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Alumni Association of Pacific Lutheran University

Toward A 'Year Of Community'

Pacific Lutheran University opened its 83rd academic year in anticipation of a year of progress, reconciliation, cooperation and, above all, learning. The visit of American Lutheran Church President Dr. David Preus was a major highlight. See pp. 2,3,4.



New Alumni President Voices Concerns For Children, Youth

Dr. Christy Ulleland, the new president of the PLU Alumni Association, is tireless when it comes to serving people, particularly young people.



Christy Ulleland

As a Seattle area pediatrician, she spends most of her professional time with children, but her concern for the lives of young adults is apparent in her strong ties with

PLU and the parents of her patients.

Although her practice is prospering and her activities in the Alumni Association and other volunteer services are demanding, it is in a third major life role that Dr. Ulleland is beginning to receive national attention.

She currently serves "one-fourth time" as clinical assistant professor of pediatrics at Harborview Hospital in Seattle, where her primary responsibility is to direct the child abuse program. In a related capacity she chairs the regional advisory committee to Children and Protective Services (Seattle-King County), a branch of the Washington State Department of Social and Health Services mandated by law to handle child abuse and neglect.

In addition, she and three colleagues on a pediatric-research team at the University of Washington Medical Center have discovered a new cause of physical abnormalities and growth disturbances among newborn infants - alcoholic mothers. The discovery was featured in the Newsweek magazine medicine section this past July 16.

The research team found that children of chronic alcoholics tend to be small at birth, have joint abnormalities, head and face defects and congenital defects. They are also often mentally retarded.

"Alcohol easily crosses the placenta and gets to the baby," she said, "and the effects of the alcohol seem to be irreversible."

The significance of the research is far-reaching - there are an estimated two million alcoholic women in the United States, at least half of whom are of child-bearing age.

Research now must be aimed at discovering the chances of an alcoholic woman having an affected child, the consumption level which would cause defects, and methods of treatment, according to Dr. Ulleland.

As the search goes on, she continues her involvement with the child abuse center at Harborview. Counseling parents of abused children is the most vital way to help both the child and the parents, she indicated. "But there will never be enough people to do this," she added.

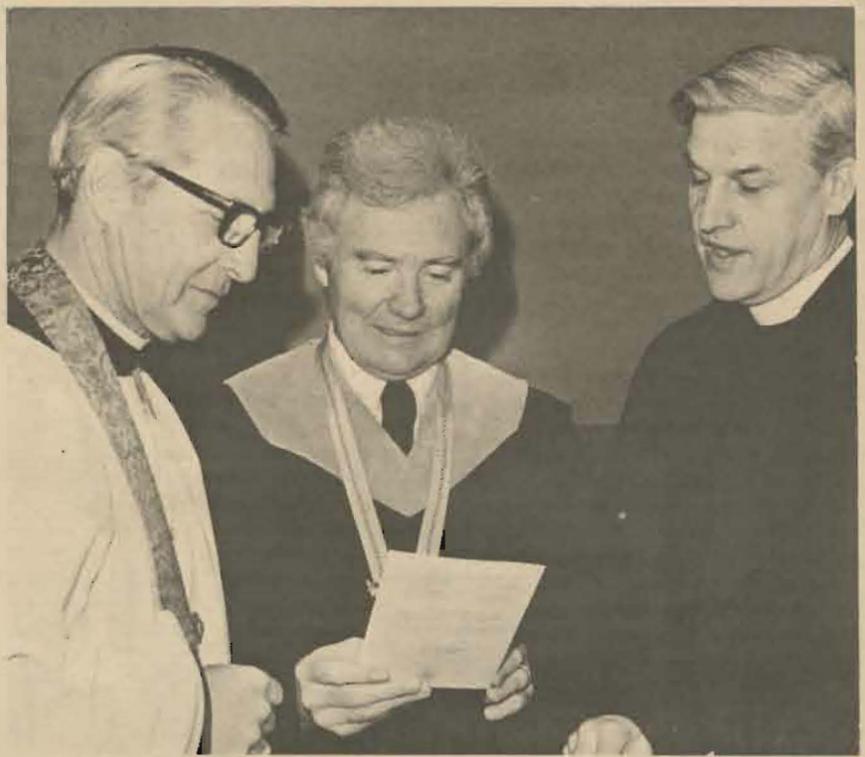
One of the best hopes is in the training and use of lay therapists, she said. "There are many times when they may even be more helpful than professional caseworkers because they don't have to obey the old taboos about getting involved," she added.

Child abuse is often a cycle, according to Dr. Ulleland. Child abusers were often abused as children, never learning a normal parent-child relationship.

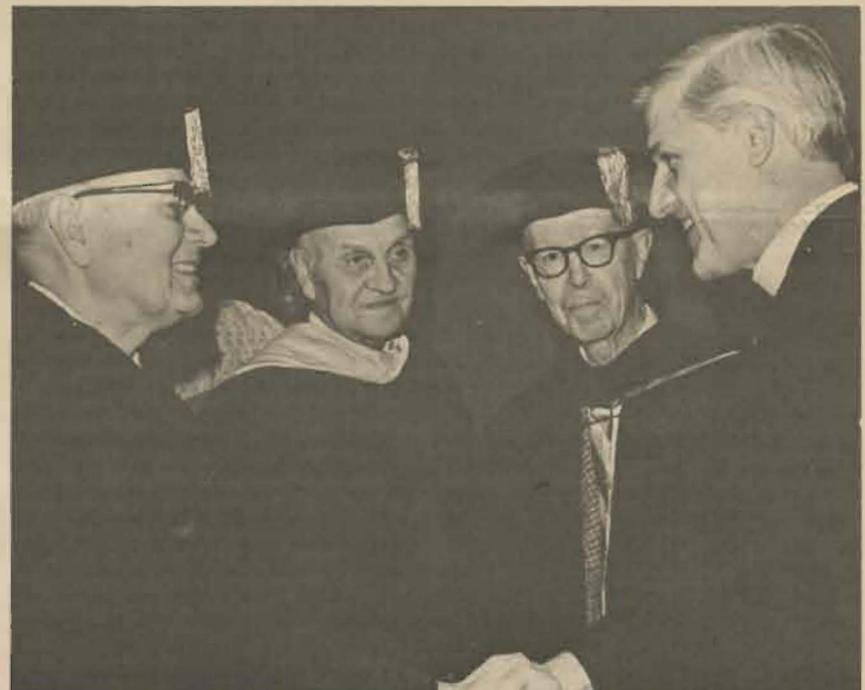
Parent aides, volunteer programs and more community health centers are among the important keys to solution of the problem, she believes.

"We're awakening to the idea that children have rights, that children are important people," she said.

Dr. Ulleland graduated magna cum laude from PLU in 1963. She earned her M.D. at the University of Washington School of Medicine.



ALC North Pacific District President Dr. Clarence Solberg, left, and PLU President Eugene Wiegman confer with Dr. Preus.



Dr. Preus, right, greets PLU faculty emeriti from left, Dr. Erich Knorr, sociology; Dr. Vernon Utzinger, speech; and Dr. Paul Vigness, religion and history.



ALC President Dr. David Preus meets PLU student body president Kelsey Redlin.

Tickets Available For Christmas Festival Concerts

A performance at the Seattle Opera House will highlight the annual Christmas Festival Concert series offered by the Pacific Lutheran University Department of Music during the coming holiday season.

The Seattle concert will be held Saturday, Dec. 8, at 8:15 p.m.

Five campus performances will be offered this year in Eastvold Auditorium, with reserved seating available for the first time. Evening concerts will be presented Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, Dec. 1-2-3, and Friday, Dec. 7, at 8:15 p.m.

A 4 p.m. matinee will be offered Sunday, Dec. 9.

The concert program will once again feature the PLU Choir of the West, Maurice Skones, director; the University Chorale and University Singers, Edward Harmic, director; and the University Symphony Orchestra, Jerry Kracht, director.

Alumni are encouraged to make requests for free ticket envelopes early to obtain preferred seating. Send ticket orders, including date preferred, to Christmas Festival Concert, Music Department, PLU.

Christmas Festival Concert Ticket Order Form

Please send me _____ tickets for the 1973 Christmas Festival Concert. I would like to attend:

- Sat., Dec. 1, 8:15 p.m.
 _____ Sun., Dec. 2, 8:15 p.m.
 _____ Mon., Dec. 3, 8:15 p.m.
 _____ Fri., Dec. 7, 8:15 p.m.
 _____ Sat., Dec. 8, 8:15 p.m.
 (Seattle)
 _____ Sun., Dec. 9, 4:00 p.m.

PLU Announces Promotions of Faculty Members

Promotion of seven Pacific Lutheran University faculty members was announced at a special convocation opening the 1973-74 academic year at PLU.

Dr. Laurence D. Huestis and Dr. Fred L. Tobiason, both members of the chemistry department faculty, were promoted to full professor. Dr. Huestis, who has served at PLU since 1961, is a graduate of the University of California, Berkeley, and holds a Ph.D. from the University of California, Davis. Dr. Tobiason, a 1958 PLU graduate, holds a Ph.D. from Michigan State University.

Promoted to associate professor were Dr. Randolph Bohannon, biology; Judd Doughty, communication arts; Paul Liebelt, mathematics; and Alice Napjus, education.

Paul Webster, foreign languages, was promoted to assistant professor.

Philosophy Dept. Sponsors Lecture Series at PLU

Prof. Stephen Toulmin, educator, philosopher and author, will deliver a series of lectures at Pacific Lutheran University Oct. 11-12.

The lecture series is sponsored by the PLU department of philosophy and made possible by a grant from the Council for Philosophical Studies and its Visiting Professor Program.

Toulmin, provost of Crown College, University of California, Santa Cruz, will lecture on "Irrationalism and Its Paradoxes" Oct. 11 at 8 p.m. in Xavier Hall.

"Philosophy of Science", "Ethics" and "Wittgenstein as a Viennese" are topics of lectures to be presented Oct. 12 in Ingram Lecture Hall at 10:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. respectively.

Toulmin is internationally recognized for his work in a variety of fields including ethics, the philosophy and history of science, and epistemology.

Board Of Regents Elects Officers

Tom Anderson, president of Concrete Technology, Tacoma, was elected chairman of the Board of Regents of Pacific Lutheran University at its annual meeting in August. The Regents met at the Battelle Research Center in Seattle for a two-day seminar on governance.

Other newly elected officers are vice-chairman Gerald Schimke, controller of West Fork Timber Company, Tacoma; secretary Lawrence Hauge ('50), an administrative assistant for the Clover Park School District, and treasurer Perry Hendricks, Jr., recently appointed PLU vice-president for finance and operations.

Six new Regents were welcomed to the Board. They are George Wade, president of Brady International Lumber, and John Nelson,

ALC President Challenges Faculty, Students At Convocation; Accepts Honorary Degree

"PLU was founded, nursed, worked for, cried over and prayed for that it might be a school of the church, that she might be the church at work in higher education."

With these words of love and respect for Pacific Lutheran University and its heritage, Dr. David Preus, president of the American Lutheran Church, greeted PLU students and faculty during a special convocation opening the University's 83rd school year.

Prior to his address, Dr. Preus had accepted the highest honor the university can bestow, an honorary doctor of divinity degree. The degree was conferred by PLU President Eugene Wiegman upon recommendation of the faculty and authority of the Board of Regents.

Dr. Preus continued, "Individually and institutionally you are summoned to bear witness in every possible way to the power and majesty and love of the true God. You are the church at work, relating the academic disciplines to the Christian faith, helping the church find its way through today's maelstrom of knowledge, battling for the minds and hearts of the young, not that they may be captive to our clan traditions, but that they might feel the love of God and love him back with positive, useful, fulfilling lives."

Throughout his presentation he used the Old Testament Joseph, son of Jacob, as a model for the contemporary man of faith. "Hopefully some of you will be pastors and teachers and nurses and doctors and social workers," he continued. "You have at PLU a business school that is unique among our church schools and that has gained excellent reports in Minneapolis.

"I hope some of you go from here to become great leaders in business and industry and that you go as persons who fear and love God above everything else.

"I hope many of you enter the political arena and seek leadership responsibility there.

"I hope some of you become rich and powerful.

"But if you do so simply for pride's sake, or wealth's sake, or

retired, both of Seattle. Other new members include Dr. Richard Klein, a Tacoma dentist; Rev. Robert Quello, Pullman; Rev. Warren Strain, Seattle, and Rev. Donald Taylor, Portland, Ore.

Regents re-elected for another term include Tacomans Tom Anderson, Goodwin Chase, retired president of the Pacific National Bank of Washington, and Carl T. Fynboe ('49) headmaster at Annie Wright School. Also re-elected were Dr. Jesse Pflueger, an Ephrata physician and Rev. Alfred Stone, Seattle.

Committee chairmen appointed by Anderson are: Academic Affairs — Melvin R. Knudson; Buildings and Grounds — John Bustad; Student Life — Warren Peterson; Development — Douglas Gonyea, and Budget and Finance — Goodwin Chase.



PLU President Eugene Wiegman presents honorary doctor of divinity degree to ALC President Dr. David Preus. Assisting with the hooding are professors of religion Dr. Curtis Huber and Dr. Stewart Govig. President Wiegman announced that the 1973-74 school year at PLU would be a "Year of Community." See details page 4.

power's sake, then you will have sold out.

"Joseph sought to use his great power for the good of the people, even brothers who had betrayed him, and I charge you to do no less."

Dr. Preus arrived in Tacoma directly from Switzerland and East Germany, where he had spent several weeks participating in deliberations of the Lutheran World Federation.

The silver-haired churchman

assumed the duties of the presidency of the 2.5 million-member ALC last December due to the grave illness of Dr. Kent Knutson, then ALC president, and became president last March following Dr. Knutson's untimely death.

A graduate of Luther College, Decorah, Ia., and Luther Seminary, St. Paul, Minn., he has done graduate work at Union Theological Seminary in New York, the University of Minnesota Law School and the University of Edinburgh, Scotland.

SATURDAY, NOV. 10 PLU 1973 HOMECOMING

★CLASS REUNIONS★AWARDS BANQUET

★FOOTBALL - PLU vs. CONCORDIA (MINN.)

HONOR CLASSES

1963 - 10th YEAR
1948 - 25th YEAR
1923 - 50th YEAR

5-YEAR REUNIONS

1968 1943
1958 1938
1953 1933

PLAN TO JOIN US THIS YEAR!

Travelin' With Harv

The Sopwith Memorandum

By Harvey Neufeld
PLU Alumni Director



I like artists. But I especially appreciate those of the oil and canvas variety more than I did before, because of the Sopwith Memorandum.

SOPWITH. Does the name bring visions of rag-winged vintage planes to mind? Not so. This Sopwith, archaic and fragile looking as its namesake, is an art gallery. While it may not be well known, it is the depository of the most beautiful and incredible variety of paintings of the great and the near great.

The gallery is located in downtown Tacoma. At least it was still there a few weeks ago. The gallery, like many of its artists, exists on a shoestring. But it is alive and thriving and a delight to visit.

The occasion for visiting the gallery was not of my own making. I have some aesthetic sense. But frankly, the row upon row of disorganized splashes of paint and pencil, brush or broom, always challenged my artistic understanding. I never really got past the "beautiful sunset" stage! That is changing.

It was the thoughtful memorandum of Jay Tronsdale Class of '59 that began to open a new vista of appreciation for the artist and his craft. Jay wanted to give the Alumni House one of his paintings and invited me to come down to pick something that would be suitable. It sounded like a reasonably simple task. But I was not prepared for the amazing display of intricate modes and forms, shapes and shades.

There were very few canvases that could be compared to the usual dimensions of the so-called real world. In other words, there weren't just a lot of "pictures" hanging around. My appreciation of art had never gone much beyond the stage of purchasing a seascape from the Pay-N-Save store. I suppose that was because I had never been taught that art forms don't always tell as much about the shape of things as they tell us about the shape of the mind of the artist himself.

That is, impressionistic art al-

ways left me with the wrong impression. But it is remarkable how much more meaning appears as the intellect grapples with sketches and forms, as the mind wrestles with tones that leap from the cacophony of color that is so characteristic of much of the "modern art" of today. The more we try to get into the mind of the artist the more we begin to understand what it is that is being said.

But there is a more fundamental dimension to the appreciation of art about which I had not thought before. I recall being in the Sistine Chapel at the Vatican a number of years ago. The place was so overwhelmed with pushing, coughing and wretching humans that we seemed to worry more about making it to the exit than we did appreciating the classic paintings of Michaelangelo. If we could only have been alone it would have helped.

Now the beauty of the Sopwith Gallery is that when you go down into the repainted basement walls of this establishment you generally are alone. It may be that the few hushed whispers cloud your concentration. They are only that, whispers, and do not really disturb. The quiet lonely contemplation of someone's soul-endeavor puts you in the place of the artist. I believe that most great paintings are a singularly lonely experience. And we best appreciate what someone else has done when we stand there alone and looking.

I guess I'm simply saying that I am in debt to Jay Tronsdale for introducing me to another dimension, a dimension of the artist world that has made my own life more meaningful. I think that there must be many such artists and many such sensitive people among our Alumni that have added new dimensions to hundreds of people's lives. That's why Alumni work is such a rewarding experience. The painting?

Well you'll have to come to the Alumni House to see it. I capitulated. I picked something I could recognize. Thanks Jay!

We Can Join Together

By Duane Larson Editor, PLU Mooring Mast

If one refers to editorials in the early issues of the present editor (circa February, 1973 ... several milleniums ago), he will find that throughout past months the MAST has carried the ongoing theme of "community." In fact, "community" has been our favorite and most used word. Thus, we are pleasantly flattered when the administration of this university raises and presents the banner of "community" as a guiding light for all in the ensuing academic year.

It is a substantiated fact that PLU is in need of harmonization, especially after the rhetorical emotionalism and politicking of last spring. We must work together in a mutual spirit of renewal that involves turning our eyes forward to the future, forgiving and forgetting. President Wiegman expressed this point well. "We should not forget the failures or the successes," he stated, "but let us forget the hurt and the passions that marked the recent past. It was a difficult but important time. There must be, by all that marks us as God's people, a forgiving spirit on this campus, and a healing of

wounds if we are to move on and demonstrate to ourselves and to others what it means to live in God's grace and harmony."

The theme of "community" well embodies the statement above. But it is also well that we know exactly what kind of community we are. We are more than simply a social group, more than "an institution dedicated to the preservation of a culture." Dr. Wiegman states that we are foremost "a community of learners and teachers," but that phrase still expresses a dichotomy. There is a difference between students and teachers simply by definition and thus the community is not entirely unified. The most consolidating factor is that we are a community of believers. That common bond enables us to work together in mutual affirmation. It also sets us free to disaffirm, forgive, and forget; the three stages of life. In being a community of believers, we are set free to live in harmony as students and teachers, listeners and doers. Finally, we can all join together in living the communion of life so much needed at PLU, as expressed in Dr. Wiegman's words.

A Year Of Community

By Dr. Eugene Wiegman
President, Pacific Lutheran University



Opening Convocation at PLU each September has come to be known as the time for the "giving of the word." The yearly theme or word ties the academic year together with a common thread for combining ideas and progress.

The first year of this administration opened with a call for a "Year of Joy" — joy not in the ways of this world, but rather Joy in Christ and in each other. The second year was a "Year of Commitment", emphasizing a rededication to our tasks as learners and teachers. The third year stressed study and a re-examination of our purposes, our curriculum and our way of life, and was labeled a "Year of Reflection." Last year, sensing a seeking for the meaning in life and in remembrance of God's greatest gift to man, we opened the year calling it "zoe," the Greek term the Lord used for life in all its richness and fullness.

And now we are on the advent of the 83rd year of Pacific Lutheran University.

Each new year begins with anticipation and fervor — looking forward to the days and months of study, play and comradeship. This is as it should be.

But we cannot forget totally the strife of last spring on this campus. We should not forget the failures or the successes, but let us forget the hurt and the passions that marked the recent past. It

was a difficult but important time. There must be, by all that marks us as God's people, a forgiving spirit on this campus, and a healing of wounds if we are to move on and to demonstrate to ourselves and to others what it means to live in God's grace and harmony. As one called to be your leader for but a short period of time in history of this place of learning, I especially long for the spirit of harmony among us.

PLU is more than a place to preserve a culture, to perpetuate an idea, to satisfy a desire; it is foremost a community of learners and teachers — a place where the student is prince and we the servants. We must labor together to advance their education and their personal inner growth. The success or failure of our endeavors profoundly affects the student who goes from here to assume his place in this world.

Students are knowledgeable about themselves. They are motivated by the highest ideals of our way of life. Our responsibility to students in and out of the classroom is to awaken and enhance their potential. My role is to strengthen the faculty in this awesome task. The faculty has the responsibility and the right to see that I do just that.

In this day, there are those who count the erosion of administrative authority a victory. Some say the

burden for success and progress rests on the shoulders of critics. I cannot agree with this philosophy. No business, no industry, no government, no labor union, no church and no university can long survive in the stagnation that results from fragmented purpose and direction. That is the lesson of history.

Nor can one sector of the University constituency — faculty, student body, church, community — dominate an administration without causing a damaging imbalance. In seeking to provide such balance, difficult decisions must be made, and a leader's decisions are not always popular.

This University must not be allowed to stagnate. There is too much to be done. The merging of our divergent talents can generate a vitality that will be felt in every area.

No one person, no one group can do this alone. I ask you to join me in putting realistic planning behind our dreams for the success of this University. Let us set aside our differences for the good of all.

Where there has been discord, let us together seek unity with all our strength.

Where we have turned deaf ears, let us together listen anew with all our senses.

Where there has been restlessness, let us together accommodate new ideas with all sincerity.

Where there has been a hindrance of progress, let us together facilitate cooperation at every level.

I make this pledge to you with all earnestness: I SHALL DO MY LEVEL BEST.

This is a crucial time. It is important that this University move forward. We cannot afford two slack years, one slack year, or even one slack day. This is the age in which we live.

Therefore, I have asked the faculty, students, and staff to join me in concentrating on working harmoniously for the common good, disagreeing perhaps on principles of education, but united in the purpose of educating our students. I ask you also to join me in pursuing a theme of conciliation in its oldest of meanings: to achieve consensus, to make factions compatible, to unite in one purpose.

Our work is cut out for us. There is the continuous revision of the curriculum, the refinement of the Report from the Commission on Academic Excellence, long-range goals to be developed, improvement of finances, the establishment of an endowment and the study of University governance. Not all of this can be accomplished in one year. But we can begin!

As we open this year, let us humbly lay before God a petition that we dedicate ourselves to an interdependence that transcends the individual, to an interchange that benefits our common goal, and to a celebration of oneness as servants of God striving toward unity, peace and harmony. To this end, I name this year a "Year of Community" in oneness with God and oneness in purpose.

Therefore I opened this 83rd year of Pacific Lutheran University in the name of God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. May He bless our callings and the tasks before us.

Is Christian Higher Education Worth It?

By Christy Ulfeland
President, PLU Alumni Association



Is Christian higher education worth it? Do I want my kids to go to PLU? With costs increasing every year and with what some consider the increasing secularization of the PLU campus, these questions are being asked. Things certainly have changed on campus since many of us were there. PLU has had some troubled times. Christian higher education seems less definable than it might have been a generation or two ago.

But let's rephrase the question? Is Lute Jerstad with it? Or Bill Rieke? Marv Harshman? Wally Capps? Dorothy Meyer? Milt Nesvig? Grace Blomquist? Anne E. Knudson? Jens Knudsen? Mrs. Nick? Dr. Robert Olsen? That's right. All PLU alums, faculty and staff. And many more names could be mentioned.

Maybe they would have been the same people without their sojourn at PLU. But somehow it seems to me that that is what Christian higher education is all about. People. People who care. People who are dedicated to and motivated by a higher ideal than

mere success or money. People who have a sense of mission permeating their lives. People who share a faith in Jesus Christ and who live that faith joyfully in the world.

Sure, it's expensive. It costs lots of dollars and time and sweat and tears and prayer and sacrifice and praise and thanksgiving. Sometimes there are disagreements and dissension and disappointment and even distrust. Growth has often been painful. But that to is part of our heritage — freedom. Freedom to learn and grow and explore and love and care — even when we don't all come to the same conclusion.

Is it worth it? I wouldn't be serving as president of your Alumni Association for the coming year if I didn't think so. All of you are worth it, and because of you PLU continues to be worth it. We are privileged to share in the excitement and freedom of Christian higher education. Let us work together to guarantee this same experience will be available to students for many generations to come.

Alumni Around The World

1946

Mrs. Jeanette (Buzloff) Koch will be the kindergarten teacher at Trinity Lutheran kindergarten in Gresham, Ore., this fall. She previously taught in California and Oregon.

1947

CORINNE ERICKSON has been named Director of Parish Education for the First Lutheran Church of Bothell. Her duties will be to work with the various educational programs within the parish.

1948

HARRIETT L. NOREM is a first grade teacher at Glacier Valley Elementary in the Greater Juneau (Alaska) Borough School District. Her son, Doug, graduated from Juneau-Douglas High School in June. He has been chosen as Juneau's International Christian Youth Exchange Student and will be sent to Finland for the 1973-74 school year where he hopes to attend college — returning next year to one of the Lutheran colleges.

1950

CHAPLAIN (Col.) LUTHER T. GABRIELSEN is being reassigned from USAF Safety and Inspection Center, Norton AFB, to assignment as Senior Installation Chaplain at Elmendorf AFB, Anchorage, Alaska.

SAMUEL G. HEWSTON of Lakeview, Wash. says the State Legislature has finally legalized the contest he won last year. He won a trip for two to Hawaii by winning the Pigskin Picks contest in the Tacoma News Tribune last year. He hopes to be able to collect his prize in the near future.

1951

JASON D. BOE, president of the Oregon State Senate and member of Pacific University's Board of Trustees, delivered the principal commencement address there in May of this year.

BILL WILLIAMS is living in Astoria, Ore. with his wife Laverne and children Beth and Joel. Bill is pastor of Zion Lutheran Church in that city.

1953

Rev. DONALD R. URLIE and wife and family have moved to San Jose, Calif. He continues to be pastor of Faith Lutheran Church in Los Gatos. They have three children, Deanna Joy, a freshman at the University of Arizona, Andrew a Jr., at Alhambra High School, and Jennifer Dawn, born Jan. 19, 1973.

1954

ELMORE E. DUNCAN, a psychiatrist, is director of the Delaney Institute of Mental Health. He served his internship at Great Lakes Naval Hospital and his residency at Monterey County Hospital and UOMS. He is on the staff of Woodland Park Hospital in Portland, Ore.

1955

Pastor DON GAARDER is pastor of Lake City Lutheran Church in Britton, S.D., and has served in the South Dakota District for the past seven years. At the recent district convention he was elected chairman of the District Council and Executive Committee. He also serves as chairman of the Board of Directors of the Lake Region Mental Health Center of Watertown, S.D. and at the last Augustana College Association meeting was elected to his second term as a member of their Board of Regents. He is completing his second year as a district officer in Lions International.

1956

NADINE PASNICK, creative supervisor at Cole & Weber, Seat-

le-Tacoma based advertising agency, has won the annual LULU, the Academy Award for women of the advertising world. The LULU was presented to Ms. Pasnick by Academy Award nominee Cely Tyson on April 27, at the awards banquet at the Century Plaza in Los Angeles. The award, sponsored by the Los Angeles Women, Inc. Advertising Club is the first ever to be presented to a Pacific Northwest woman for an entire advertising campaign.

1957

Rev. KENNETH TORVIK of Othello, Wash. has accepted a call to be associate pastor at Richland Church. He has moved to Richland, Wash. to take up his new position.

1958

KEN and HELEN OLSON '53 have their boat moored in Everett. Was in the winter and in Anacortes, Washington in the summer. Ken is program director of Mount Vernon Christian Under Tri-Conference Camping Association. They have three children, Joanne 13, Dan 11, and Michael 9.

BEATRICE L. SCHEELE was elected as the lay member for the ALC North Pacific District's newly organized Board of World Missions and Inter-Church Cooperation. The first meeting was held north of Minneapolis the end of June in conjunction with a "mini-retreat" for furloughing missionaries.

1959

Mrs. LLOYD HAUGE retired after 30 years of public school teaching. She is residing in Tacoma.

ARLENE (Halvor) KOSTELLE and husband Rod '58 write that they are moving back to Oregon after almost eight years in Alaska. ROD has accepted the call to be pastor of Atonement Lutheran Church in Beaverton, Ore. They have two sons, Tim 9, and Allen 5.

Rev. ROBERT ROIKO is now Pastor of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church at Swans Trail, Wash. He and his wife and their four children reside in Everett, Wash. The Roikos were missionaries in Brazil from 1963 to 1971. During the past year Rev. Roiko has been assistant pastor at Grace Lutheran Church in Salem, Ore.

1961

DOUGLAS A. ANDERSON, Soap Lake, Wash. received a Doctor of Philosophy degree at the May graduation of Boston University's Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

E. THOMAS CURTIS (wife, Carol '65) is the new division chairman of health occupation at Shoreline Community College in Seattle. Carol (Heck) works part time at Northwest Hospital in Seattle as a medical technologist.

JUDY (Heitman) CRAWFORD received her Master of Music Education degree from Texas Tech. University; in Lubbock, Tex. this summer. She teaches in Lubbock where she lives with her husband Wally and children Sara Jane 10 and Cindy 8.

1962

Rev. IVAN E. LARSEN has accepted a call to Our Saviour's Lutheran Church in Caruthers, Calif. He was installed as pastor there June 24. Prior to moving to California he was pastor for six years at McGregor, N.D.

J. WILLIAM LATIMER is now superintendent of Brook-Willamette's sawmill in Redmond, Ore.

GARY MCGIN IS received his masters degree from the U. of Washington and his Ph.D. in 1971 from U. of Montana. He is teaching at the U. of Mississippi in the Chemistry Department. He received a second \$40,000 grant for

the study of utilization of bark for fertilizer, etc. and worked for the American Synamide Corporation.

OLAF MALMIN of Sioux Falls, S.D., received his Ph.D. in Music from University of Iowa in May. He will direct Augustana College Choir on a three-week tour of Pacific Northwest and West Coast to San Francisco in January 1974. Says he hopes to see lots of fellow Lutes at each concert.

1963

JOANNE LAPP ANGLE of Ft. Sill, Okla., completed her Master's degree in Librarianship at the University of Oregon in June and has joined her husband, an instructor in the artillery school at Ft. Sill. She attended the American Library Association Conference in Las Vegas in June of this year.

JAMES OLSEN, who has been the director of the Education of the Deaf Program at Minot, N.D. State College (teacher-training program for teachers of deaf children), will be supervising teacher at Fort Lauderdale Oral School, Fort Lauderdale, Fla. this fall. This is a school for deaf children and Jim says it is a most fascinating field.

LeROY UPPEND HI, and wife JOANNE (Chalk) live in Tacoma where LeRoy has been promoted to consultant for State Office on Aging with the Council on Aging. Joanne is completing her M.A. in psychology and is a teaching assistant in Tacoma secondary schools. She is also a precinct committeewoman.

1964

GEORGE BEARD has been serving as pastor of Faith Lutheran Church in Junction Ore., since February of this year.

M/M ROY K. CARLSON visited the DR. NATHAN STINE family at his mission hospital at Finchafen, New Guinea during May. Later Dr. and Mrs. Stine accompanied the Carlsons on a successful big game hunt in New Zealand.

Mrs. DALLAS HEMPHILL (Lenora J. Wesson) is a counselor at the middle school at Roturua, New Zealand and her husband is in the forest industry.

MARK LONO traveled to Lima, Peru, this summer to be married to Luz Angelica Paredes, a native of Lima who has been studying in New York City. The wedding took place August 3 and the newly married couple are now making their home in Parsippany, N.J. Mark is a former member of the Tacoma News Tribune editorial staff and has been working and studying in the East for the past several years. He is now working in New Jersey as director of public affairs at Drew University and president of the New Jersey Shakespeare Festival. He holds an M.A. in communication from the U. of Pennsylvania and is now completing a Ph.D. in higher education at New York University.

1966

EARL F. ECKLUND, JR. will be a lecturer and Post Doctoral Fellow in the department of Computer Science at the University of Manitoba this fall.

ROY HELMS has been appointed as the new director for the State Arts Council by Governor William A. Egan of Alaska. Prior to his appointment, Roy held the position of executive director of the Alaska Festival of Music, the largest community arts organization in the State of Alaska. He also served as program service coordinator for the Alaska State Council on the Arts, and as such, organized touring programs for the 26 community organizations served by the agency. He also served as a consultant for the Council in the development of community arts councils throughout the State. In addition to

his BA degree from PLU he received his Master of Arts Degree in Arts Management from the College-Conservatory of Music at the University of Cincinnati. He lives in Anchorage.

BRUCE LUNDBERG is now associate pastor of the Lutheran Church of Good Shepherd in Torrance, California. His wife Carol (Robinson) '63 is teaching first grade at Trinity Lutheran School in Hawthorne.

DENNIS G. MILES is now living in Corvallis, Ore., where he is assistant director of information for broadcast media at Oregon State University.

PHIL SCHUUR is the new controller for Mayfair stores in the State of Washington.

JOHN TEMPLIN has been named regional manager for Dakota Bake-N-Serve, Inc. (more commonly known in our area as Rhodes Frozen Bread). John serves the Western United States and has his headquarters in Spokane.

1967

Dr. LEROY W. GILGE and wife RUTH (Onstad) '68 are living in Silverton, Ore. where Dr. Gilge is practicing optometry.

SUSAN L. LINDBERG and her husband will spend the month of September in Europe, visiting London, Paris and Loire Valley. Susan is secretary of the Palo Alto League of Women Voters this year. She is the former Susan Von Hollweg.

MARCIAN C. (Jacobs) WALLACE and husband have purchased a new home in Hillsboro, Ore. She is working as medical charge nurse at Forest Grove Community Hospital. They have one daughter a year and a half old.

1968

JOHN C. BIERMANN and wife Sharlee are making their home in St. Petersburg, Fla., where he has been called as assistant pastor to Our Savior Lutheran Church. He received his Master of Divinity degree from Concordia Theological Seminary in Springfield, Ill. in May.

MICHAEL AND MARYLYNN (Ramstad) FORD are in Greeley, Col. where Mike is working on a Ph.D. in College Student Personnel Work at University of N. Colorado. They have two children.

PHIL FORMO and wife Jean are living in Minneapolis where he received a Masters in special education. Their daughter Carrie Ann was born in January.

JOHN and HELEN GARDNER are living in Buckley, Washington. He is working for the State of Washington and she teaches in Puyallup. Helen is the former Helen Hardtke from McMillan.

1969

Rev. PAUL E. BUDEAU has received a call to be pastor of Our Savior Lutheran Church at Miami, Fla. and was installed on Sept. 2. He graduated from Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Mo. in May and was ordained at Rudyard, Mont. on June 10. Last year he served a year of theological internship at Bethlehem Lutheran church, Yakima, Washington.

JEANNE (Landdeck) ENGLUND received her masters degree in social work on June 6, 1973 from the University of Washington Graduate School of Social Work. She is employed at Renton Area Youth Services as coordinator of residential services.

LTJG RICHARD N. HOLME writes that he has completed a two-year tour in the Philippines. He flew a regularly scheduled passenger route around the Philippines and monthly flights to Hong Kong and Taipei, Taiwan (Formosa) and was able to get a

couple of flights to Okinawa, Japan and Viet Nam. He is currently studying anti-submarine warfare in San Diego and will soon be flying the Navy's S-2 "Tracker" in search of the elusive submarine.

TERRY EUGENE LUMSDEN was awarded the Juris Doctor degree by the Gonzaga University School of Law at commencement exercises in Spokane this summer.

PHILIP PETRASEK graduated from Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary in June and is presently doing research for Pacific Northwest Synod (LCA) in Aberdeen, Washington.

RICHARD W. ROUSE was ordained into the Lutheran ministry in July in a special service at Northlake Lutheran Church in Kenmore. He will be installed in a church outside Washington state. Dick graduated May 20 from Wartburg Theological Seminary in Dubuque, Iowa. He received special honors for his Master's of Divinity thesis and was awarded a citation for work as student body president. He married the former Miss Sue Schillinger of Vaughn, Washington in June 1971.

1970

M/M JOHN BECK AN (JoAnn P. Bernhoft '68) have two children, Eric and Angelina. John started working for Denny's Restaurant in January 1972 and by July 1972 he became the manager of his own restaurant. He manages the Denny's on South 38th Street in Tacoma.

KAREN HART works for the State of Washington as welfare eligibility examiner. She is a member of Bellevue Philharmonic Orchestra and a member of Bellevue Library Board.

LINDA PETRASEK graduated from College of Holy Names, Oakland, California with a Master's of Elementary Education. She has been teaching 5th grade for the past three years in Alameda, Calif.

R.H. SMITH is sales representative for ORTHO Chevron Chemical Company, Garden and Home Division, with offices in Spokane. Dick and his wife, Cheryl, make their home in San Francisco and Dick flies back and forth every week to keep in contact with his work here in Washington.

RONALD I. TOFF received his J. D. Degree at the University of San Francisco Law School in June of this year.

MILES C. MILLER will become chief of administrative division of the Veterans Administration regional office in Manila, The Philippines on August 31. He will be accompanied by his wife Alice, son Dean and daughter Susan on his new assignment. Retiring from the Army as a chief warrant officer in 1967 after 21 years of military service, Miller later joined the VA.

1971

STEVEN W. CARLSON is now in his intern year at Messiah Lutheran Church in Minneapolis. He has attended Northwestern Seminary for two years. His wife, Claudia, is a third grade school teacher.

DONALD G. MEYER, assistant manager of Irwin Concrete, Inc. of Tacoma, has been named budget analyst for Evergreen State College near Olympia. The appointment carries with it prime responsibility for building the college's biennial budget and helping all college budget unit heads on fiscal matters. In addition to his BA from PLU, Don holds a master's degree in Business Administration from the University of South Dakota.

JOHN W. OLSON, Navy seaman, participated in Exercise Golden Dragon '73 in Korea aboard his amphibious landing dock ship

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Alumni Around The World

homeported in San Diego. John joined the Navy in November 1971.

GARY WESTCOTT has been employed by the Clarkston School Board, Lewiston, Id. and will teach sixth grade mathematics at the middle school. Gary is married and the father of two children. He taught fifth grade mathematics at Carlton, Ore. for the past two years.

1972

JOHN BURCH has been hired by the Silverton, Ore. school board as choral director. John holds a master's degree and has been active as instructor with a community college in the Tacoma area.

DIANE CHRISTENSEN has been serving in a summer mission in Fullerton, California. She has been teaching second grade the past year at Vancouver. She is active in adult leadership for youth work in her Vancouver church and was previously in Luther League as a student.

BECKY DIERKER of Inglewood, Ca. will be going to New Guinea this summer as a missionary nurse for three years.

ROBERT HASSELBLAD has joined the news department of the Grant County Journal-News. For the past year he has lived in Seattle where he worked as a freelance cartoonist and layout artist. In Seattle Bob served on the Cas-

cade Community Council which represents that part of downtown Seattle immediately south of Lake Union.

NANCY MYKLEBUST entered the Peace Corps in July and will be stationed in South America.

M/M ARNE NESS (Rhonda Lynn Fischer '73) will be attending Creighton University in Nebraska this fall. He will be attending Dental School and Rhonda will be in Medical School. They were married in June of this year.

DOUGLAS PARKER has spent the summer with the Coeur d'Alene, Idaho Summer Repertory Musical Theatre. He has performed in four musical productions as a member of this 32-member group.

KIRK A. SANDBURG of Greeley, Col. received his Master's Degree during the 1973 winter quarter.

DIANE SMIDESANG visited Norway this summer with a friend from San Francisco and is presently making preparation for her two-year stay in the Philippines with the Peace Corps.

LAVERN SWENSON is attending U. of W. Dental School and his wife Ann (Henderson) is working in Seattle.

1973

PAMELA DEAN AHO has a position as Aberdeen, Wa. YMCA's

program director for women and girls. In addition to starting her first job, Pam graduated from PLU, was married, went on a honeymoon and moved into a new home all in a period of four weeks.

E. MARIE FORTIER is now teaching piano part time at Tacoma Community College.

FORREST HUDSON has been awarded a full year college scholarship by the Rotary Foundation of Rotary International. He will study at the University of Science and Technology in Kamasia, Ghana, West Africa and hopes to bring African art culture to American students. Forrest lives with his wife and two children in Tacoma.

JOE R. McCONNELL has been named program director for the Penton County, Oregon YMCA. For the past seven years he has been involved in Y activities and worked part-time for the Tacoma facility.

RICHARD D. OSBORNE is the new principal of the newly-established Faith Baptist Christian School in Sequim. The new school, which includes both elementary and junior high grades, will be run under a program called Accelerated Christian Education which Dick used last year in establishing Faith Christian Academy in the community of Rochester and Tenino. He taught grades seven through 12 for four years at Tacoma Baptist Schools. He and his wife and son will be living in Sequim.

GARY WM. PFLUEGER is managing the fountain at Mount Hermon Conference Center, Mount Hermon, California. His family has just recently moved to Grass Valley, California.

ROGER WILEY, Jr. has been named assistant basketball coach at Toledo, Washington High School. Roger will also teach English at Toledo.

Miss KAREN WRAALSTAD has been employed by the Milton-Free-water elementary school board as elementary vocal music instructor.

Births

Dec. 31, 1971 M/M John B. Roalkvam '51 (Johanna Pearson '57) a son, David Bjorn.

Nov. 1, 1972 M/M Roger Gustafson '63 (Sandra Heieren '62) a son, Erik Stefan. He joins a sister, Christel, who is 4.

Dec. 1, 1972 M/M Richard Leake '70 (Penney Johnson '68) a son, Scott. Scott is the first child.

Dec. 31, 1972 M/M Donald Anderson '72 (Linda Clement) a daughter, Heather Noel. She is their first child.

Jan. 17, 1973 Rev. & Mrs. Robert Erickson '60 (Merri Nelson '62) a daughter, Sharon Lynn. . . joins sister Jeannine 5.

Jan. 27, 1973 M/M Phil Formo of Minneapolis, a daughter, Carrie Ann.

Jan. 19, 1973 Rev. & Mrs. Donald R. Urdie '53, a daughter, Jennifer Dawn.

Feb. 11, 1973 Rev. & Mrs. Benjamin Crosby '68, a son, David Merrill.

March 1, 1973 M/M Charles J. Zuber '62 (Shari Carter '62) a son, Brian Burdette. Joins a brother Kevin in Joseph, age 3.

March 5, 1973 M/M George Long '68 of San Diego, a daughter, Regan Rebecca.

March 17, 1973 M/M Michael Ford '68 (Marylynn Ramstad '68) a son, Brian Michael. He joins a sister Kristin, age 3. They now live in Greeley, Co.,

March 29, 1973 M/M James Ray (Marjorie Weiss '69) a son, Brian James.

April 17, 1973 M/M Lowell H. Bamford (Janet Christel '61) a son, Michael Lowell. He joins a sister, Christen, age 4.

April 21, 1973 M/M Dennis Hardtke '66 (Joan Fosness '67) a daughter, Jannaean Joan.

April 25, 1973 M/M John Stuen (Carolyn Eichler '68) a daughter, Melinda Ruth.

May 11, 1973 M/M Wm. E. Leaf (Marie Nielsen '63) a son, Mark Eugene. He joins a brother, Billy Ross.

May 15, 1973 M/M Ben Campbell (Andrea Beck '67) a daughter, Carol Ann who joins a sister, Mary Elizabeth born Sept. 4, 1971. They now live in Kingsland, Tex.

May 26, 1973 M/M David Vold '69 (Joan Norburg '69) a daughter, Kristen Anna. They live in St. Paul, Mn.

June 14, 1973 M/M Croston (Joan Ruud '60) a daughter, Jennifer Leigh. She joins a sister, Kelly Lynn.

June 20, 1973 M/M Gary Eide (Linda Sather '63) a daughter, Janice Marie. She joins a brother, Erik, age 16 mo.

July 1, 1973 M/M Dave Lee '70 (Kate Lee Langert '70) a daughter, Kirsten Heather. She joins a brother, Erick age 4.

PLU In Scandinavia

By Milton Nesvig

PLU is everywhere

My wife, son Jonathan and I were shopping in Oslo in Maurtua's, a gift shop, during a visit to Norway this summer. Two of the personnel were Becky Anderson '73 and Mrs. Arnold W. Nelson, whose husband was a PLU regent some years ago when he was a pastor in Silverton, Ore.

All of a sudden we heard a shout from the street and in rushed Julie Tobiason, her sister Jan and cousin Becky, from Puyallup and Tacoma.

Another day I was in a book shop on Oslo's Karl Johan Gate, the main drag. Around the corner of the bookshelves came Dick Running '65 and wife (Joyce Conine '67). "Even though you were talking in Norwegian, I'd recognize that voice anywhere," said Dick.

Christian Larsen '74 and I had a dinner date in the Perlen Restaurant in Copenhagen's fabulous Tivoli. Who does he bring with him, just come to town, but Sue Schlemmer '73 and Chris Gulsrud '74.

A few days before, we had spent a weekend with Ake and Carol (Christensen) Palm (both Class of '72 in Gothenburg. Ake is a recreational director and Carol teaches English to Volvo executives. This fall Ake is working for his master's degree in P.E. and playing basketball.

Enroute to Denmark I accepted the invitation of Hans Albertsson '65 to visit his International Basketball School at Tyringe, Sweden. Hans got his master's in P.E. last June and this fall is teaching and coaching in Upsala, near his home at Bjorkelinge.

We were just leaving for a two-week trip to the fjord country when our Oslo apartment telephone rang. "This is John Beck," said the voice at the other end. Picking ourselves up off the floor (we thought John '72 was in St. Paul, but one never knows where he will pop up), we made a date to meet him at the U. of Oslo where we had an appointment to see Ann Mehlum '75 who was attending summer school there.

On Aug. 10, just before we left for home, Dr. Stewart Covig, religion dept. head, his wife Alice and daughter Ellen co-hosted with us an Oslo Chapter alumni meeting in the American Lutheran Church. Becky Anderson and Mrs. Nelson served the refreshments for the group of 25 who attended.

Hans Mollerup '55 who treated me like royalty for a week previous when I was a guest in his home, came all the way from Copenhagen for the meeting. Daniel Dvergstad, who taught at PLU 1954-55, came up from Tonsberg. Kari Melkevik Kolltveit and husband came all the way from Haugesund. Arild Harvik '68 and wife came from Drammen. Barrie and Laurel (Harmon, '71) Abrahamson came from Fredrikstad, Mark, '75 and Gerd-Inger, '72 McDougall were visiting relatives near Oslo. Dr. and Mrs. Donald Lee, former chemistry prof, came from University of Oslo where he is on sabbatical from University of Saskatchewan. Two Oslo girls who were students at PLU this fall came with their parents. They are Liv Haugland and Elisabeth Naess.

Marriages

Summer and early fall marriages have made 1973 lively for the John Larsgaard family.

Dr. Larsgaard '43, assistant professor of psychology and former university minister at PLU, was married July 29 to the former Sharon Barnett Sanchez '65, a registered nurse.

His daughter Ka en Larsgaard x'71 was married Sept. 16 to Dr. Robert Cross, a physician. The couple will live in Denver.

The ceremonies were held at Mountain View Lutheran Church in Puyallup, with Rev. David Wold '56 officiating. Dr. Larsgaard also officiated at Karen's wedding.

March 1973

Mary Ann Key '71 to Larry Stitz - March 31.

April 1973

William Michael Tye '69 to Lois Ann Campbell - April 14.

Roger W. Nelson '67 to Barbara Marilyn Engelstad - April 14.

Nancy Lee Johnson '72 to Dennis Ray Workman - April 28.

May 1973

Gail Diane Roen '68 to Garry Allan Pearson - May 16 in Bergen, Norway.

Randall Ray Grams '72 to Lou Ann Clark - May 18.

Kathryn M. Marth '71 to R. Hunter Nickell - May 19.

Cindy Tester '69 to Mike Gibson - May 26.

Kathryn M. Marth '71 to R. Hunter Nickell.

June 1973

Arne Ness '72 to Rhonda Lynn Fischer '73 - June 5.

Cecilia Ann Satterthwait '73 to Glenn Richard Zander '71 - June 9.

Robert Paul Beath '69 to Linda S. Barton - June 10.

Frank Andrew Hagen '69 to Amy Yi-Sang - June 10 in College Park, Md.

Ann Henderson '72 to Lavern Swenson '72 - June 10 in Haines, Alaska.

John Philip Mades '63 to Marilyn Lohre - June 16.

Judy Ann Swalling '72 to David William Beatty - June 16.

William B. Little '73 to Joyce Ann Clevenger - June 16.

Maxine Wallender '73 to Jack Dennis Kilcrease, Jr. '73 - June 16.

Karen Joy Weber '73 to William Dale Kamerrer - June 16.

Donna Ruth Chittim '65 to William Dale Olson '69 - June 22.

Randena L. Bean '72 to Terry A. Schaap - June 23.

Cynthia Louise Hartmann '70 to Stanley Ray Tarr - June 29.

Lt. Donald Milholland '72 to Holly Powell - June 30 in Denver, Col.

Eileen Louise Alexander '69 to Gerald William Miles.

David Burnworth '72 to Delila Fried.

Louis Wayne Lamp '71 to Leslie Ann Doerner.

Gary A. Twite '70 to Shirley Marie Mattson of Beaverton, Ore.

July 1973

Tana Knudson '73 to Rod A. Lang - July 1.

Emery Billings '67 to Beatrice Granrud - July 7.

Ricabrd L. Latimer '63 to Judith Anne Sauer - July 7.

Dr. Paul Meldahl Hegstad '64 to Jo Lorraine Norton - July 14 in Paris, Tex.

Janet Ellen Geschwind '73 to Benjamin Thomas Keller '73 - July 15.

John Thomas Dinsmore '69 to Monika Oesterle of Laichingen, Germany - July 20.

Kenneth Donald Harding '69 to Jennifer Lee Anderson - July 27.

Karleen Ingrid Karlson '64 to Kingsley William Greene - July 28 in Cazenovia, N.Y.

August 1973

J. Mark Lono '64 to Luz Angelica Paredes of Lima, Peru - Aug. 3.

Gregory D. Potter '70 to Barbara Roth - Aug. 4 in Emeryville, Ca.

Robert Woolery '72 to Betty Jean Sippola - Aug. 4.

Ann Carruthers '72 to Kenneth R. Ebert - Aug. 5.

Thomas E. Brand to Susan L. Lazansky of Lindenhurst, Illinois - Aug. 11.

James R. Geise '65 to Gentry E. Calhoun - Aug. 11.

Glenda Ostrem '73 to Francis James Donovan, Jr.

Deaths

Bertrum O. Myhre '45 of Tacoma, a former president of the PLU Alumni Association, passed away July 15, 1973 at the age of 59.

Myhre was a former teacher and principal in the Tacoma schools. He served for 10 years as director of elementary education for the Tacoma School District and was chosen Tacoma administrator of the year in 1965.

He is survived by his wife Margaret, sons Eric D. of Tacoma and Ray B. of Phoenix, daughter Mrs. Michael D. (Marit B.) Gustin of Tacoma, two brothers, a sister and two grandchildren.

PLU Alumni Board Enjoys Annual Fall Retreat At Holden Village



PLU Alumni Board of Directors



Lady of the Lake



Edith Edland assumed secretarial duties in the Alumni office in December and also serves as recording secretary to the Board.



From left, former Association president Roy Virak '52, Dr. Jeff Probstfield '63, Helen Hauge '52 and Ron Lerch '61.



Alumni Director Harvey Neufeld, right, with Dr. William Narum. Dr. Narum, professor of philosophy at St. Olaf College, was the retreat speaker and led discussion sessions on the emerging role of the church college in the '70's.



University Minister Rev. Gordon Lathrop, with wife Carolynne and son Toby, served as chaplain to the retreat.



Association President Christy Ulleland '63 presided at the business session of the annual Board meeting.



From left, William Ray '59, newly elected director Leroy Spitzer '52, and newly elected Association first vice-president Wayne Saverud '67.

Jens Knudsen Awarded 1973 Regency Professorship At PLU

A Pacific Lutheran University professor and alumnus who has become well-known to the Tacoma community as the creator of a series of displays at Point Defiance Aquarium has been awarded a Regency Professorship at PLU.

Dr. Jens W. Knudsen ('52), professor of biology, was granted the award on the basis of his "demonstrated excellence in and contribution to a field of learning and public affairs."

Knudsen was one of three candidates nominated for the award by a committee of three faculty members, one regent and one administrator. Recipient of the award is determined by a vote of campus faculty members.

The award carries with it a stipend, funded by the PLU Board of Regents, and leave time to allow the recipient to pursue study on projects of his own choosing. Established three years ago, the award allows the university to "spring loose" a faculty member from the heavy responsibilities of full professorship.

During the past several years, Knudsen has spent thousands of hours creating a series of displays

for the aquarium. During the past year he has been working on a series of six dioramas containing wildlife specimens and sculptured figures mounted in realistically reproduced surroundings merged into a painted background.

As grand as the aquarium displays are, however, they are only one facet of Knudsen's activities. He has also served as biologist-in-charge on Eniwetok, Marshall Islands, marine research projects seven of the past nine years.

The trips have resulted in the discovery of hundreds of new marine species and other scientific data.

Knudsen has published two books, the most recent of which is entitled *Collecting and Preserving Plants and Animals*. The volume, published last fall by Harper and Row, describes and illustrates techniques for collecting and preserving biological specimens of all basic plant and animal groups.

The indefatigable scientist believes his greatest campus achievement is the development of a humanities biology course for non-majors entitled "Biology and Modern Man." It provides a view of man which is probably unlike a y given in other courses in the United States.

Teaching, to Knudsen, is "the thrill of launching careers and thus becoming a part of agelessness." Inspired by his teachers during his collegiate days, he seeks to pass on enthusiasm for learning as it was instilled in him.

Honors are nothing new for Knudsen. In 1967 he was named Distinguished Teacher at PLU, and the same year received the Outstanding Faculty Award presented by the PLU chapter of Blue Key, a national honorary fraternity.

In 1968 he was the recipient of the E. Harrison Harbison Prize for Distinguished Teaching, presented annually to some 20 outstanding teachers from across the nation by the Danforth Foundation. The same year he was recipient of PLU Alumnus of the Year honors.

This past year the Danforth Foundation invited him to become a member of its "visiting distinguished professor program," designed to aid black colleges and universities.

Knudsen earned his master's and Ph. D degrees at the University of Southern California. He has taught at PLU since 1957.



Jens Knudsen



Dorothy Meyer



Dr. Marvin Fredrickson



Leroy Spitzer



Betty Keith

David Roe Visit To Bulgaria Pays Science Dividend

Dr. David K. Roe '54, of Portland was the guest of the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences for a month last spring as the result of a scientific exchange program.

Purpose of his visit was to participate in research activities at the



Dr. David Roe

Institute of Physical Chemistry, Division of Electrochemical Power Sources.

A professor of chemistry at Portland State University, Dr. Roe worked closely with the head of the division, Prof. Evgeni Budevski. The division employs 150 scientists and technicians.

Roe, a candidate for a PLU Alumni Association board post this past month, holds a masters degree from Washington State University and a doctorate from the University of Illinois. He taught at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology for six years before joining the faculty at Portland State in 1968.

He is married to the former Janet Olsen '55, also a chemistry major at PLU. They have three children.

Six New Directors Join Alumni Board

Six new members of the PLU Alumni Association Board of Directors were elected this past month by vote of the association membership.

Elected for four year terms were Dr. Marvin Fredrickson '64 of Portland, Ore., Betty (Riggers) Keith of Seattle, Dorothy Meyer '49 of Kendrick, Id., and Leroy Spitzer '52 of Bremerton.

Theodore Carlstrom '55 of Palo Alto, Calif., was elected as a member-at-large for one year and Dan Frazier, a PLU junior from Tacoma, is the PLU student representative.

Board officers elected at the Holden Village retreat this past week were Wayne Saverud '67 of Kalispell, Mont., first vice-president, and Bob Johnson '63 of Pleasant Hill, Calif., second vice-president.

Dr. Fredrickson, a physician, currently serves as a fellow in hematology at University of Oregon Medical School hospitals. A PLU biology grad, his wife Carole (Haaland) also graduated from PLU in 1964.

Mrs. Keith, a former elementary schoolteacher, is active in women of the church, the Stevens Hospital Auxiliary in Seattle, and the PTA.

Miss Meyer served for 21 years as a missionary teacher-evangelist-administrator in India. Recipient of PLU's Distinguished Alumnus Award two years ago, she now is working as minister of Christian education at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Moscow, Id.

Spitzer is presently a district agent for the Lutheran Mutual Life Insurance Company. His wife Connie is a '51 PLU grad and son Randy is currently attending PLU.

Carlstrom, an attorney, has pre-

viously served on the California Lutheran College Board of Regents. His wife, Alzora (Albrecht) attended PLU in 1957.

Former Camping Pals At PLC Hold Reunion

In 1945 eight freshman Pacific Lutheran College coeds spent the first week of their summer vacation camping together in the mountains. The next summer the group added a few more girls and spent a week at Camano Island in the San Juans. They continued vacationing at Camano Island each summer through 1948.

To celebrate the 25th anniversary of their graduating class at PLC, the same group, minus a few members, spent a few days this past July at the Camano Island summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer "Pete" Peterson. Myrtle Davidson Peterson '48, an original member of the Camano campers and her husband Pete '49 were hosts to Ginny Isvick Johnson '48, Ardy Bredvold Hughes '48, Grace Knutzen Brown '49, Carol Elefson Storaasli '47, Betty Kenworthy Ostrander '48, Dorothy Elson Gunderson '49, Ruth Pflueger '48 and Lois Tollefeldt Ewing '49. Mrs. Ewing flew in from her home in New Jersey especially for the reunion.

Also enjoying the sun and the sea were husbands of some of the longtime friends, including Marv Johnson, Jack Ostrander '50, Raleigh Hughes, Les Storaasli '49 and Ralph Gunderson '48.

1973-74 Artist Series Season Features International Talent

The worlds of international dance, music and stage entertainment blend in an outstanding series of feature programs planned for the 1973-74 Pacific Lutheran University Artist Series.

Featured are the internationally-acclaimed Krasnyarsk Dance Company of Siberia Nov. 2; concert artists Carol Neblett, soprano, and Douglas Lawrence, baritone, Jan. 20, 1974; entertainer Vincent Price March 17; and contemporary composer Krzysztof Penderecki May 10-11.

The Artist Series will also sponsor a master class on campus presented by the Alvin Ailey Dance Company this Oct. 22, and will co-sponsor a performance by that company in the Seattle Opera House Oct. 23.

The Krasnyarsk Dance Company, 66 dancers and 14 musicians, is making its U. S. debut this fall. Founded in 1960, the folk dance company is one of the youngest and most popular in the Soviet Union. Artistic director Mikhail Godenko has fashioned a diverse program with dances ranging from the lyrical to the symbolic to the jocular; from a Russian tap dance to a folk style theatrical show to a traditional Siberian folk dance. The music is performed by an orchestra featuring Russian folk instruments and a trio of singers.

Acclaimed during tours of Yugoslavia, Poland, Algeria and the Middle East, in 1967 the company was awarded the coveted First Prize Grand Gold Medal at the International Folk Dance Festival. In the fall of 1972, they triumphed as part of a two-month Soviet Dance Spectacular in Paris.

Carol Neblett, still in her early '20's, has already collected a sheaf of enthusiastic notices from both American and European critics. Touring as a soloist with the Roger Wagner Chorale, she has performed throughout North America, the Middle and Far East and Europe.

Originally a pianist and then more seriously a violinist, her interests eventually turned to voice and she studied with Pierre Bernac of the Paris Conservatoire, William Vennard and Gwnedolyn Doldofsky of the University of Southern California and others. Last season she performed with the San Diego Symphony in Beethoven's "Missa Dolemnis" and Gluck's "Orpheus."

Lawrence emerged as a star talent this past year at the 34th Bach Festival at Carmel, Calif. He holds a master's degree in music from the University of Southern California and has given more than 200 performances on network television. He was a soloist on a State Department tour of Germany, the Netherlands, Belgium, France, Austria, Italy and Israel and has appeared with the Los Angeles Philharmonic.

Vincent Price has long been a star of stage, screen, radio and television, and is probably most widely known movie archivilian. But he is also an art consultant, connoisseur, critic and collector. Much in demand as a platform personality, he offers a presentation of intimacy and power which has delighted audiences across the country.

Penderecki will be appearing on campus in conjunction with a Contemporary Music Festival spon-

sored by the Department of Music and featuring his music. His "PASSION According to St. Luke," which involves choirs, orchestra and soloists, is considered by many to be the most significant musical composition of the 20th century, and will be one of the works to be performed. He will also conduct a campus seminar with students.

The Alvin Ailey American Dance Theatre, a company of 15 young dancers, has electrified audiences and stunned critics since its birth in New York City in 1958. In several around-the-world tours and across the United States, the company has presented the heritage of the black American - his legacy of music and dance, his

moods of sorrow, joy and hope - through the medium of modern dance.

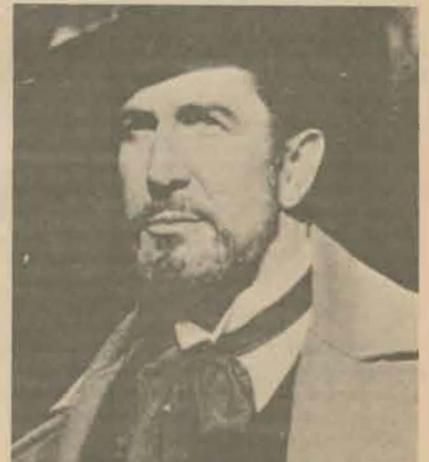
Artist Series season tickets may be obtained through the PLU University Center ticket office. Season tickets are \$10; individual programs are \$3 per person (Siberian dancers - \$4).



Carol Neblett



Douglas Lawrence



Vincent Price



Krasnyarsk Siberian Dance Company

Music Educators To Hear Choir During '74 Tour

A performance at the Music Educators' National Conference in Anaheim, Calif., will be among the highlights of the PLU Choir of the West spring concert tour next March.

This year's tour, which includes concert appearances in California, Oregon and Washington, is scheduled for March 20-31.

The Choir, under the direction of Maurice Skones, will be in the Los Angeles area March 22-26,

with performances slated in Santa Monica and North Hollywood. Concerts in San Francisco March 27, Eugene, Ore., March 29, and Portland, Ore., March 30 have also been scheduled.

San Diego and Sacramento, Calif., and Astoria and Medford, Ore., are among the still tentative concert locations.

A detailed spring concert tour itinerary will be published later this fall.

Topical Describes PLU Lecture Series Offerings

Acupuncture, schools without failure, and ecology will be among the topics, some very controversial, to be offered by prominent national personalities as a part of the Pacific Lutheran University 1973-74 Lecture Series.

Dr. Marion Sanchez, director of the Tutorials Instructional Center at Chabot College in Hayward, Calif., will present an illustrated lecture on "Acupuncture" Sept. 25. Dr. Sanchez, a para-psychologist, became interested in the field after receiving treatment for a chronic back problem, and has since become one of this nation's experts in the field through research with a number of Oriental doctors.

Dr. William Glasser, the author of the best-selling book, "Schools Without Failure," will be on campus Oct. 30 to speak on reality therapy. A psychiatrist, he is vitally concerned with reasons and solutions for the problem of educational failure.

Dr. Irving S. Bengelsdorf will lecture on the topic explored in his well-known book, "Spaceship Earth: People and Pollution," Jan. 9, 1974. He is a senior lecturer in chemistry at the University of Southern California and has served as science writer for the Los Angeles Times and Newspaper Enterprises Association.

Madalyn Murray O'Hair, scheduled to speak on campus March 12, is most widely known for her participation, as an atheist, in the court case which culminated in the Supreme Court ordering Bible reading and prayer recitation in the public schools dropped. An outspoken Baltimore attorney and mother, she is also battling to remove tax exemption status from the nation's churches in addition to a number of other causes.

Programs included in the PLU Lecture Series are complimentary to the public.



PLU Voices of Unity choir prepares for BANTU Anniversary Extravaganza. Reggie Pearsall, left, is director of the choir and chairman of the anniversary activities committee.

BANTU Benefit Slated To Build Minority Scholarship Fund At PLU

A minority scholarship benefit and a special convocation featuring a nationally-known black evangelist will highlight the first annual Anniversary Extravaganza sponsored by Black Alliance Through Unity (BANTU) at Pacific Lutheran University later this month.

The benefit dinner, which will be held Friday, Sept. 28, at 6 p.m. in the University Center, is intended to raise funds for books and minority student scholarships. Proceeds will be applied to the PLU BERG Fund (Book Fund, Emergency fund, Restricted minority student scholarships and the General minority student grant fund).

Dr. J. L. Melvin, pastor of the Greater St. Mark's Church of Christ in Goldsboro, N.C., will be an honored dinner guest and the featured speaker at the black convocation, the latter to be held Sunday, Sept. 30, at 3 p.m. in Eastvold Auditorium.

Dr. Melvin is well-known, particularly in the East, as an effective moderate spokesman for the concerns of the nation's black population. He is active in the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, NAACP, and the United Christian Missionary Society.

Also on the program are Rev. J. A. Bowes, St. John's Baptist, Tacoma; Rev. Robert Davis, Bethlehem Baptist, Tacoma; Rev. John Briehl, Spanaway Lutheran, Tacoma; PLU President Eugene Wiegman; Dr. Philip Beal, vice-president for student life at PLU; and Rev. Gordon Iathrop, PLU university minister.

Several choirs, including PLU Voices of Unity, St. John's Voices of St. John, and Bethlehem's Gospel Chorus, will provide special music at the convocation.

BANTU was organized at PLU last year to develop and reinforce

"black consciousness" and to further the relationship between blacks and whites on campus and in the community. Its membership is open to all PLU students, according to BANTU President Palmer Reed.

Alumni and members of the community are cordially invited to attend the benefit dinner and convocation. For dinner reservations contact Harold Gamble minority affairs coordinator, or Phillip Miner, admissions office.

Herpetologists Hold National Meet AT PLU

The annual joint meeting of the Society for the Study of Amphibians and Reptiles and the Herpetologists League, both national organizations, was hosted by Pacific Lutheran University in August.

Highlights of the meeting included symposia on amphibian ecology and desert tortoise biology, as well as sessions at which scientific papers were presented. Live amphibians and reptiles were on

Hendricks Appointed Vice-President For Finance and Operations

Perry B. Hendricks Jr., formerly director of grants and contracts at Denver University, has been appointed vice-president for finance and operations at Pacific Lutheran University, President Eugene Wiegman announced in August.

Selection of Hendricks was made after a review of applicants from throughout the nation by an advisory committee composed of representatives from the student body, faculty and administration.

During his 12 years at the University of Denver, Hendricks advanced from the position of assistant business manager of the university's research institute to his present position there.

He previously was co-founder, treasurer and business manager of the Whiteman School, a co-educational private secondary school, located at Steamboat Springs, Colo.

He holds a master of business administration degree from the University of Denver and a bachelor of science degree from Iowa State University.

In addition to his appointment as vice-president for finance and operations, Hendricks has been elected treasurer of the PLU Board of Regents.

Hendricks is vice president (1973-75) and president-elect of the National Council of University Research Administrators. He has served as a member of the Council's Executive Committee and as chairman of both the Federal Policy Commission and Research Committee. He is a reviewer on the research management improvement program, National Science Foundation.

As a past member of the National Association of College and Business Officers, Hendricks served as



Perry Hendricks Jr.

representative to the committee on government relations. He was also a member of the subcommittee on the National Science Foundation and of the subcommittee on federal administration review (Lasker Task Force).

He has written two books on university administrative procedures.

He and his wife, Peggy, have three children.

Heyer Appointed Curator At Smithsonian

Dr. Ronald Heyer ('63) associate professor of biology at Pacific Lutheran University, has been appointed assistant curator of the National Museum of Natural History's division of amphibians and reptiles at the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C.

In his new capacity, Dr. Heyer will be responsible for administering the Smithsonian's amphibian and reptile collections and conducting research on the relationship between amphibians and reptiles. In addition, he will seek funding for the division.



Kevin Upton of Hillsboro, Ore., left, was one of more than 650 freshmen arriving at PLU earlier this month. His parents at right, Rev. and Mrs. Gene Upton, are 1949 PLU grads. Rev. Upton is pastor of Tualatin Plains Presbyterian Church in Hillsboro.

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First Varsity-Alumni Clash In 17 Years Ends In Varsity 27-7 Victory

After an evenly matched first half, PLU's first Alumni football team in 17 years had to settle for memories in a 27-7 loss to the Lute Varsity Sept. 15.

The 41-man Alumni squad, which went into halftime deadlocked with the Varsity 7-7, was sparked by the top Lute gridders of recent years: Ross Boice '71, Ben Erickson '69, Tom Gilmer '58, Jim Hadland '72, Dave Halstead '71, Ira Hammon '73, coach Steve Harshman '72, Tony Lister '71, Rick Johnson '70, Bernard Johnson '73, Don McPherson '73, Dan Pritchard '73, Bill Tye '69 and many others.

Though the much heavier Alumni squad was able to move the ball, particularly the first three quar-

ters, fumbles, penalties and faulty execution stalled several drives.

In the second quarter, fans caught a glimpse of recent powerhouse Lute teams as Halstead and Pritchard rambled for good yardage, but a fumble gave the Varsity possession in Alumni territory and Doug Wilson capped the Varsity drive with a six-yard scoring ramble with five minutes left in the half.

On the next series, however, it was 1971 again as Hadland caught Hammon flying down the right sideline and connected for the only Alumni score of the evening. Gilmer gave Alumni fans a thrill with a perfect drop kick conversion to knot the score 7-7.

The crispness and quickness of the Frosty Westering Lutes began

to show in the second half. Quarterback Rick Finseth engineered a 74-yard drive after the opening kickoff to put the Lutes ahead 14-7, diving over himself from the one. Junior Len Higgins was unveiled as a premier toe artist, connecting on field goal tries of 39 and 23 yards to put the game out of reach.

Freshman Eugene Wilce intercepted a Bob Batterman pass in the closing stages and rambled 35 yards for the final Varsity score with less than two minutes left.

For several brief moments in the closing stages, the Alumni made a spirited attempt to recreate pages from McCallum's "The Gladiators" with several double-wing and shotgun formation plays, but the efforts didn't have quite the

effect they did in the Tommervik-Harshman days.

Serving as honorary coaches for the Alumni were Cliff Olson, coach of the Golden Era Lutes, and Marv Harshman '42, all-time Lute grid and coaching great now head basketball coach at the University of Washington.

Kurt Snow '73 of the Alumni was the defensive star of the game, getting in on 11 tackles. Bruce Alexander '61, one of the "oldsters," made five stops, including two open field tackles that saved touchdowns.

The Varsity looked fit and ready for its regular season opener with Whitworth. Finseth, running backs John Amidon and Gary Tortorello and linebacker Dave Anderson all had outstanding games.



Honary Alumni team coaches Marv Harshman, left, and Cliff Olson reflect sagging fortunes of a spirited Alumni team, flanked by graduate gridders Kurt Snow (40), Dave Halstead (22), Dan Pritchard (35), Ben Erickson (76) and Tony Lister (10).

Reserved Season Tickets Offered For First Time

Reserved season tickets for Pacific Lutheran University home football games are being offered this year for the first time, according to Dr. David Olson, athletic director.

Five home games are included in the \$10 season ticket fee, a 50 per cent savings over single game reserved seating costs.

Season ticket holders enjoy these advantages: indexed reserved seating at midfield, under cover; no standing in line to purchase tickets; an ideal customer or employee entertainment offering; and a tax-deductible business expense.

Games featured include Whitworth, Sept. 22, 8 p.m.; Willamette, Oct. 13, 8 p.m.; College of Idaho, Oct. 20, 1:30 p.m.; Lewis and Clark, Oct. 27, 1:30 p.m.; and Concordia, Minn., (Homecoming), Nov. 10, 1:30 p.m. All home games are played at Franklin-Pierce Stadium.

Send ticket requests to School of Physical Education, PLU.

SENIOR CITIZENS: PLU again extends the courtesy of all its athletic arenas to retired Tacoma area citizens, age 65 and over. Complimentary athletic passes can be picked up in the PLU Athletic Department Office.

Lutes Rely On Speed, Aerial Game In Quest of 1973 Grid Honors

Pacific Lutheran's elephant backfield routine has been replaced by a parade of ponies, but Coach Frosty Westering is expected to throw in an encore act, a double-barreled aerial circus, when the Lutes put the 1973 grid show on display.

Of 25 lettermen returning, eleven are from the defensive unit and Big D figures to be mobile, agile, hostile, and eligible. Offensively, the Lutes must replace two outstanding ends and a stable of running backs, averaging 215 pounds per man, who rushed for a league-leading 202 yards per game last year.

Out to upgrade a third place NWC finish (4-2) and overall 6-3 record last year, the Lutes will again operate out of the multiple split-wing T. Incumbent quarterback Rick Finseth, a junior, passed for 1037 yards and 13 touchdowns last year. He'll be challenged by another junior, Craig Dahl, a prep all-stater in Minnesota who was ineligible last season. While they possess different styles, both are excellent passers.

The running backs are quick, young, and breakaway threats, with senior John Amidon, 170, junior Frank Spear, 175, and sophomore Doug Wilson, 160, programmed for plenty of action. Sophomore fullback Gary Tortorello, 195, averaged 6.2 yards per carry last year in a limited role. Tom O'Rourke, 180, a converted quarterback who missed last season because of illness is another strong runner. Junior transfer Dud Lutton and freshmen Mike Fabert

and Prentice Johnson will push the veterans.

Seniors Rich Koutchak, 180, and Dave Connell, 215 are among the top candidates at end. Behemoths George Van Over, 245, and Randy Shipley, 255, will stabilize the offensive line which is otherwise young but talented. Sophomores Kurt Nowadnick, 190, John Collins, 190, and Ron Eilers, 215, will scramble for the guard stalls, while another soph, Les Bennett, 220, has the inside track at center.

Defensively, PLU limited the opposition to 89.4 yards per game through the air last year, best in the conference. Defensive ends Don Poier, 215, and Bill Sims, 205, are expected to line up with tackles Bob Jones, 225, and Bruce Reikow, 210, to give PLU a formidable forward wall.

Senior Steve Adelson, 205, is the lone linebacker returnee, but there is talent aplenty to cut off the opposing traffic. Steve Ridgeway, 200, a sophomore transfer from U of Colorado, Dave Anderson, 190 senior, recovering from mid-summer surgery, and freshman Riley Koch, 195, have good physical tools. Sophomore Gary Payne, 210 transfer from Yakima CC, can do a job at either defensive end or linebacker.

In the defensive back department, Doug Ruecker, 170 senior, was a second team all-conference selection as a junior. Senior Greg Collman, 180, is a three-year veteran of the grid wars. Junior Mark Clinton, 185, and sophomores Mike White, 160, and Jim Walker, 170, possess good speed and know-how.

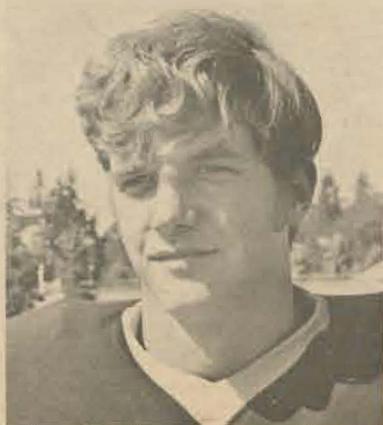
The kicking game is solid footing, with Don Poier the conference runnerup in the punting department with a 36.2 average. Frank Spear is another proficient booter while junior Bryan Gaume and sophomore Len Higgins will toe field goal and point after attempts.

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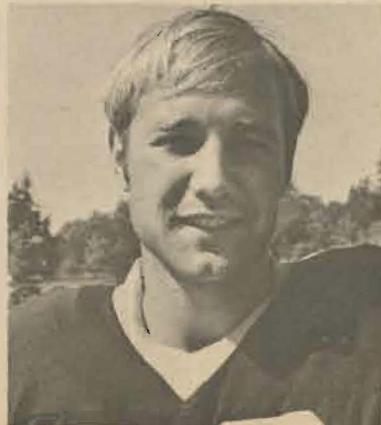
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Sept. 29 At Pacific	1:30 p.m.
Oct. 6 At Whitman	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 13 Willamette	8:00 p.m.
Oct. 20 Col. of Idaho	1:30 p.m.
Oct. 27 Lewis & Clark	1:30 p.m.
Nov. 3 At Linfield	1:30 p.m.
Nov. 10 Concordia*	1:30 p.m.
Nov. 17 At P. Sound	1:30 p.m.
* Homecoming	



Kurt Nowadnick



Frank Spear



Greg Collman

