

## Knightletter

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REGENTS OK LIBRARY PLANS: ADOPT INCREASED BUDGET

Authorization to proceed with plans for the construction of a \$1,368,000 library was voted by the PLU Board of Regents at its two-day meeting which concluded Tuesday.

Plans for the two-story library were approved by the board as submitted by Bindon and Wright, Seattle architects. It is hoped that construction of the building can be started by the beginning of the academic year 1965-66 which will be the university's 75th anniversary year.

To be located on Park Avenue and S. 121st St., the library will have overall dimensions of 162 by 216 feet. It will have approximately 70,000 square feet of floor space, including the basement, and will have shelving for approximately 220,000 books.

The Rev. M. E. Nesse, pastor of Christ Lutheran Church, Tacoma, was elected to regents to fill the unexpired term (until June) of the Rev. Dr. S. C. Siefkes of Seattle who became an ex-officio member of the board as of Jan. 1 when he became president of the North Pacific District of the American Lutheran Church.

An operating budget of \$3,506,580.00 for 1965-66 was adopted by the regents. This is an increase of \$250,000 over this year. Substantial salary increases, made on the basis of merit, were voted for many members of the faculty and administrative staff. Payroll for the year will be \$1,500,000.

To assist needy students, the regents budgeted over \$200,000 for scholarships and grants-in-aid, and \$110,000 for part-time student employ ent on campus.

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CALVIN, SANDRA KNAPP TO PRESENT DUO-PIANO RECITAL WEDNESDAY AT 8

Mr. & Mrs. Calvin Knapp will perform a duo piano recital in Eastvold Chapel Wednesday, Feb. 24, at 8 p.m. The program, presented by the music department, will be complimentary to the public.

The Knapps each hold bachelor and master of science degrees in music from the Juilliard School of Music in New York City. Each are soloists in their own right, having given many solo recitals as well as piano duo recitals in the area.

Knapp has been a member of the PLU faculty since 1959, teaching piano, organ and theory. He is accompanist to Anne Lise, the Danish Soprano, on Columbia Records, in her concerts in the area. Knapp has had appearances as a recitalist and with chamber orchestras in the Northwest. At present he is studying toward his Doctorate of Musical Arts degree at the University of Washington.

For their concert on Wednesday, the Knapps will play "Sonata in D. Major," Mozart; "Variations on a theme by Hayden," Brahms; "Third Movement of the Piano Concerto No. 3 in G," Prokoficff; and "Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini," By Rachmaninoff.

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## UNIVERSITY IN PROFILE

The program of Feb. 20 on Channel 11, KTNT-TV, at 3:00 p.m. is concerned with a professor in his research. But perhaps more importantly we are discussing a side effect of research with Dr. Burton Ostenson of the PLU biology department. The side effect concerns the Alaskan Eskimo and his action and reaction with his environment.

Dr. BURTON J. OSTENSON (biology) attended the meeting of the Pacific Northwest Bird and Mammal Society at Oregon State University in Corvallis last Saturday

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MRS. LURETTA (WRIGHT) MARTIN, former
Harstad Hall housemother, sends greetings
to her friends at PLU. Her husband, Dr.
Charles Martin, is professor of entemology
at OSU.

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A couple of secretarial changes are in the making. MARY FAGERLIN (admissions) is transferring to the office of the vice president for development, Clayton Peterson, to replace Mrs. LOIS POFF who is leaving the end of February. Hired to replace Mary in the PR section is Mrs. ANNETTE DOBBS who hails from Los Angeles and is a recent graduate in history from Stanford University. She and her husband, Kimberly, recently moved here when he enrolled at the University of Puget Sound.

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## FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

H. Mark Salzman February 20
Helen Fellrath February 25
Jane Officer February 26
Ruth Willaby February 26

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"When a church college trains a teacher it multiplies its strength countless times, for each teacher touches and influences the lives of many students. No profession has a greater opportunity to change the future. But all professions are affected by Christian education."

Alexander Miller
Stanford University

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The Health Center is sending T.B. test reports to all members of the faculty and staff. They are to be kept in the possession of the person receiving them. Do NOT return them to the Health Center. They have already been recorded.

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Dr. Donald R. Farmer, pre-law adviser, states that the School of Law at Valparaiso University (Indiana) is establishing a full tuition scholarship for the benefit annually of a PLU student who will be receiving his B.A. and wants to study law. This scholarship is for \$1,050 per year and in exceptional cases, may be as high as \$1,500. It is renewable. Applications for next year should be submitted at once.

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Washington's Birthday (Monday) will be a holiday for the staff of the university and offices will be closed. Classes will be held as usual.

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Four members of the administration will participate in alumni chapter meetings in Oregon tonight and Saturday. Dr. Robert Mortvedt, Dean Philip E. Hauge, Lawrence J. Hauge (alumni director) and Milton Nesvig (public Relations) will be in Eugene tonight, Salem Saturday noon and Portland Saturday night.

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The Admissions people are holding a reception for high school seniors and their parents in Portland at the Cosmopolitan Saturday afternoon. Several faculty members will participate in the session.

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An era in Evergreen Conference basketball history will come to an end Saturday night when Pacific Lutheran University plays its final EvCo game at Ellensburg against Central Washington. PLU will enter the Northwest Conference next year.

Although the Knights failed to win the conference title this year, it has been PLU which has dominated EvCo play during the past decade, winning or sharing the title nine of the last 11 years. During this period PLU has won 111 of 133 games for an 83.4 percentage.

No other team has dominated play like the Knights have during the 17-year history of the league. Going into their final league game, they hold the best won-lost record in conference play with 163 wins against 48 defeats for 77.2 percent.

During the days of the "Big Three" - Chuck Curtis, Jim VanBeek and Roger Iverson -- PLU ran up a string of 41 consecutive conference victories as it went through three seasons unbeaten in league play, 1957-58-59. Last year's team also finished the conference schedule undefeated.

Whitworth, which is second in line in the overall conference standings with four titles, is the only other team to go through a league schedule undefeated. The Pirates recorded the feat in 1954.

PLU also is the only EvCo team which has never finished the season with a losing league record. The Knights' lowest finish was in 1961 when they finished fourth, posting a 7-7 record.

Ironically, PLU will end EvCo competition against the team which dethroned it as champion, Central Washington -- a team that has not won the championship since it earned the first crown in 1949.

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The overall education budget was increased by 10 per cent and the library acquisition by 12 per cent.

Dr. Robert Mortvedt stated that no increase in tuition will be made for next year. "This is in line with the long range plan of the university adopted by the regents last year which called for a study of student costs every two years," he explained.

An income protection insurance program for disability due to health or accident was approved for the faculty and administration. The university will pay the premium for this fringe benefit.

A preliminary outline for a master landscape plan for the campus was presented by Richard Haag Associates, Seattle landscape architects and planning consultants. The plan sets forth locations and designs for malls, plazas, walkways, courts, and plantings.

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"ENTER A QUEEN"
TO BE GIVEN MONDAY

Husbands will be honored guests and a one-act play will be presented at the Faculty Wives Club meeting Monday evening at 8 in the Classroom Building auditorium.

Featuring a cast of faculty wives, the Michael Dines comedy, "Enter A Queen," will be presented in theater-in-the-round style. Dr. Abe Bassett of the speech department faculty will direct the play. Members of the cast include the Mesdames Tibor Barteky, Judd Doughty, Alan Lovejoy and Dwight J. Zulauf.

Hostesses for the evening will be the Mesdames Frank H. Haley, Curtis Huber, Theodore O. H. Karl, Milton Nesvig, Clayton B. Peterson and John Schiller.

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