second study section dealt with "Renewal in Mission." The document emerging from this group declared: "There is a burning relevance today in describing the mission of God, in which we participate, as the gift of a new creation which is a radical renewal of the old and the invitation to men to grow up into their full humanity in the New Man, Jesus Christ." What is especially noteworthy is the insistence that mission is the mission of God, not of the Church. The Church is but God's instrument which has been awesomely blessed with the charge to go to all men.

"Behold, I Make All Things New"

The W.C.C. chose as its theme, "Behold, I make all things new" (Rev. 21:5). Can this be appropriate when so much seems to have been made of the traditional and ancient characteristics of the Church? I think it is. At Uppsala, to be reminded of the Christological origin was to know renewal. To see these marks expressed in such an unprecedented setting had an exciting newness about it. I, for one, sensed the newness of Christ in a way that has been well expressed by another person: "You cannot be an American and a Christian, an Englishman and a Christian, a Bantu and a Christian, a Yoruba and a Christian . . . When a man puts on Christ such divisions are broken down: there is neither Jew nor Greek, black nor white, Yoruba nor Ibo; there is only new man." This is what Uppsala tried to say. In certain ways, it stated this conviction stammeringly. In other ways, well I am convinced that only in this New Man, Christ, whom the Fourth Assembly confessed, can we approach a new understanding for our time of what it is to be the "one, holy, catholic, apostolic Church."



PLU Involvement in Community Affairs

by James L. Peterson

Increasingly involved in community affairs, Pacific Lutheran University has been among the instigators of social action programs in the Tacoma area over the past five years. This involvement has evolved into a true awareness of racial problems and active participation in civil rights efforts.

Dr. Robert Mortvedt, university president, has given his support, accenting and defining the role of the university as "a force and a citizen in the community."

Forerunner of a variety of current activities was the inclusion of a one-semester course, "Teaching the Disadvantaged," in the university curriculum, beginning in 1963. The enrollment in this course, made up entirely of Tacoma teachers, has always been at least 40 and on one occasion exceeded 60.

Three years ago the federal government approved the Higher Education Act of 1965, including Title I which provides funds for use by educational institutions in community service projects. The funds are administered by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

"Our participation accelerated after 1965," Dr. Thomas Langevin, PLU academic vice-president, related. "At the same time, university professors were moving out of the classroom. In sociology, for ex-

ample, you cannot effectively teach without becoming involved.

"The university is consciously aware that it can serve the community in this way," he added. "The faculty is competent to understand the problem."

During the summer of 1967, the university conducted a special one-week orientation workshop for Headstart personnel. One of the direct outgrowths of the project was an invitation extended to Dr. Kenneth Johnston, director of the School of Education, to serve as consultant to the Alaska Headstart Project and the Parent-Child Center Project. During the past year he has traveled at government expense on five occasions to observe and assist as a consultant to the Alaska project.

During the 1967-68 school year, PLU conducted a series of five special Urban Affairs Conferences, also sponsored by Title I funds. The project involved citizens from throughout the state of Washington, but particularly Seattle and Tacoma.

As a direct result of the conferences, steps are being taken in Seattle and Tacoma to move toward improved metropolitan government. The political science department, and especially Dr. Lowell Culver, professor of political science, served as the university force in this project. Similar activities have been proposed

for the coming year.

As an indirect result of the conferences, Tacoma city officials became more closely acquainted with the university, its faculty and administration. Dialogue between the two helped in the organization of the Tacoma Urban Coalition, the Black Culture program and the Human Relations workshop.

Doctor Langevin represents the university as co-chairman of the Education Task Force within the Tacoma Urban Coalition.

The Coalition desires to improve coordination between groups already working on the problems inherent in the "urban crisis." It is striving for more intense motivation of individuals and groups and continuing effective communication.

"It brings together forces in the community that don't ordinarily have a chance to talk together," Doctor Langevin explained. "It includes doctors, lawyers, educators, ministers, businessmen—representatives from all income and occupational levels."

"It is trying to cut through restrictions of all kinds found within any community."

The Education Task Force is "listening and listening hard" to a multiplicity of views on what needs to be done to bring about a constructive change in educational patterns. Ideas run the gamut from new kinds of schools to new courses in race history and race relations.

A possible result of this type of study might be a federal city college, financed by an urban land grant.

The Black Culture program also had its inception last spring in conversations between Pierce County officials and two PLU history professors, Dr. James Halseth and Dr. W. C. Schnackenberg.

An eight-week session was developed, with courses in Swahili language, African stitchery, cooking and arts, as well as

African history and culture. Most of the students were under 25 years of age and all attended free of charge.

"Western culture is the white man's culture," Doctor Schnackenberg pointed out. Blacks have been simply cut off. There really is no way they could put themselves on an equal basis with the white man without a culture of their own.

"American history has been mistaught," he added. "The role of the black man has been eliminated or distorted."

He indicated that the Black culture program and efforts of its nature can contribute to the sense of identity and "pride in their blackness" which is becoming increasingly important in the Afro-American community.

As administrator of Title I funds for the project, PLU was active in the coordination, but care was taken to allow black instructors freedom to develop their own program. Five black instructors, three of them Africans, conducted the classes.

According to Doctor Schnackenberg, the Black Culture program was the only one of its kind nationwide receiving Title I funds at the time and one of the few conducted throughout the nation.

The results of the program are being evaluated this fall. "Hopefully it will show that programs like this should be continued," Schnackenberg said. "We've made a dent, but if it is to mean anything it should be continued."

An effort to achieve new awareness of the feeling of both races toward one another was attempted this summer in a Tacoma area Human Relations workshop. Though comprehensive evaluations have yet to be made, there have been many indications that the project achieved its purpose, according to its directors, Dr. John A. Schiller, chairman of the PLU sociology department.

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Alumni News

Bob Nistad Elected President

Robert A. Nistad '53, was elected president of the Pacific Lutheran University Alumni Association at the May 11 meeting of the Alumni Board of Directors. Dr. M. Roy Schwarz '58, was elected vice-president.

Bob Nistad, in his third year as a member of the Pacific Lutheran University Alumni Board of Directors, has previously served as national chairman of the 1967 annual fund drive as well as a member of other annual fund committees. Bob brings to the job of president a strong background in administrative experience and an enthusiasm that is contagious.

"I feel it a real honor to be elected president of our Alumni Association," said Bob in a letter to the Board, "and I am grateful for the confidence you have shown in me." Bob further stated that, "I hope that we can build on the solid base that Luther Watness and Jon Olson established last year and to further expand the activities and influence of our standing committees. Namely, those involving work with the undergraduates and in the area of continuing education.

"Because of the success of our 1968 annual alumni fund drive we will also be-

gin to implement our plans that were spelled out to our alumni in the 1968 annual alumni fund brochures. The 1968-69 year should be THE year to firmly put the P. L. U. Alumni Association on the way to becoming an effective support force for our alma mater."

Dr. Schwarz, in his second year as a member of the Alumni Board, served as national chairman of the 1968 annual alumni fund drive.



Participation Goal Exceeded By 1968 Annual Fund Drive

The most successful annual alumni fund drive in four years is now over. The 1968 annual alumni fund participation goal of 500 giving units was reached by the July 31, 1968, deadline. As of this date 504 alumni have given a total of \$15,305.33. This exceeds our 1967 total in numbers by 100% and in dollars received by over 200%.

The annual alumni fund committee wishes to extend its thanks to all of our alumni who participated in our 1968 fund drive and to recognize those people who joined our new giving clubs. Membership in these clubs was determined by a set of

guidelines that were established at the beginning of the drive. A Patron's Club membership was granted to those giving in the \$1 - \$99 bracket; Century Club memberships to those giving between \$100 - \$199; Director's Club memberships to those giving \$200-\$499; and an Executive Club membership to a person giving over \$500. A fifth club, the President's Club, was not chartered this year, but a number of alumni have expressed interest in joining this club. A gift of \$1,000 or more to the annual fund is the basic criteria for membership in the President's Club.

Below is listed the honor roll for our 1968 alumni fund. A special thanks to all of you who joined with us this year to give our new involvement program a firm base upon which to build.

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A Man of Stature

"Truly, one does not memorialize a person in a structure of stone, but does memorialize the ideals, goals, concepts and philosophies of the individual."

Colorado Governor John Love spoke July 28 of Rev. Merlin W. Zier (PLU '50) at the dedication of the Merlin Zier Hospital Administrative Building at the Colorado State Home and Training School for the Retarded at Wheat Ridge, Colo. Reverend Zier was the director of the institution from April 1962 until November 1967.

He died of cancer this past spring at the age of 39.

"Reverend Zier was certainly a man of high ideals with remarkable goals, concepts and philosophy of core for the handicapped citizen," the governor recalled of the man who, as he put it, "worked so hard and diligently for betterment of the life of the retarded.

"Under Merlin Zier, the administration moved from a caretaker's philosophy to one of concern, habilitation, education and fullness of life. The annual budget increased from 1962 to 1967 by some 400 per cent, and the employees staff by some 300 per cent, due in no small measure to his sincerity and concern when he presented his budget to the legislature.

"More than anything, he loved the children of Ridge. They, in turn, loved him. We cannot truly express the feelings of the children who cried when the Reverend Zier passed on, or to know the deep love and respect his staff had for him when they asked that a small measure of memory to him would be this dedication."

Reverend Zier had struggled to get the hospital and diagnostic wing that now bears his name to improve medical care

for his charges. He was concerned that those very profoundly retarded and multiple handicapped receive the best of intensive care, and was responsible for the design of the new 60-bed unit.

The complex also houses administrative offices and professional therapies for care and training of the children.

Reverend Zier's profound concern for his fellow man was a trait from early childhood. Born in Odessa, Wash., to Mr. and Mrs. George Zier, he was one of eight boys. Governor Love noted that "his mother recalls that he was 'different,' even as a young boy, which was clearly manifested through his deep faith and overpowering concern for his family and friends."

He was a top scholar, athlete and student body president at Davenport, Wash. High School. According to Love, "The deep concern and interests he had in his fellow men, associated with his conviction of the teachings of Christ, led him to Pacific Lutheran University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in history and philosophy in 1950."

Following ordination, Reverend Zier served two churches at Heppner and Lone, Ore. He loved the area and asked to be buried in that tranquil and peaceful country.

A scholarship enabled him to attain a master's degree in philosophy and clinical training at the Andover Newton Graduate School in Massachusetts. Following his studies, he served as chief chaplain at the Rainier State School in Buckley, Wash., from 1959-61, where he conducted the first nationally accredited chaplaincy training program.

He applied and was appointed assistant superintendent at Rainier in 1961, which led to the superintendency at Ridge.

"He was truly a whole man," Governor

Love recalled, "a man who loved his family and his work, the community and his country, and was guided at all times by Christian concepts.

Reverend Zier is survived by his wife, the former Alice Slyter, and four children, Sandra, Steven, Sharon and Sarah Beth.

USSAC—A Time to Serve

An Example of Student Involvement

A relatively recent addition to student life at PLU is USSAC (University Student Social Action Committee), adopted as a standing committee by the associated students on September 29, 1966. USSAC arose out of a conviction that 1) a Christian university has a commitment to meeting the needs of individuals in its surrounding community, 2) that students who would participate in programs of social service to help meet these needs would gain outstanding educational experiences, and 3) that they would be provided opportunities to grow both mentally and spiritually. As a result of these ideas, USSAC was created to communicate to PLU students that there

were real needs in the Tacoma area which they could meet.

USSAC's first year of operation, the 1966-67 school year, showed that all many students needed was to know the needs, and they were ready to get their hands dirty. Students taught mentally retarded and physically handicapped youngsters from Tayet school how to swim using the PLU pool; tutored children at Gault and McIlveigh Junior High Schools, Remann Hall, and Hilltop and M.O.R.E. Multi-Service Centers; participated in the resocialization programs for emotionally disturbed patients at the American Lake Veteran's Hospital and Western State Hospital; worked with a recreational program for the Indian children on the Nisqually Indian Reservation; visited with the mentally retarded children at Rainier School, volunteered as case worker aides for the Tacoma Public Assistance program; and, participated in several other programs.

During the present school year, most of these original projects have been functioning and one new project has been added. This has been to supply tutors for the Tacoma Area Child Tutoring Service (TACT), an Office of the Economic Oppor-



tunity program, which was inspired by USSAC's beginning efforts at tutoring last year. From USSAC's beginnings last year at Hilltop Multi-Service Center with about 30 tutors from PLU, TACT has grown to include eight tutoring centers located in the disadvantaged areas of Tacoma involving about 180 tutors each from PLU and UPS, and tutors from some senior high schools and Tacoma Community College. These tutors work with disadvantaged children in an attempt to help break the cycle of poverty by helping them to learn how to deal with their educational problems. Often the tutor's main worth comes more from the influence of his concern on the child's motivation than from what he actually teaches the child.

Another area of involvement is with the Tacoma Department of Public Assistance. Twelve volunteers from PLU are currently working as case worker aides with twelve separate families varying in background, size and race. The case worker aides adapt themselves to the family with which they work, so that their experiences are unique, demanding creativity and ingenuity on their part.

The USSAC swim program has been enlarged to include mentally retarded and physically handicapped children from both Tayet and Midland schools, and about 25 volunteers from PLU. The children are taught basic swimming skills, with the goal being to enable them to pass a beginning swimming test. So far, eight of the children in the program have passed the test, and progress has been made in other areas, such as conquering fear of the water.

Students are also participating in the resocialization process at Western State Hospital and American Lake Veteran's Hospital. Here the main emphasis has been to give these people someone to talk to

who is not a patient or a hospital staff member in order to help them gain confidence in relating to people and develop other basic social skills.

Two of USSAC's present projects serve the Indian population of surrounding communities. PLU students tutor for the M.O.R. E. Multi-Service Center in Puyallup, where 95% of the tutees are Indian, and they are involved in a recreational program for the Indian children on the Nisqually Indian Reservation near Olympia. One of the high points of the Nisqually program was a trip to Mount Rainier on a Saturday afternoon.

Of course, USSAC has had its failures, like all of man's endeavors. There have been projects that gotten off the ground and died for lack of support and others that have not even gotten off the ground. The success or failure of USSAC, however, should not be judged by how many projects it has going or how many people it has involved. Rather, it should be evaluated on the basis of whether or not those who are involved are meeting real needs. On this basis, USSAC has been very successful.

What, then, is USSAC? It has been called many things: "an idea made up of students concerned for others . . .," "opportunities for involvement . . .," "an outlet for people to express their love for other people . . .," and it is all these things and more. In the context of a Christian university, USSAC is a symbol that there is, in the well-rounded Christian life, a time to serve — a time in which we can share the love of Christ with those who know little love, but only rejection. In this way, a few more lives may be made fuller and deeper. This is USSAC's goal: to serve, to give and to love as we are loved in and by Him.

Chris Anderson '69
USSAC Chairman 1967-68



Former Faculty

Architectural accessories, including ceramic pots and bronze sculptures which might be used in home decoration, were featured in PHILLIP LEVINE'S one-man show which opened July 12th at the Cascade Gallery in Seattle Center. Since 1962 he has had six one-man shows and has shown in 23 major exhibits. Commissions have included the Pacific Science Center medallion. Last year his sculpture was included in the governor's invitational exhibit in Olympia.

1939

DR. S. LUTHER BOE, a veterinarian who has practiced in the Milwaukie (Ore.) area for 20 years, has filed for state representative from Clackamas County. If elected, Boe said he would support legislation in regard to agricultural industry, medical school education and public health.

1943

LORNA (ROGERS) GREER finished her M.A. in librarianship at the University of Washington in April.

1946

STAN WHITEHEAD, principal of Duwamish (Wash.) Elementary School, taught summer at Central Washington State College.

1947

DR. RICHARD C. LANGTON has been named superintendent of school district 549C, Medford, Oregon. He was formerly

superintendent of Paradise Valley School Dist. in suburban Phoenix, Ariz.

KEN and RUTH (JENSEN) ANENSON have moved to Stockton, Calif. Ken retired after 21 years with the Federal Bureau of Investigation to become the second full-time instructor in the police science department at San Joaquin Delta Junior College in Stockton. He had been assigned to the San Francisco office since 1950, having previously held posts in Miami, Fla., and Washington, D. C.

1948

EARL H. AHRENS received his M.A. from Adams State College of Colorado in August, 1968.

1949

President-elect of the American Driver and Traffic Safety Education Association (ADSTEA) is CLIFFORD BOYCE, state supervisor of driver and safety education.

Boyce has been a leader in driver and safety education for the past several years. He has been a member of the ADSTEA conference in Seattle, participant in many traffic safety programs throughout the country, and a member of numerous national groups in safety and student traffic programs.

Within the state he has been chairman of the Governor's Traffic Safety Conference, member of the Governor's traffic safety coordinating committee, chairman of the Legislative Committee and president of the Pierce County Safety Council.

He took over the driver education program on the state level in 1963, after spending the previous two years as supervisor of civil defense.

His background includes 15 years as public school teacher and administrator.

Before he joined the state staff in 1961, he was superintendent of the Bethel School District in Spanaway, south of Tacoma.



Chaplain LUTHER O. WATNESS, assistant 41st Infantry Brigade chaplain, and his son, Pfc. E. R. Watness, are served coffee by the second Watness son, David, during the chaplain's 15 days of active duty at the Yakima Washington Firing Center. Pfc. Watness is an MP in the Headquarters Company. Son David is not old enough to be a National Guard member but is acting as a mess boy during the 15 days of active duty for the Oregon Army National Guard's 41st Infantry Brigade. Chaplain Watness is the minister of St. Luke Lutheran Church, Portland. David will be a sophomore at Wilson High School while his MP son is a sophomore at PLU.

Lt. Col. MAURICE SEAQUIST is now the Chief Clinical Psychologist in the U. S. Air Force. Col. Seaquist is responsible for recommending programs and policies affecting psychologists in the Air Force.

ROBERT ZURFLUH is the new superintendent of the Orting School District. He has been principal for the past six years at Laughon High School in Tacoma.

1950

WARREN JAECH is teaching mathematics at Tacoma Community College.

ROBERT W. BISCHOFF received D.Ed. in special education from the University of Oregon in June, 1967. He has accepted a position as associate professor in education with responsibilities as coordinator of visually handicapped teacher training program, Northern (Ill.) Univ., DeKalb, Ill. He was formerly consultant in the visually handicapped program for the Tacoma Public Schools.

JOHN K. HAGENSEN, wife Maxine, and sons Gary 14, Jim 12, and Tom 9, are in Sandaka, Sabah, Malaysia, where John is principal of the Sung Siew Secondary School. There are about 650 students attending this school. It is a government aided parochial school. After having worked as a principal and teacher for 17 years in the United States, it is quite a change for John.

MILTON FUHR has been granted a Mott Fellowship to do graduate work at Wayne State University in Detroit, Michigan.

WILLIAM M. MUSE, a teacher at Stadium High School in Tacoma for the last ten years, has been appointed instructor in biology at Tacoma Community College.

1951

Jack Metcalf



State Senator Jack Metcalf won the Republican nomination for the U. S. Senate in the Washington State primary held on September 17. Jack will be running against incumbent Senator Warren G. Magnuson for the Senate seat in November.

HAROLD MALNES is vice-principal of Mountlake Terrace Senior High School in the Edmonds (Wash.) school district. He has been in the Edmonds district teaching junior high school for twelve years.

ROBERT ANDERSON, principal of Fredriksen School (Dublin, Calif.) since its opening two years ago, has accepted the position of Director of Special Education for Eldorado County in Placerville, Calif.

Major RICHARD MOLTER has been transferred to Mt. Home AFB, Idaho, for training in the reconnaissance mission of the RF4 Phantom jet. Prior to this, the major lived in Portland, Ore.

1952

DR. N. F. WIKNER was presented the Defense Department's Distinguished Civilian Service Award by Deputy Secretary of Defense, Paul H. Nitze. The deputy director for science and technology at the Defense Atomic Support Agency (DASA) has received the Department of Defense's highest civilian award for performance.

The award is given each year to six selected employees who during the preceding year have made the greatest contributions to the efficiency, economy or other improvements in the operations of the Department of Defense.

Dr. Wikner was recognized for his exceptional contributions to the Department of Defense nuclear effects research and test program.

His "eminent scientific talent and dynamic leadership have resulted in a highly significant and accelerated underground test program, in development of advanced theoretical and simulation techniques and in a greatly improved readiness-to-test program" his citation says.

The ceremony, held in the Pentagon Auditorium on July 16, was attended by ranking Department of Defense civilian and military leaders. Mrs. June M. Wikner accepted the award—a medal, citation, lapel pin and rosette—for her husband who was unable to attend the ceremony.



Dr. N. F. Wikner

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The alumni office has begun a collection of all known books, pamphlets and separate articles that have been written by our alums or former faculty members. If you know of any titles that would aid this collection the alumni office would appreciate hearing from you. Better yet send us a copy if you have one. The materials gathered will be kept as part of the alumni section of the University Archive collection.



Dr. Wikner assumed his current DASA position in September, 1966, and is responsible for scientific planning and direction of the nation's nuclear weapons effects programs.

VERN ROCKSTAD received Sumner (Wash.) School's first sabbatical leave to attend the University of Washington to work towards his M.A. in Special Education this year.

FRANK WITT is teaching biology at Tacoma Community College.

GEORGE NOWADNICK is the new principal of Snohomish (Wash.) High School. He has served as vice-principal of Issaquah High School for the past eight years.

M. RAY OSTERLOH is an account executive for Dean Witter & Co. in Seattle.

1953

ROGER J. MADSEN received an appointment by Oregon's Governor Tom McCall to Oregon's first strawberry commission, and was sworn in at the capitol last year. He also served as president of the Oregon-Washington Fruit and Vegetable Growers Association during the last term.

In the 10th Annual Puget Sound Area Exhibition March 8-April 7, 1968, BETTIE (CRUTS) KENNY had an acrylic painting shown. She was among the 76 artists chosen by the jurors from 614 to exhibit in the Frye Museum. The painting is entitled "Aum."

Mrs. Kenny is a senior at the University of Washington working on the degree of Bachelor of Fine Arts in drawing and painting and a B.A. in English, in the School of Arts and Sciences. She plans to continue her schooling to obtain a M.F.A. in drawing and painting and a Ph.D. in arts and sciences.

1954

CONSTANCE (HANSON) JAEGER received her M.A. in music from the Univ. of Wash. last June. This is the first degree the university has offered in sacred music. Husband JIM has established a chaplaincy department at the Children's Orthopedic Hospital and Medical Center in Seattle. It is the first opportunity given by a private non-sectarian hospital to establish such a program in the state of Washington.

DR. DAVID K. ROE is associate professor of chemistry at the Oregon Graduate Center in Cedar Mill. He was formerly an assistant professor of chemistry at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

PAUL S. KRAABEL is the new manager

of Computer Sciences Corporation's Seattle office. He was previously senior member of the technical staff for the firm's Northwest operations.

PAUL RUNNING presided at the dedication of the U.S. Naval Communication Station chapel at North West Cape, Western Australia.

1955

BOB CURTIS, East Wenatchee businessman, has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for a seat in the Washington State House of Representatives from the 12th District.

The Rev. JAMES LOKKEN has joined the staff of the Liturgical Conference of Seattle, originally Roman Catholic but increasingly ecumenical. For the past two years he has been assistant editor of The Lutheran Forum.

IVER ELIASON is the new principal of Midland Elementary School (Tacoma). He was formerly a fifth grade teacher at James Sales Elementary School in the Franklin Pierce School District.

1956

JACK L. HOOVER has become registrar for the University of Colorado, with headquarters in Boulder. He was formerly director of admissions and records for CU's Denver Center.

1957

DR. WALTER CAPPS has received a fellowship from the Society for Religion in Higher Education. He will undertake an inter-disciplinary research project at various institutes in Europe. The University of California at Santa Barbara has granted him leave during this academic year. His

wire LOIS (GRIMSRUD '59) and the two children will accompany him. Dr. Capps has also had the privilege during the past two years of serving with Professor Emmet Ecklund on the Lutheran World Federation Commission on Theology, West Coast study group.

ROBERT G. OLSON has filed his application for the Livermore (Calif.) School District trustee post. He has been a physicist at the Lawrence Radiation Laboratory for 10 years.

"When Peace Comes," a 30-minute color documentary based on San Diego's economic experiences over the last generation, was presented by the National Educational Television network on September 5. The program was produced by the public affairs unit of KEBS-TV in San Diego. It is the first of five Local Issues documentaries scheduled for viewing on the 169 NET stations this fall.

"When Peace Comes" is the first network documentary produced by a local San Diego station. It projects San Diego as an example of a city that has experienced two boom-and-burst periods — advances and declines caused by over-dependence on aerospace contracts and military installations.

"When Peace Comes" was directed by PAUL STEEN.

1958

RUTH CHRISTIAN is teaching for the second year in Germany for the Army. She spent school years 65-67 teaching for the Air Force in Tokyo, Japan, and traveled in S. E. Asia and India. Miss Christian has also traveled extensively in Europe. She spent Christmas 1967 in the Holy Land and Egypt. Easter in Italy.

Roger K. Ose, husband of the former JANET A. SMITH was ordained into the

ministry of the American Lutheran Church on August 18. Mrs. Ose is now working on a master's degree in Public Health Nursing at the University of Minnesota.

DR. JAMES A. HAALAND has been promoted to major in the U.S. Air Force. Dr. Haaland, a flight surgeon at Phan Rang AB, Vietnam, is a member of the Pacific Air Forces.

SETH ANDERSON was selected for the rank of Lieutenant Commander, USN, and has started residency in internal medicine at Oakland Naval Hospital.

DR. DONALD G. DOUGLAS has recently been appointed to the faculty of the University of Washington as the director of the Institute for Forensic Studies. Wife LOUISE (KRAABEL, '59) is teaching in the speech department at Shoreline Community College. For the past three years Don has taught at California Lutheran College.

Chaplain CLARE H. LEDUM, JR. was presented the Army Commendation Medal.

DR. M. ROY SCHWARZ has been appointed assistant dean of the University of Washington School of Medicine and also was promoted to the academic rank of assoc. professor of biological structure. Dr. Schwarz is the youngest man in the medical school's history to receive this honor.

1960

WILLIENA (BOONE) AUSHERMAN is teaching in the Kent school district.

JEAN (ULLELAND) HOVET and family are living in Denver, Colo., where husband Richard is attending service school for the National Cash Register Company.

Bob and LORETTA (WEAVER) HUDSON have moved from Concord, Calif., to Mariposa, Calif., where Bob has opened a new plumbing shop.

LT. JOHN R. BACKMAN assumed com-

PLAN NOW TO ATTEND

HOMECOMING 1968

OCT. 31 - NOV. 2

Homecoming this year features a number of activities designed to enhance your return to Pacific Lutheran University. Activities such as:

- The Four Freshman in concert
- The Traditional Coronation
- UPS-PLU "Powderpuff" Game
- Football—PLU vs. Pacific University
- The annual Homecoming Banquet and Honor Class Receptions. This year we are honoring the classes of 1958, 1943, 1918, and all PLA'ers.
- The presentation of the Pacific Lutheran University Alumni Association third Distinguished Alumnus Award to Dr. Lloyd M. Nyhus, Class of 1945.

Watch for details in the Homecoming flyer due to reach you soon !!!



mand of Naval Reserve Surface Division 13-36 (S) during recent change of command ceremonies at the Naval Reserve Facility in Tumwater, Wash.

1961

JOHN W. LENNON is teaching at Clover Park High School (Tacoma) this year.

MARVIN CHRISTENSEN received his M. S. W. from the University of Washington School of Social Work. He and his wife are working at the Lower Columbia Mental Health Center in Longview, Wash., and are living near Chehalis with their nine adopted children.

PAUL ERIKS has accepted a position as associate campus pastor at the University of Washington and is a full-time graduate student enrolled in the Graduate School of Education, Educational Psychology. SALLY (PIEHL), Julia, and Paul are living in the "Luther House," one block north of the campus.

THERON WHEELER attended a summer workshop for two weeks at U. C. L. A. sponsored by the "Tacoma News Tribune."

DOUG JOHNSON, convention director for PLU last summer, is spending a year in Europe studying and traveling.

KENNETH R. BLACK recently became a casework supervisor for the Benton-Franklin County (Wash.) office of the State Department of Public Assistance.

1962

DENNIS GUDAL is sales representative for the Automobile Club of Southern California. He and wife SHIRLEY (JOHNSON '63) live in West Covina.

M. GAY (KINARED) ENGLISH is now residing in Manila, R. P. I., with daughter, Disa, 2, while husband Burt works as an Area Specialist in the Highlands of Viet Nam.

GAIL (GELDAKER) CHRISTENSEN spent last year in Washington, D. C., while husband Dave attended Advanced Officers Training. Prior to that she taught third grade near Beaverton, Ore., while Dave served in Viet Nam. Gail and Dave are now living in Rapid City, S. D., where Dave is assistant professor of military science at the South Dakota School of Mines and Technology.

ELSIE (GULLSTAD) BERGSTROM is teaching French at Memorial Junior High School in Albany, Ore.

DAVE BOTTEMILLER is teaching English and journalism at Madras High School in Madras, Ore. He has taken graduate work at the University of Oregon and San Jose State College. He has two years of teaching experience in San Jose schools.

ROXANNE (HANSEN) LARSON received a M.A. degree from the University of South Dakota in elementary education last August.

VIRGIL A. HUNDTOFTE and wife JOANN (HUDSON '59) are living in Omaha, Nebraska, where Virgil is superintendent of production for the agricultural division of Allied Chemical. They have moved from Petersburg, Virginia.

It wasn't exactly a maternity ward, but Eugene (Ore.) patrolman ZANE O. WILSON did what he knew had to be done last May. He delivered a baby.

Patrolman Wilson stopped a car after observing it traveling at more than 80 miles an hour. The driver explained why she was rushing the woman to the hospital. The officer called for an ambulance, but the vehicle lost in a race with the stork.

ALLAN BLOMQUIST '62, has just received his master of arts degree from Michigan State University. He has been on a year's leave from his teaching position in the Issaquah school district. He has returned there this fall.

1963

MICHAEL W. HEALY is at the School of Social Work, University of Washington, working toward his M.A. degree. He will graduate in 1969. After graduating from PLU, Mike worked with the Department of Public Assistance as a caseworker and unemployment counselor.

KENT FREEMAN finished his M.A. work last summer at San Diego State College. He is teaching fifth grade in the San Diego unified school district in the compensatory education program.

ROBERT L. DERR received a B.A. degree from the University of California at Riverside, with a major in Russian. He is now attending graduate school at the American Institute of Foreign Trade in Phoenix, Arizona. GEORGIA (BUCHOLZ) DERR '62, is teaching French and Spanish in a high school in the Phoenix area.

JERRY CURTIS is head football coach and assistant wrestling coach and head of the department of physical education at Meadowdale Junior High School in Edmonds.

TOM and MARY JO (NELSON '64) LOWE are in Guam where Tom is teaching secondary science and Mary Jo is working in the lab at Guam Memorial Hospital.

After receiving his M.D. degree from the Univ. of Oregon Medical School in 1967, GEORGE N. VIGELAND served one year internship at the Los Angeles County Hospital. He is currently on a one year tour of duty as a medical officer in Viet Nam, after which he plans to enter residency training in ophthalmology.

RON BOOMER, stationed in Ankara, Turkey, has been working on building two 65' feedhorn support towers, total weight 800 tons. The location is 32 miles south of Adana in the cotton fields. It was the

first time any Air Force people had built antennas of this size.

Most of the crew were under 22 years of age. Ron assisted in bolting a faceplate as a consequence of the crew raising \$30 for the overseas Federal Campaign (blind, multiple sclerosis, etc.) as part of the Incirlik radio station marathon drive. He, wife SYLVI (LANGLAND '61), and daughter Sarah have traveled throughout Europe to observe such highlights as the Köln Dam, tulip time in the Netherlands, London, western fiords of Norway, Oslo hinterland, Denmark, and autobahn driving in Germany.

CHRISTY N. ULLELAND has returned to Seattle after spending one year in Minneapolis interning at Hennepin County General Hospital. She is now a pediatrics resident in the University of Washington Medical School program.

1964

DENNIS COURTWRIGHT has been named operations officer at the Gig Harbor (Wash.) Banking Center of the Bank of Washington.

MARVIN D. FREDERICKSON is interning at Boston City Hospital after graduating from the University of Washington Medical School in June. He and wife CAROLE (HAALAND) are living in Brookline, Mass.

JERRY DODGEN is an elected member of the District Youth Committee of the ALC and as such attended a lay briefing symposium in Minneapolis in May. With the three other members from the northwest, Jerry is in charge of training other adults in the area for work with special youth programs in 22 Northwest parishes.

GERALD DITTRICH preached at Christ



Rev.
George Beard

Lutheran Church in Tacoma in August. He is finishing his studies this quarter at Wartburg Seminary.

The Rev. GEORGE BEARD is the new pastor of Blaine Lutheran Church, Blaine, Wash., and Clearbrook Lutheran Church, Lynden, Wash. He was ordained August 11 at Peace Lutheran Church in Seattle.

He is a June graduate of Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary in Berkeley with a Bachelor of Divinity degree.

1965

KENT HJELMERVIK is responsible for the southern Oregon and northern California area for the Proctor and Gamble Soap Division. He lives in Coburg, Oregon, and works under the Seattle District Office.

JAN (AALBUE) ALBRECHT received a Master's Degree in Education from the United States International University, California Western Division in San Diego, California, June 9, 1968.

TED J. VIGELAND received the degree of Doctor of Medicine from the University of Oregon Medical School in June. He is now interning at the University of Oregon Medical School Hospitals and clinics for one year prior to entering residency training in an undecided specialty.

1966

EVELYN (SCHUTTE) HEDMAN has been teaching fifth grade the past two years in St. Paul, Minn., public schools. Her husband Dave is on internship from Luther Seminary in 1968-69. His assignment is at Brevig Mission, Alaska. Brevig boasts a population of 106 Eskimos. The village is located 80 miles north of Nome and can be reached by plane, dog sled, boat, or snowmobile.

GARY HAUGEN was accepted to a N.D.E.A. Institute in guidance and counseling at Northern Illinois University in DeKalb, Ill. Wife SHARON (LARSEN) is attending graduate school there.

DAVE HOLMQUIST was the recipient of the second annual Aid Association for Lutherans Grant-in-Aid scholarship award at Wartburg Seminary.

BILL COFFMAN is the new intern at St. Luke Lutheran Church in Portland, Ore. Wife SONJA (ULVESTAD '67) graduated from the University of Washington in May.

KENNETH A. JOHNSON graduated with a Master's Degree in Transportation Economics from Washington State University last spring. He is working for the Santa Fe Railroad in Chicago in market research.

1 Lt. JAMES R. FEEK received the command of Augmentation Company at Camp A. P. Hill, Virginia. Lt. Feek was previously a safety officer for the ranges at Camp Hill.

MARY LEE WEBB received her Master's Degree in counseling and student personnel at Arizona State University in June. She is teaching English in Lewiston Senior High School, Lewiston, Idaho.

GORDON BLOMQUIST has been permanently assigned to Roosevelt Arms Naval Air Station, Puerto Rico. The base's prime duty is submarine patrol. Gordon enlisted in the navy's flight training program in 1966 and received his wings at Corpus Christi, Texas, in March. After a period of advanced training on multiple engine planes at Jacksonville, Florida, Lt. Blomquist received his permanent assignment.

BYRON HOLMGREN received a M.A. in special education from Central Washington College in June. He is now working on a doctorate in administration and programs for gifted children and youth at the University of Maryland on a U. S. Office of Education fellowship.

JUDY SUNWALL is in her third year of teaching fourth grade in the Columbia Heights school district in Minneapolis, Minn.

FRED J. BAXTER received a master of arts degree of public administration from the University of Washington last spring. Last summer he worked in the Office of the Under Secretary of the Department of Transportation, Washington, D. C., as a research assistant. He is now enrolled in the University of Colorado Law School.

1967

JIM RISMILLER was the guest speaker at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, Aberdeen, Wash. in July. He is attending Luther Seminary in Minneapolis.

CLAUDIA (LUKE) LATHAM is teaching fourth grade in Kent, Wash. Her husband Ron is a machinist apprentice at Pacific Car and Foundry in Renton.

TED CARLSON is a lieutenant in the Marine Corps stationed in Viet Nam. JOANNA (VINAAS '65) taught first grade in Florida and fourth grade in Virginia (half year each) last year and is now at home in Poulsbo.

DALE V. HOUG was appointed to a summer internship with the State Board for Community College Education. He acted as an administrative assistant to the assistant director for finance. He is studying at the University of Wyoming toward a master's degree in political science.

COLETTE L. ENGEL has been awarded the silver wings of an American Airlines stewardess and has now been assigned to flight duty out of New York City. She received her wings as a graduate in the thirteenth class this year at the American Airlines Stewardess College, Fort Worth, Tex. Miss Engel studied more than 100 different subjects during her six weeks'

Colette L.
Engel



DID YOU KNOW THAT

... PLU has a comprehensive Student Health Service.

... Gladys (Hovland) Bergum '48, is chief nurse in charge of the Health Service.

... in 1967-68 6,323 students were seen by the Health Service staff.

... last January was the busiest month with 963 student callers.

... May had the fewest calls with 231 students seen.

... Dr. Ernest Randolph '52, is one of the part-time physicians on the staff.

... the Health Service staff is composed of two part-time University physicians, a psychiatric consultant, three registered nurses and a clerical worker.

... the student Health Service provides outpatient care which includes: diagnosis and treatment of minor medical problems, referral to specialist or family physician if indicated; first aid to students, staff and faculty, and psychiatric consultation.

... the student health center is open from 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. each Saturday (emergency service only).

training at American's Stewardess College. Subjects ranged from make-up and grooming to in-flight food service and theory of flight.

VERGIE PARSON was recently promoted to Lt (Jg) in the Navy nurse corps. She is stationed at the Naval Hospital at Philadelphia, Pa.

1968

STEVE WRIGHT is teaching in the Hockinson School District, Brush Prairie, Wash.

JOHN BIERMANN drove a tour bus for Mt. Rainier National Park Company last

summer and is now studying for the ministry at Concordia Theological Seminary in Springfield, Ill. SHARLEE (HEATHER) is teaching first grade in the Rochester School District (seven miles out of Springfield).

MARIAN HALVORSON, literacy consultant for the National Council of Churches in Tanzania, Africa, was a visitor at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Olympia, Wash. She has returned to Africa and is working with Christian councils and community government officers in emerging nations of Central and East Africa.

ARCHIE E. KOVANEN has been promoted to vice president of finance of Educators Manufacturing Co. in Tacoma. His career includes three years in public accounting, a number of years in financial positions with private firms, and service with the U. S. Army Counterintelligence Corps. He joined Educators in 1966.

KENNETH SAMMONS is a vocal instructor in grade six through 12 in the White River School District, Buckley, Wash.

KAREN CASE is teaching French at Sweet Home Junior High School, Sweet Home, Oregon.

Airman MICHAEL S. FORD has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to the Air Force Technical Training Center at Keesler AFB, Miss., for specialized schooling as a chaplain's aide.



Michael S. Ford

1969

RONALD D. GILBERTSON, son of RUTH (FOSSO) GILBERTSON '46, graduated from Officer's Candidate School at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, in October, 1967. He is now a Lt. in the Green Beret, 6th Special Forces Group, Airborne, stationed at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. He will be assigned to Viet Nam in November, 1968.

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Information deadline for the next issue is January 3.

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Marriages

May 27, 1967: John P. Stuen '68, to Carolyn R. Eichler '68, Seattle, Wash.

June 10, 1967: Theodore L. Carlson '67, to Joanna M. Vinaas '65, Pousbo, Washington.

June 23, 1967: Roderick T. Roscoe to Karen Sharp '63, Seattle, Washington.

October 6, 1967: William L. Conrath '68, to Pamela Gere.

December 29, 1967: Robert Alan Hyden to Judith Ann Swenson '64, Tacoma, Washington.

March 1, 1968: Dr. Bruce Richardson to Sharon Rice '65.

April 6, 1968: Howard W. Mortvedt, '66, to Susan Burness, Seattle, Washington.

April 6, 1968: Robert A. Yost '68, to Ann P. Erickson '68, Portland, Oregon.

May 17, 1968: Gary W. Aldinger '64, to Mary T. Clair, Lexington, Kentucky.

May 18, 1968: Joe Beissel '62, to Elizabeth Wilcox.

May 20, 1968: Gerald R. Ogden, to Marguerite E. Korsmo '64, Longview, Wash.

June 6, 1968: Gary S. Kieland '61, to Diane Barker, Everett, Washington.

June 7, 1968: John C. Biermann '68, to Elaine Sharlee Heather '68, Des Moines, Washington.

June 8, 1968: Ronald Latham to Claudia Luke '67, Auburn, Washington.

June 8, 1968: Karl Ostling '65, to Marcia Ann Anderson, Eugene, Oregon.

June 8, 1968: David W. Sjoding '68, to Elizabeth H. Cox '69, Camas, Washington.

June 8, 1968: Thomas J. Smircich '64, to Sharon A. Cline, Sunnyside, Washington.

June 14, 1968: Paul E. Hartman '67, to Linda Lou Likkel '67, Tacoma, Washington.

June 15, 1968: Gregory Karlsgodt '67, to Carrol Kirby '67, West St. Paul, Minnesota.

June 15, 1968: William Eugene Leaf to

Elsie Marie Nielsen '63, Tacoma, Washington.

June 15, 1968: Thomas Petersen to Diane Brandt '68, Douglas, Wash.

June 15, 1968: John W. Marks to Charlene Kelsey '68, Shelton, Washington.

June 16, 1968: Stanley G. Stenersen '68, to Sharon A. Hillesland '68, Silverdale, Washington.

June 22, 1968: Gary K. Johnson '65, to Kristine Anderson '68, Camp Colton, Ore.

June 22, 1968: Charles L. Snyder to Carol E. Ruud '67, Cupertino, California.

June 22, 1968: Steven Wright '68, to Priscilla Vinaas '68, Poulsbo, Washington.

June 29, 1968: The Rev. James M. Bullock '59, to Nancy A. Nelson, Portland.

June 30, 1968: Gary H. Jones '69, to Janet L. Wildrick '67, Newport, Oregon.

July, 1968: John Q. Cockram '68, to Tonya Lynne Pieper, La Grande, Oregon.

July, 1968: Arthur Landskov to Julie Wiesner '66, Seattle, Washington.

July 6, 1968: Doyle O'Dell '67, to Sonja Simons '68, Lakewood, California.

July 12, 1968: David A. Lehman '62, to Diane K. Nelson '64, Kenmore, Washington.

July 12, 1968: Rex Q. Smith to Karen L. Brown '67, Seattle, Washington.

July 20, 1968: John A. Hutchison to Constance E. Downham '67, Seattle, Washington.

July 20, 1968: Capt. Robert B. Magruder to Angela I. Nicholson '67, Fort Bliss, Texas.

July 27, 1968: Martin L. Sutton to Merilyn Jean Movius '68, Wenatchee, Washington.

August, 1968: Douglas E. Linvog '68, to Betty J. Erickson '68, Tacoma, Washington.

August, 1968: Richard D. Owings '69, to Colleen H. Hilleren '68, Burién, Washington.

August 3, 1968: Dennis L. Betts to Bonnie E. Berg '62, Canby, Oregon.

August 3, 1968: Benjamin C. Crosby '68, to Sharon A. Bell, Pasco, Washington.

August 3, 1968: James D. King to Mary Froula '68, Yakima, Washington.

August 3, 1968: Joe D. Shields to Frances M. Dronen '68, Bremerton, Washington.

August 3, 1968: Alan T. Ostenson '63, to Ladonna A. Burdett '69, Spokane, Washington.

August 17, 1968: Jerry A. Crawford '68, to Marilyn J. Mittelstaedt, La Puente, California.

August 17, 1968: David J. Magelssen '69, to Penelope Wilson '69, Seattle, Washington.

August 18, 1968: Joseph H. Peterson, Jr. '67, to Stephanie J. Maas, Seattle, Washington.

August 20, 1968: Lt. Cmdr. Stephen L. Brandt '56, to Cynthia L. Mull, Santa Ana, California.

August 24, 1968: Michael C. Redman to Penny M. Porter '66, Seattle, Washington.

Births

Born To Mr. and Mrs.

Michael W. Healy '63, son, Paul Frederick, born October 3, 1966. Joins brothers Michael, Jr., 12, Gerald 10, and sister Renee 8.

Kenley E. Gard (Joan E. Kendall '56), son, Kenley Philip, born June 22, 1967. Joins sister Catherine 3½.

Jerry Dodgen '64 (Linda Blomquist '62), son, Jeremy Jay, born July 8, 1967. Joins sister Doreen 2.

Larry Poulsen '62 (Dee Arko '62), son, Keith Alan, born August 13, 1967.

Edwin C. Krantz '59 (Maureen Ferguson '60), daughter, Stefanie Deanne, born August 25, 1967, adopted April 16, 1968. Joins brother Neil 3.

Larry Foster (Virginia Lee '62), son, Thomas Jon, born September 29, 1967.

James Von Schrilitz '60, daughter, Naomi Denise, born October 23, 1967. Joins sister Leah 2½.

Martin Schaefer '61 (Barbara Weber '61), son, Steven, born November 9, 1967. Joins sister Pamela 2½.

Gary Haugen '66 (Sharon Larsen '66), son, Keith Allen, born November 26, 1967.

Paul H. Running '54, daughter, Anne Robin, born January 7, 1968. Joins brother Eric 10, sisters Rachel 7 and Sarah 5.

David Gravrock '62 (Doris Johnson '61), daughter, Erika Anne, born February 19, 1968. Joins sister Kirstin Lorelle 1½.

Kent Freeman '63 (Carlene Heuer '63), son, Kent Richard, born February 23, 1968.

Robert Williams '64 (Marjorie Quick '62), son, Mark Philip, born March 2, 1968. Joins brother Craig 3½.

Charles Sommers (Arlene Kinared '59), adopted daughter, Charlene Merle, born March 8, 1968. Joins brothers Frank 2½ and Walter 1.

Osmund Kvithammer '66, son, Robert Scott, born March 13, 1968.

Charles W. Fedde (Bonnie Neal '63), daughter, Susan Joy, born March 29, 1968.

Stan Orr (Priscilla Bjork '65), son, Stephen Russell, born April 1, 1968. Joins brother Jeff 2½.

Peter Dierickx (Judy Likke '63), son, Brett Garrett, born April 10, 1968.

Charles Olson (Barbara Isaacson '60), son, Steven Sven, born April 12, 1968.

Thomas Wood '63, daughter, Heidi Lyn, born April 14, 1968. Joins brothers Tommy 5 and Sean 3½.

George Hagevik (Sandra Tynes '62), daughter, Randi Kirsten, born April 16, 1968.

Gary Lorenz '65 (Janet Peterson '66), son, Erik Rod, born April 17, 1968.

John N. Mitchell '60, daughter, Gretchen

Leigh, born April 19, 1968. Joins sister Kristin Kay 1½.

Martin Devers (Alice Hammerstrom '63), son, Andrew Samuel, born April 22, 1968.

Alan Hokenstad '64 (Marion Rasmusen '64), daughter, Janet Kay, born April 25, 1968.

Michael Best (Joan Kittelson '57), daughter, Amy Joanne, born April 28, 1968. Joins sisters Rachel 6, Robin 5, and brother David 2.

Judd H. O'Dell (Karen A. Johnson '62), daughter, Barbara Ann, born April 28, 1968. Joins brother Daniel Alf 2.

Leland Glenn (Beverly Nelson '64), daughter, Ann Louise, born May 3, 1968.

Bruce R. Kennedy (Karleen Isaacson '63), son, Kevin Eric, born May 3, 1968.

Earl Cammock (Iris Nordman '55), daughter Caryn Ruth, born May 4, 1968. Joins brother Chris 2½.

Dennis Gudal '62 (Shirley Johnson '63), son, David Paul, born May 16, 1968. adopted July 1, 1968.

Don Morris '56 (Gail Taylor '55), son, Mark Taylor, born May 24, 1968. Joins brothers Peter 12, Kris 11 and sisters Stacie 9, Rebecca 7, and Marta 5.

Richard S. Hovet (Jean Ulleland '60), son, Andrew Steward, born May 25, 1968. Joins Beth 5 and Cynthia 3.

Kenneth R. Black '61, daughter, Kimberly Rose, born May 28, 1968. Joins brother Donald 2.

Robert Larson '60 (Joan Kesselring '61), daughter, Heidi Margit, born May 28, 1968. Joins brother Erik 2½.

Vern Rockstad '52, son, Eric Jay, adopted May 31, 1968. Joins sister Robyn 3.

Sherman Russell '58 (Carlene Carlson '60), daughter, Stephanie Lynn, born June 19, 1968. Joins brothers Bradley 7, and Craig 5.

Kenneth Ruud '62 (Barbara Schmid '65),

son, Brian Syver, born July 1, 1968. Joins sister Kendra Arlene 3.

Glenn Arney '59, son, Matthew Robert, born July 2, 1968. Joins brother Andrew John 2.

Jim Nyborg '61, daughter, Nancy Lee, born July 10, 1968. Joins sisters Amy and Ann 5, and Ruth 2½.

David Grey (Lou Anne Hines '66), daughter Deborah Deanne, born July 4, 1968.

Roger Bennett (Cynthia Weaver '65), son, Kenneth John, born July 13, 1968.

Marvin Frederickson '64 (Carole Haaland '64), son, Aaron Boyd, born July 20, 1968.

Jon Putz (Renate Schluter '68), son, Eric Jon, born July 20, 1968.

Deaths

LEVI B. THOMPSON '06, Camano Island, Wash., died on April 12, 1968.

HELEN COLLINS ANDERSON '33, passed away at home in Eugene, Oregon, May 6, 1968.

Michael Scott Milbrath, 22 month old son of Rev. and Mrs. JOHN MILBRATH '58, died May 26, 1968, in Lebanon, Oregon. He was born July 26, 1966, in Lebanon. Michael passed away suddenly in his sleep of acute interstitial pneumonia.

He is survived by his parents; one brother, John Alan 4; grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Roethe, Fennimore, Wisconsin; and Mr. Earl Milbrath, Dryden, Washington.

D. CAROL WILLIAMS SAGNESS '64, was stricken with hepatitis, and died May 29, 1968, at Garoua Boulai, Cameroun. Shortly before her death on April 3, 1968, she gave birth to a son, Hans Christian. She and her pastor-husband were missionaries for the American Lutheran Church.

DONALD R. SLOAN '42, died June 8, 1968, in a Tacoma hospital. He was a

native of Bridgeport, Washington, had lived in the Tacoma area for the past 30 years, and was principal of the Carter Lake Elementary School on McChord Air Force Base.

Mr. Sloan had recently been appointed superintendent of schools in Twisp and planned to assume that post in September. Prior to serving as principal at Carter Lake, he had been principal at Heartwood Elementary School, also on McChord, and at an elementary school at Fort Lewis.

In 1965 he was named administrator of the year by the Clover Park School District, and that year the Kilauea Chapter of the American Business Women's Association named him boss of the year.

Survivors include his wife Flora; two sons, Michael D. and Patrick D.; three daughters, Denise D., Cheryl G., and Carol K., all of the home; two brothers, H. Del. of Tieton, and Charles W., of Puyallup; five sisters, Mrs. S. J. (Ina) O'Farrell, of Monmouth, Ore., Mrs. Bryan (Leora) Dunning, of Bonners Ferry, Idaho, Mrs. Elmer (Mary) Knutson, of Seattle, Mrs. Ivar (Edna) Baas, of Coupeville, and Mrs. Ted (Jean) Hillstrom, of Oakville; and several nieces and nephews.

KENNETH H. NELSON '69, died in a Tacoma hospital June 24, 1968, of injuries suffered in an automobile accident at the Capital Lake intersection of Interstate 5 near Tumwater, Wash. He would have been a senior at PLU and was a sociology major.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nelson; a sister, Mrs. Steven D. Wilson, and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Louise V. Peterson, all of Seattle.

Samuel Scat Short, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Short (JOYCE LARSON '64), of Woodinville, Washington, was born July 27, 1968, in Seattle and was buried August 1st in Bothell, Wash.

DAVID H. ULLELAND '71, was fatally injured in an industrial accident in Kent on August 3, 1968. He was born in Renton, was graduated as an honor student from Kent-Meridian High School and would have been a sophomore at Pacific Lutheran University. Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ulleland; a brother, the Rev. Duane Ulleland '52, Richland; and four sisters, Mrs. Paul Labes '59, Mrs. Walter Nielsen and Dr. Christy Ulleland '63, all of Seattle; and Mrs. Richard Hovet '60, Bellevue.

RICHARD GENE LAURSEN '66, died September 1, 1968, in the crash of his light plane on Snoqualmie Pass. Mr. Laursen was formerly assistant director of Tacoma Lutheran Seaman's Center. He was born in Devils Lake, N. D., and lived many years in the Seattle area. He was a member of Central Lutheran Church and Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association.

Surviving are his wife, CAROLYN (RANDOY '59), and two daughters, Britta and Jennifer, all of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Laursen, of Seattle; three brothers, Gary, of Toppenish, and John and Del, both of Seattle; and three sisters, Mrs. Ann Stanton, of Yakima, and Miss Jane and Miss Laurie Laursen, both of Seattle.

Knight Life

"Knight Life," a monthly newsletter from the Department of Athletics and Physical Education, has been initiated. The intent of this publication is to keep interested alumni and friends abreast with recent developments in the department. Anyone desiring to receive this newsletter is encouraged to contact Dr. David M. Olson, Chairman, Department of Athletics and Physical Education, Pacific Lutheran University.

Briefly, the workshop officials were seeking to bring together the Afro-American and disadvantaged sections of the community with the advantaged sector. Representatives of each group were invited through cooperation with the Urban Coalition.

Included were professional and business leaders, welfare parents and representatives of the three types of thought within the black community, militants, non-militants and the apathetic. There was also an attempt to get a sampling of different racial attitudes within the white community.

"The first three or four days were spent in six-hour sessions aimed at freeing participants of their fears and mental blockages—an effort to achieve honesty of expression," Doctor Schiller related. "The third night reached a peak of conflict."

The next seven days were spent in frank discussion, resulting in a final phase aimed at obtaining suggestions or proposals of solutions to problems.

Some 50 recommendations were finally agreed upon and workshop participants volunteered to work in these areas. "Most of the whites became as aggressive as blacks in wanting to get things done," Schiller observed.

Among the many specific proposals were requests for more black policemen, minority representatives on various boards and councils, voter registration drive, aid to black businesses and economic boycotts of businesses exploiting the disadvantaged.

This month the group will gather for the first time since the original sessions to make reports and evaluate progress.

Teacher Corps

Other similar PLU efforts include a commitment to provide a Teacher Corps program for the next two years and involve-

ment in the University Students' Social Action Committee, student members of which volunteer their time as tutors in the ghetto area.

Under the former, 34 Tacoma area students with degrees in other fields will spend the next two years earning certification as teachers as well as a master degree in elementary education. They will work half-days with disadvantaged children during the two years and continue in a full-time teaching capacity in these areas upon completion of degree requirements.

The Corps is under the direction of Arne K. Pederson, PLU associate professor of education and director of teacher placement.

Student Tutor

During the past year 300 PLU students volunteered at least an evening a week to the USSAC (tutoring) program. Doctor Mortvedt has described this project as "highly successful."

Federal funds are available again for the 1968-69 school year. Indications are that present programs will be continued and expanded and additional new approaches will be suggested. As awareness of the race crisis touches the hearts and minds of individuals, involvement and commitment will surely increase and attitudes will change.

A recent CBS television program noted that some 40 per cent of whites believed the black man essentially inferior to the white 30 years ago. Today the figure is six per cent. According to the same source, those whites who would definitely be defined as "racists" has decreased from 60 per cent to 30 per cent.

But the process of gaining true equality for the black man in American life has really only begun.

Choir Of The West



Stereo Recordings Available

Two recordings in compatible stereo by the PLU Choir of the West are available at the University Bookstore. Prof. Maurice H. Skones put his singers through a day-long recording session in Minneapolis last February and the Division of Radio and Television of the American Lutheran Church produced the two excellent pressings. Included are works by Jean Berger, Miklos Rozsa, Paul Fetler, Robert Wetzler, Christiansen, Schutz and Bach.

The Bookstore, Pacific Lutheran University, Tacoma, Washington 98447

- ☐ Please send me _____ recording(s) of "My Soul Doth Magnify The Lord" featuring the Choir of the West in compatible stereo suitable for monaural or stereo equipment.
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News Notes



New Faculty

One administrator, thirty faculty and eight new members of the university staff joined the PLU family at the beginning of the 1968-69 school year.

Philip E. Beal, associate dean of students at the University of Oregon, was hired as dean of men in the office of student affairs. He graduated from Cornell College, and received a masters degree in student personnel from Northwestern University. He received a doctor's degree at the University of Oregon in 1965.

He replaces William W. Sandler, Jr. He will be responsible for the administration of residence halls and will handle disciplinary counseling. In addition, he will serve as adviser to several student organizations.

New faculty members include:

Bonnie Lou Andersen: instructor of nursing; B.S.N. from PLU; M.N. pending from the University of Washington; formerly a pediatrics nurse at the University of Washington Hospital.

Richard E. Arnold: assistant professor of speech; B.A., University of Washington; M.A., Tufts University (Mass.); formerly assistant professor of speech and drama at Valparaiso University in Indiana.

Daniel R. Baty: instructor of business; B.A., University of Washington; L.L.B. expected from Harvard University this fall.

Duane S. Catlett: assistant professor of chemistry; B.A., Nebraska Wesleyan University; Ph.D., Iowa State University; formerly assistant professor of chemistry at Minot State College, Minot, N. D.

William R. Catlin: instructor of biology; B.A., Drake University; M.A., expected this fall from Drake.

Gary L. Coats: instructor of mathematics;

Richard E.
Arnold



B.S., Portland State College; M.A., expected this fall from the University of New Mexico.

Stanley W. Cooper: instructor of education; B.A., University of Wyoming; M.A., Ohio State University; formerly a mathematics teacher at Heidelberg American High School in Germany.

Kenneth W. Cabbage: associate professor of business administration; B.B.A., M.B.A., University of Washington; D.B.A., University of Colorado; formerly assistant professor of accounting at the University of Kentucky.

Robert S. Fisk: instructor of mathematics B.S., M.S., University of Wyoming; formerly a graduate assistant at the University of Arizona.

Arthur Gee: assistant professor of biology; B.S., M.S., expected Ph. D., Purdue University.

William Gilbertson: assistant professor of sociology; B.A., University of Puget Sound; M.S.W., University of Washington; formerly a field training representative of University of Washington at Western State Hospital School of Social Work, Steilacoom, Wash.

Paul E. Hoseth: instructor of health and physical education, head track coach and assistant football coach; B.A., Concordia College, Moorhead, Minn.; M.S., South Dakota State University; formerly instructor of health and physical education at Bemidji State College (Minn.).

Wilbur K. Huck: assistant professor of English; B.A., B.Th., Yankton College (S. D.); D.B., A.M., University of Chicago; formerly assistant professor of English at Idaho State University.

Robert J. Jensen: instructor of economics; B.A., Dana College (Neb.); M.A., expected Ph.D. this fall, University of Nebraska; formerly a teaching assistant at the University of Nebraska.

Ronald D. Jorgenson: assistant professor of education, B.A., Gustavus Adolphus College; M.Ed., South Dakota State University; D.Ed., Ball State University (Ind.).

Brian E. Lowes: instructor of geology; B.S., University of London; M.S., Queens University, Ontario; Ph.D., expected this fall from the University of Washington.

Mrs. Marjorie Mathers: assistant professor of education; B.A., M.A., Central Washington State College; formerly an elementary principal in the Highline School District, Seattle, and an instructor at PLU, 1964-65.

Jo Ann Mucci: instructor of foreign languages; B.A., Wisconsin State University; M.A., expected this fall from University of Wisconsin.

Jesse D. Nolph: assistant professor of psychology; B.A., George Washington University; Ph.D., expected this fall from Cornell University.

David M. Olson: associate professor and chairman, department of health and physical education; B.A., Concordia (Minn.); M.A., University of Minnesota; Ph.D., University of Iowa; formerly head, department of health, education and athletics, Wartburg (Iowa).

Mrs. Carolyn M. Phillips: instructor of health and physical education; B.A., Humboldt State College; M.S., University of Washington; formerly instructor of physical education at Mills College, Calif.

Mrs. Mickey Revis: instructor of speech; B.A., Austin State College (Tex.); M.A., Kansas University; formerly assistant professor at Nebraska Wesleyan University.

William B. Sare: instructor of music; B.M.; Indiana University; formerly conductor of music and voice at Indiana University.

Joseph C. Schwantner: assistant professor of music; B.M., Chicago Conservatory of Music; M.M., Ph.D., Northwestern Uni-

Kenneth W.
Cabbage



Robert J.
Jensen



Joseph C.
Schwantner



versity; formerly teacher at Chicago Conservatory of Music.

Kent C. Simmonds: assistant professor of philosophy; B.A., Lewis and Clark College; Ph.D., expected this fall from Ohio State University; formerly instructor of literature at Ohio State University.

Ruth M. Sorenson: instructor of biology; B.A., M.A., University of Colorado; formerly teacher at St. Nicholas School, Seattle.

Douglas Stave: assistant professor of education; B.Th., Multnomah School of the Bible, Portland, Ore.; B.A., Seattle Pacific College; M.E., Ph.D., University of Oregon; formerly assistant professor, Northern State College, Aberdeen, S. D.

Rodney Swenson: associate professor and chairman, department of foreign languages; B.S., Bemidji State College; M.A., Ph.D., University of Minnesota; formerly a Fulbright Scholar in Germany and a teacher at Hamline University.

Clarence P. Walters: instructor of psychology; B.A., M.A., Pacific Lutheran University.

New staff members include

Mike Eby: head resident of Ivy House, Tingelstad Hall; Jonathan D. Haley, houseparent, Hinderlie Hall; B. Lance Hurt, director of Men's residence halls, Tingelstad Hall; Robert C. Lundy, head resident of Cascade House, Tingelstad Hall; Mrs. Dorothy Olson, Houseparent, Harstad Hall; James B. Phillips, plant manager; James L. Peterson, news bureau chief and sports information director; Joseph M. Tallakson, head resident of Evergreen House, Tingelstad Hall; and Ada Van Dooren, health center.

Faculty Promotions and Tenure

Announcement of faculty promotions and the granting of tenure were made at the convocation opening the school year on

Sept. 12.

Promoted to professor were Dr. William Giddings, chemistry; Dr. Curtis Huber, philosophy; Dr. Lynn Stein and Dr. Jane Williamson, education.

Named associate professor were Dr. Lowell Culver, political science; Calvin Knapp, music; Dr. Erving Severtson, psychology; Dr. Frederick L. Tobiasson, chemistry.

Promoted to assistant professor were Joseph Broeker, physical education; Melba Cather, nursing; Sarah Officer, physical education; Lois Mae Rimer, nursing, and Kathryn Strickland, music.

Granted tenure were Roy E. Carlson, physical education; Josephine Fletcher, nursing; Gene Lungaard, physical education; Alice Napjus, education; Dr. Philip Nordquist, history.

Appointed chairman of departments were Dr. Jens Knudsen, biology; Dr. John Herzog, (acting) mathematics; Dr. David Olson, health, physical education and athletics; and Dr. Rodney Swenson, foreign languages.

Four faculty members have been granted leaves this year. Branton Holmberg is working on his doctorate at the University of Idaho. Dr. Burton Ostenson is on sabbatical for special research in mammals. Gary D. Peterson is on special leave the first semester on a National Science Foundation mathematics teaching project in India. Grace Blomquist will go to England the second semester for special studies in literature.

Dr. Peter Ristuben, history, has returned from a two-year leave. He served as assistant director of the Peace Corps in Nigeria. Gunnar J. Malmin spent last year teaching music and directing the choir at Camrose Lutheran College, Alberta. Dr. Dwight J. Zulauf was a visiting lecturer in accounting at the University of Minnesota.



Rodney Swenson



Clarence P. Walters

Campus Scene

1 . . . **TEACHING DEMONSTRATED**—Mrs. Luella Johnson, Tacoma school teacher, conducted a teaching methods workshop during the summer session. Here she is shown with a class of youngsters which she used to demonstrate teaching techniques.

2 . . . **NEW REGENTS**—President Robert Mortvedt, right, and Earl E. Eckstrom, far left, board of regents chairman, welcome four new regents at a recent campus meeting. From left, the group includes: Eckstrom; John Bustad, Mt. Vernon general contractor; Rev. Glen Husby, Missoula; Chester Hanson, Longview labor union executive; Gerald Schimke, Kent corporate finance director; and Dr. Mortvedt.

3 . . . **HARSTAD GETS NEW STACK**—Harstad Hall, oldest structure on campus and a wo-

men's residence hall, lost the top of its huge smokestack over the summer. Time had taken its toll on the masonry erected in 1891 and it was no longer safe. Here a crane puts up a 25-foot sheet metal extension to replace the removed brick.

4 . . . **P.E. FACILITY GOING UP**—Work is progressing on the Clifford O. Olson Physical Education Building on the lower campus west of the swimming pool. It is expected that the \$2.1 million structure will be ready for use in February.

5 . . . **BOOKSTORE MANAGER HONORED**—Doris L. McCarty, manager of the PLU bookstore, recently completed a booksellers course in Berkeley, Calif. conducted by the National Association of College Stores. She is shown receiving her certificate of completion from President Robert Mortvedt. Looking on, right, is Howard Vedell, business manager and her supervisor.



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6 . . . THERE'S MY NAME — Mrs. Peter G. Davies shows her name of those receiving degrees to her family at the summer commencement exercises held August 23. From left, the family includes Michael, 7; Steven, 6; twins James and John, 9; and Major Davies who is stationed at Fort Lewis. Mrs. Davies is teaching this fall in the Clover Park School District, Tacoma.

7 . . . SUMMER BALLET PROGRAM — Over 40 ballet students from all over the west received scholarships to attend the five-week ballet workshop held on campus last summer under the sponsorship of the Pacific Northwest Ballet Association. Robert Joffrey of New York supervised the school and brought his famous ballet company to the campus for two weeks



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in July. The Joffrey Ballet spent one week practicing and performed before capacity audiences for one week in Eastvold Chapel.

8 . . . SUMMER SHOWERS — Rain greeted summer session graduates when they came out of Eastvold Chapel after baccalaureate services Aug. 23. Mrs. John Petersen, one of the graduates and her husband who is on the PLU religion faculty get protection from the rain under the umbrellas of their children Heidi Marie and Eric.

9 . . . SENIOR CONGRATULATED — Laurin Vance, graduating senior, receives congratulations from a friend while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil O. Vance of Federal Way, look on. Vance is a student this fall at Pacific Lutheran Seminary, Berkeley, Calif.



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10 . . . COMMENCEMENT DIGNITARIES —

Two professors retired at the end of the school year and were honored at commencement. They are Dr. Herbert Ranson, professor of English and faculty member since 1939; and Dr. Philip E. Hauge, professor of psychology and former dean and academic vice president who had been on the faculty since 1920. From left those pictured include: Dr. Ranson, Dr. Hauge; Dr. Sterling McMurrin, dean of the graduate school, University of Utah, who gave the commencement address; and President Robert Mortvedt, who gave the baccalaureate sermon and presided over the graduation ceremonies.

11 . . . GILBERTSON DIRECTS — A feature of commencement weekend was a concert featuring the concert band, symphony orchestra and Choir of the West. Here Prof. Gordon O. Gilbertson is shown directing the band when it appeared.

12 . . . PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION —

President Robert Mortvedt, left, greets graduating senior John Stuen at the President's Reception for seniors and their parents. Stuen is flanked by his wife, the former Carolyn Eichler, and his father, John Stuen, Class of 1936.

13 . . . DIRECTOR HONORED —

Jerry Kracht, director of the symphony orchestra last school year, receives a gift from orchestra members commencement weekend. Kracht, who filled in for Prof. Stanley Petrulis for the year, is back at the University of Iowa completing work on his doctorate.

14 . . . PROUD PARENTS —

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Anderson are all smiles as they congratulate their daughter, Barbara, after commencement exercises. Anderson is a member of the Class of 1935.

Get A Harstad Hall Brick

Practically everyone who has attended Pacific Lutheran since its very beginning has had something to do with Harstad Hall, formerly Old Main.

For years it housed the entire institution including living quarters for the faculty and staff. Now its six floors house some 300 coeds, and by the looks of things it will be a women's residence unit for years to come.

For those of you who have close sentimental ties regarding that building, an excellent souvenir is available. For every contribution of \$5.00 or more to the building fund for the new University Center you may receive a brick taken from the chimney of Harstad when it was altered last summer.

The first person to get one of the bricks (with metal plate attached) gave \$100. You can pick up a brick at homecoming or some other time during the school year when you visit the campus. Bricks are available at the information desk in the administration building.



Harstad Hall in 1898

Ecumenical Dialogue

Ecumenical dialogue among western Washington clergy of all denominations is the purpose of the Pacific Northwest Council on Theological Education.

The Council meets for one day sessions weekly throughout October at Palisades Retreat south of Seattle.

A member of the Pacific Lutheran University Department of Religion, Dr. Joseph Anderson, is chairman of the Western Washington committee preparing the dialogue series.

Dr. Emmett Eklund, associate professor of religion at PLU, is scheduled to respond, to analyze and lead discussions following the final seminar topic Oct. 29. That topic, "Man and His Quest for the Future," will be presented by Fr. Peter Chiciro, St. Thomas Seminary in Kenmore.

Sixty clergymen from eight or more denominations will be brought together at the seminar.

The discussions will be directly related to contemporary social problems as well as modern theological thought, Doctor Anderson related.

"This is an experiment in trying to fill a vacuum," he explained. "We're concerned about the continuing (theological) education of the parish clergy. The response has been good."

Doctor Anderson pointed out that a parallel program is scheduled to bring clergy up to date in the field of mental health.

He expressed the desire that the discussions would eventually expand to include church laymen.

The PNTCE exists to further continuing education among the clergy of the area. It works through a board composed of members from cooperating denominations, colleges, seminaries and Councils of

Churches. Financial support comes from Lutheran Church in America, Disciples of Christ, American Baptist, United Presbyterian, Roman Catholic, United Methodist, the Episcopal Church and United Church of Christ.

PLU is a member of the Pacific Northwest Council with Rev. Kenneth Christopherson, assistant professor of religion, serving as delegate to the board.

Estate Planning Offered

An estate planning office has been established as a public service within the PLU development department.

The new office assists persons wishing to take advantage of the most modern methods in conserving assets and developing an estate.

The service, operated in cooperation with lawyers, accountants and experts in tax and insurance fields, is particularly designed to help individuals wishing to assist the university through gifts, wills or bequests.

Arthur Pedersen, head of the new office, states that the complexities of modern life make it important that every individual regularly review his estate to make certain the best possible return is being received.

"Everyone has an estate under the law," Pedersen said. "An estate is everything a person owns—real property, stocks, bonds, insurance, pensions, etc. No matter how small or how large this estate is, it should be properly protected. In a time of inflation there can be a real erosion of value in various types of assets. Frequently people can improve the value of their estate by changing their investments."

For further information contact the PLU development office.

Sports



Astroturf In Fieldhouse

Astroturf—10,000 square feet of the green synthetic grass—will cover the floor of the fieldhouse section of the new \$2.1 million Clifford O. Olson Physical Education Auditorium Building under construction on campus.

The Board of Regents approved the \$30,000 installation at a recent meeting. The Astroturf will make the fieldhouse effective for instruction, recreation and athletics. It will be possible to use the surface for such sports as baseball, football, tennis, golf, archery, volleyball and track.

In the 3,500-seat gymnasium, located in the same building, the playing floor will be of plastic material making it possible to hold public events without covering the floor.

25 Lettermen Return

Coach Roy Carlson has a nucleus of 25 lettermen around which he is building his 1968 football machine. He has more quality and experience than he has ever had in his seven seasons at PLU, but his small squad of 43 men lacks depth.

Before the season opened the Knights had lost two starting offensive backs, Hans Lindstrom and Fred Moe, through injuries which would sideline them for the first three games at least.

At the key offensive quarterback spot, Carlson has three good prospects. These include senior Bob Lovell, who carried most of the load last year; sophomore Grant Spencer, who was a reserve qb in '66; and Rod Bolek, freshman from Mount Tahoma in Tacoma who was All-City in '67 and a scholastic All-American.

New Floor for Hoopsters

Coach Gene Lundgaard and his basketball club are looking forward to playing in the \$2 million Cliff Olson gymnasium which is expected to be ready for use in the first part of February.

Lundgaard will have 11 lettermen on hand from his club which won the Northwest Conference title last season. And to give the club added strength he has a rangy freshman on hand in 6-8 Ake (Ocky) Palm from Sweden. Palm was recruited by former Lute ace, Hans Albertsson, and is an excellent prospect.

New Coaches Added

Two coaches have been added to the athletic staff this fall. Paul Hoseth, a former football star for Concordia (Minn.), is working with the defense in football and teaching in the physical education department. He will be head track coach. He has his master's from South Dakota State and coached last year at Bemidji (Minn.) State.

Coaching cross-country this fall and slated to assist in track next spring is John Thieman, 1968 graduate of Wartburg where he was a star distance runner. He is working on his master's at PLU.

As announced in the last issue of Reflections, the entire athletic program is being headed up by Dr. David Olson who joined the staff last July and taught during the summer session. Dr. Olson is chairman of the department of health, physical education and athletics. This includes curriculum, intramural and intercollegiate sports. The integrated program is now under the College of Professional Studies as a separate department.



Paul Hoseth

University Notebook



Enrollment for the summer session jumped from 1,050 students in 1967 to 1,321 in '68, a 25 per cent increase. Even more dramatic was the increase in the number of credit hours taken. This leaped from 4,998 to 6,702, a growth of over 30 per cent.

PLU has received word from the Canadian Department of National Revenue that the University has been added to the Schedule I of the Canadian Income Tax Regulations so that contributions to PLU by Canadian donors during 1967 and subsequent years will be deductible to the extent provided by the Canadian Tax Act.

The School of Nursing has been awarded two grants totaling \$27,681 from the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. An \$18,158 grant was awarded for 1969 Professional Nurse Traineeship Program. Senior registered nurse students preparing for positions of leadership or graduate study receive stipends, fees, and tuition under this grant program. A \$9,523 Public Health Nursing Traineeship Grant provides similar funds for senior registered nurse students preparing for public health nursing during fiscal year 1969.

Pacific Lutheran University has received \$59,074.52 from the American Lutheran Church as its first share in the current campaign, Lutheran Ingathering for Education (LIFE). The ALC has raised about \$15 million toward its goal of \$20 million for capital gifts for its colleges and seminaries. If the goal is reached PLU will receive \$1 million toward the student center building. It is hoped that construction on the new building can begin some time during the coming year.

Jon B. Olson, director of alumni relations, was among 110 alumni and educational development officers who satisfactorily completed the 1968 Summer Institute in Educational Fund Raising and Development sponsored by the American Alumni Council at the University of Wisconsin in Madison, August 18-23.

Miss Paula Grams, senior music major from Bremerton, represented PLU's Epsilon Sigma Chapter at Mu Phi Epsilon International Professional Music Sorority's thirty-ninth national and their international convention in Dallas, Texas on August 19th through 24th.

Twenty-six seniors have been selected for inclusion in the 1968-69 edition of "Who's Who Among Students." They include William Lindeman, Julie Svendsen, Laurence D. Cress, Doreen Davis, Bruce Eklund, Philip Goldenman, Robert Klavano, Lee Kluth, Karen Krebbs, Janet Loreen, Susan Mickelsen, Steven Morrison, Paul Negstad, Diana Oas, James Ojala, Mildred Plumb, David Richardt, Richard Rouse, Diane Skaar, Richard Slatta, Thomas Stuen, Susan VanHoy, David Vold, David Weaver, Harry Wicks and James Widsteen. Students are selected on the basis of their scholastic and extra curricular achievements.

National Merit Scholars in the freshman class this fall include Daniel Horsfall, Seattle; Linda Smith, Kennewick; and Wayne Svaren, Hardin, Mont. They join nine other National Merit Scholars on campus.

Jean Berger, internationally renowned composer who conducted a workshop on

campus last summer, has been commissioned by PLU to compose a choral work to be premiered by the "Choir of the West" February 9, 1969. The premier performance will be part of the first cultural event in the Clifford O. Olson physical education auditorium building. The Concert will be a part of the dedicatory festivities.

Dr. Don S. Patterson, executive director of Washington Friends for Higher Education and retired president of Eastern Washington State College, gave the address for summer commencement August 25. President Robert Mortvedt gave the baccalaureate sermon. Sixty-eight students received degrees.



Dr. Philip E. Hauge, who retired June 2 after 48 years as a professor and administrator at PLU, has been appointed the first archivist of the University. Recently the regents officially established the PLU Archives which is housed in the Robert Mortvedt Library and gratefully accepted the offer of Dr. Hauge to direct the operation without salary. As archivist he will supervise the collection of official university documents and memorabilia.

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Calendar of Events

OCTOBER 5—Football, PLU vs. College of Idaho at Caldwell, 2 p.m. OCTOBER 12—Football, PLU vs. Lewis & Clark at Portland, 1:30 p.m. OCTOBER 14—Concerts, U. S. Marine Corps Band, Memorial Gymnasium, 1:30 p.m. and 8:15 p.m. OCTOBER 15—NOVEMBER 15—Art Exhibit, New Directions in Prints, University Gallery. OCTOBER 17-19, 24-25—Children's Theater, Eastvold Chapel. OCTOBER 19—Football, PLU vs. Linfield, Franklin Pierce Field, Tacoma, 8:00 p.m. OCTOBER 22—Artist Series, Susan Starr, Pianist, Eastvold Chapel, 8:15 p.m. OCTOBER 26—Football, PLU vs. University of British Columbia, Vancouver, 2:00 p.m. OCTOBER 31—Homecoming Concert, The Four Freshmen, Memorial Gymnasium, 8:15 p.m. NOVEMBER 1—Homecoming Songfest, Eastvold Chapel, 8:00 p.m. NOVEMBER 2—Homecoming, Powder Puff Game, Lower Campus, 10:00 a.m.—Football, PLU vs. Pacific University, Franklin Pierce Field, Tacoma, 1:30 p.m.—Homecoming Banquet, College Union, 5:30 p.m.—Homecoming Dance, College Union, 8:30 p.m. NOVEMBER 9—Football, PLU vs. Whitman, Franklin Pierce Field, Tacoma, 1:30 p.m.—Youth Day, program, tours, sports for area youth, starts at 10:00 a.m. NOVEMBER 10—Faculty Recital, Frederick L. Newnham, Baritone, Samuelson Auditorium, 4:00 p.m.—Phi Beta Theater Series, Stu Hample, cartoonist, and PLU Symphony Orchestra, Eastvold Chapel, 8:15 p.m. NOVEMBER 15—Joint Faculty Recital, Ann Tremaine and Karen Marra, Eastvold Chapel, 8:15 p.m. NOVEMBER 15—DECEMBER 20—Art Exhibit, Residential Design, Architectural and Interior Furnishings, Gallery tours by Paul Kamada, University Gallery. NOVEMBER 16—Football, PLU vs. Willamette, Salem, Ore., 1:30 p.m. NOVEMBER 17—Children's Concert, PLU Band, sponsored by Parkland Orthopedic Guild, Eastvold Chapel, 2:30 p.m. NOVEMBER 18—Artist Series, William Warfield, baritone, Eastvold Chapel, 8:15 p.m. NOVEMBER 21-23—Play, "Tartuffe," Eastvold Chapel, 8:15 p.m. DECEMBER 3—Artist Series, Canadian Opera Company, Eastvold Chapel, 8:15 p.m. DECEMBER 6—Basketball, Western Washington at PLU, 8:00 p.m. DECEMBER 7—Lucia Bride Festival, Eastvold Chapel, 8:00 p.m.—Basketball, Central Washington at PLU, 8:00 p.m. DECEMBER 8—Senior Piano Recital, James Goodman, Eastvold Chapel, 4:00 p.m. DECEMBER 12-15—Christmas Festival Concert, Eastvold Chapel, 8:15 p.m. DECEMBER 13—Basketball, Daffodil Tournament at UPS. DECEMBER 18—Play, "A Christmas Carol," Eastvold Chapel, 8:00 p.m. JANUARY 6—Basketball, PLU at UPS, 8:00 p.m. JANUARY 6-31—Art Exhibit, Exhibition of Afro-American publications, University Gallery. JANUARY 10—Basketball, Willamette at PLU, 8:00 p.m. JANUARY 11—Basketball, Willamette at PLU, 8:00 p.m. JANUARY 15—Concert, PLU Symphony Orchestra, Eastvold Chapel, 8:15 p.m. JANUARY 24 AND 25—Basketball, Lewis & Clark at PLU, 8:00 p.m.