

# knightletter

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## Wartburg College Physical Education Head Appointed to Similiar Position by PLU

Pacific Lutheran University has appointed an Iowa coach and educator to head its program of health, physical education and athletics, announced President Mortvedt.

Dr. David M. Olson, who presently holds a similiar post at Wartburg College in Waverly, Iowa, will assume his new position in July. He succeeds H. Mark Salzmann who resigned last December due to illness.

In announcing the appointment, Dr. Mortvedt added that no other changes in the coaching staff are anticipated for the coming school year. However, one more full-time teacher will be added to the physical-education faculty.



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Coaching at present are Roy Carlson, football and wrestling; Gene Lundgaard, basketball and golf; H. Joseph Broeker, baseball and football; and Richard Alseth, swimming and tennis. Rick Daniels, a Fife (Wash.) High School coach, is head track mentor this spring.

Carlson and Broeker are presently sharing the duties to be held by Olson.

Dr. Olson, 33, coaches track at Wartburg in addition to his teaching and administrative duties. He has been at the Iowa school since 1960.

He is a 1956 graduate of Concordia (Minn.) College where he competed in track and football and served as president of the letterman's club.

The University of Minnesota gave him his master of art's degree, and the University of Iowa granted him his doctorate.

Dr. Olson and his wife, the former Arvis Joyce Olson of Moorhead, Minn., have three children, Jana, Mark and Julie.



REHEARSE TRAGEDY--Karen Krebbs of Kirkland and Douglas Lieberg of Bellevue rehearse a scene from PLU's presentation of the ancient Greek tragedy "Antigone" that will be staged Thursday through Saturday.

## ROUNDTABLE

Daniel Leasure (v.p.--student affairs) will leave PLU Saturday to attend a meeting of the Association of College Unions International in Chicago . . . George Roskos (Art) has been re-nominated for a position on the Tacoma Art Museum's Board of Directors . . . he has been a board member for the past four years . . . Roger Bassett has resigned his position with the Higher Education Facilities Commission, and has been replaced by Kenneth Glassburn . . . Donald Farmer, Lowell Culver, and Wolfgang Ulbricht (political science) recently attended a joint meeting of the Western Political Science Convention - Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Convention in Seattle . . . Culver was elected secretary-treasurer of the latter group . . . both he and Dr. Farmer are past members of the executive board of the association . . . William Giddings (chemistry) is attending a conference on Linear Free Energy Relationships at the University of California-Irvine, through Saturday . . . next week he and Laurence Huestis (chemistry) will be in San Francisco attending the national meeting of the American Chemical Society . . . Curt Huber (philosophy) was also one of the PLU faculty members involved in last week's joint Catholic-Lutheran observance of the Reformation . . . Welcome to Mrs. LuVerne Petersen (health center) who started there as staff nurse . . .

**CHOIR** The North Idaho Junior College a capella Choir will perform in  
**VISITS** chapel Monday, April 1. The choir, now beginning its spring tour, will present: "Osanna," by John Ness Beck; "Kyrie," by Andrea Gabrieli; "They Who Grieving Soweth," by Johann Hermann Schein; "Blessing, Glory and Wisdom," by J.S. Bach; "Beautiful Savior," arr. by F. Melius Christiansen; and "O Savior Throw the Heavens Wide," by Johannes Brahms. The choir is under the direction of Lou Kelly.

**NURSERY** On Saturday, March 30th, the PLU campus nursery will have  
**SALE** a sale located at 127th and A street.

**KPLU GETS** Starting Sunday, PLU's campus radio station  
**PROGRAM** KPLU will begin running "The NER Washington Forum" as a weekly public affairs program. The series is produced in Washington by the National Educational Radio network.

The program's director, Victor Sussman, concentrates on being where the commercial newsman is not. He interviews newsmakers on subjects as varied and broad in scope as events are themselves in the Nation's capital.

Listeners will be able to dial the program into their FM radios (88.5) at either 1 p.m. Sunday or 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, starting this week.

**FRIDAY** Sonja, Simons, a mezzo  
**MUSIC** contralto, will present her senior recital this week at Friday Noon Music at 12:30 p.m. in Eastvold Chapel. Miss Simons, accompanied by Jill Farver, will present the following program: "Gretchen am Spinrade" and "Du Bist Die Ruh'," by Schubert; "Orpheus With His Lute" and "Over the Mountains," by Roger Quilter; "Green Willow," by Gordon Slater; "Think on Me," by Lady John Scott; "Land of Heart's Desire," by Kennedy-Fraser; and "Black is the Color of my True Love's Hair," by John Jacob Niles.

## BIRTHDAYS

Melvin Solheim	March 29
Stewart Govig	March 30
Frederick Newnham	April 3
Jean Browning	April 3
Lucille Johnson	April 3

# University Band To Present Spring Concert

Pacific Lutheran University's acclaimed Band will present its annual Spring Concert Wednesday evening in Eastvold Auditorium

The 8:15 p.m. performance is complimentary to the public.



Miss Ulrickson

Director Gordon Gilbertson announced a program of songs ranging from traditional marches to "big band" sounds.

The brass choir, featuring four students on the trumpets and four on trombones, will open the concert with Gordon Jacob's "Music for A Festival."

## Schiller Elected Head Of Family Life Unit

The Rev. Dr. J. A. Schiller, chairman of Pacific Lutheran University's department of sociology, was recently elected president of the newly formed Washington State Council on Family Relations.

Schiller said the state association formed from its parent body, Pacific Northwest Council on Family Relations. Although the latter group will continue for at least four more years, he said it will eventually be replaced by the new state organization.



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Prior to assuming his new office, Schiller served as vice president of the regional organization.

It will be followed by John Philip Sousa's "Fairest of the Fair;" William Schuman's "Chester" and Richard Wagner's "Elsa's Procession to the Cathedral."

Following intermission, the band will play John B. Chance's "Incantation and Dance," and then two students, Thomas Rasmussen and Marilyn Ulrickson, will be featured for the performance of Earle Hagen's "Harlem Nocturne." Selections from West Side Story will close the program.



FEATURED ARTIST--Gordon Gilbertson, right, band director, goes over music with one of his soloists, Thomas Rasmussen.