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TWO NEW FACULTY APPOINTMENTS FOR 1964-65 SCHOOL YEAR ANNOUNCED BY DR. MORTVEDT

Appointments of two new faculty members for the 1964-65 school year have been announced by Dr. Robert Mortvedt, president.

The Rev. Emmet E. Eklund of Arlington, Massachusetts, has been appointed as chairman of the Department of Religion while Maurice H. Skones of Alamosa, Colorado, has been named as chairman of the Department of Music.

A member of the ministerium of the Lutheran Church in America, Mr. Eklund has been pastor of St. Paul Lutheran Church, Arlington, since 1958. He also served a parish in Jamestown, New York from 1945-47.

Mr. Eklund was professor of Christianity and philosophy at Bethany College (Kansas) from 1947-56. He is a graduate of Bethany and has a Bachelor of Divinity degree from Augustana Seminary (Ill.). He has a Master of Arts degree from the University of Chicago, and will receive a Doctor of Philosophy degree from Boston University on June 7. His graduate studies have centered around American Church history.

Mr. Eklund is a member of Pi Kappa Delta, the American Society of Church History and the American Academy of Political and Social Science. He was graduated with honors from both college and seminary.

Skones has been associate professor of music and director of choirs at Adams State College, Alamosa, since 1957. Prior to that he was a graduate assistant at Montana State University for one year, and supervisor of music at Cut Bank (Mont.) High School from 1948-56.

A native of Montana, Skones has a bachelor of arts in music degree from Concordia College (Minn.), and a master of music degree from MSU. He spent the 1962-63 school year working toward his doctorate at the University of Arizona, where he will continue his studies

this summer.

At Concordia he studied under Paul Christiansen and sang in his choir. He was also a letterman in football and basketball. He was director of the Choral Union at MSU, and at Arizona he was director of the Choral Society and the University Singers.

When he was at Cut Bank his choir was invited to sing at the Northwest Music Educators Conference, the Music Educators National Conference at Philadelphia, and the first International Conference on music education at Brussels, Belgium.

His experience includes 15 years of service in the Lutheran Church as director of choirs. He was director of the Rocky Mountain District Choral Union (American Lutheran Church) and a member of the International Board of the Choral Union.

He has had eight years of experiences as director of instrumental music, and played viola in the San Luis Valley (Colo.) Symphony.

Skones served as temporary chairman of the Division of Fine Arts at Adams State when the permanent chairman was on leave. He wrote a major portion of the Adams State self-study which resulted in accreditation by the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education. He prepared a major portion of new music curriculum designed to meet requirements for membership in the National Association of Schools of Music. He was elected recently by the Colorado public school music teachers to serve as advisor to the vocal division of the Colorado Music Educators Association.

Skones, age 37, is married and has three children. His wife is a graduate of Concordia where she sang in the choir.

T H E R O U N D T A B L E

DR. and MRS. R. BYARD FRITTS (music) have been appointed Danforth Associates on the campus. In making the announcement, The Danforth Foundation stated, "This is an appointment given to faculty members and their wives who have demonstrated personal concern for students, combined with scholarly achievement in their field of teaching. College faculty chosen for these appointments must have major responsibility in classroom teaching and must be highly respected as teacher scholars by colleagues and students." Others who have been Danforth Associates at PLU in the past include the Solbergs, Kuethes and Salzmans.

LESLIE O. EKLUND (director of testing) is at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota undergoing a series of tests. He left here by train last Saturday. With him were his wife, his son Leslie, Jr., and his sister, Mrs. Cliff Sanders. When reports on his condition are available they will be relayed through the columns of the Knightletter.

PRESIDENT MOR VEDT will fly to Minneapolis at midnight Sunday night to attend a meeting of ALC college and university presidents. He will return Monday evening.

JIM GABRIELSEN, football and baseball coach here from 1958-62, and family moved last month from Sacramento to Grand Rapids, Minnesota. Jim is vice president of a newly established furniture manufacturing firm there.

Welcome back to DR. LOUIS CHRISTENSEN (music) who was laid low for two weeks with a virus infection.

DORIS L. WAGNER, former member of our School of Nursing faculty, has joined the Marion County (Oregon) health department staff as a nursing supervisor. She is living in Salem.

LEIGHLAND JOHNSON (assistant to the dean of students) was the speaker for a fellowship dinner at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Arlington recently. He and his wife showed pictures of their missionary work in Africa.

MRS. S. M. MOE, housemother at Ivy will be the guest speaker tonight at the Mother-Daughter Banquet at Christ the King Lutheran Church.

THE COPY HOOK

Two important annual convocations will be held next week. The annual Awards Day program is scheduled for Thursday, May 21. Senior Day festivities will be held Friday morning, May 22. Senior class president Donald Isensee will speak on "As a Man Thinketh," and Glenda Sadler will present the class gift.

Men of the faculty want it made known that they trimmed a student team in a softball game at the Campus Day picnic at Spanaway last week. "Bullet Bob" Pierson on the mound for the faculty tamed the collegians.

Leighland Johnson (assistant to the dean of students) has purchased the Stanley Elberson home and will be moving in this summer when Stan and tribe move to Eugene, Oregon where he will be working on his doctorate at the University of Oregon.

The Alpha Beta Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa, an educational fraternity for men, will provide a graduate scholarship of \$250 for PLU. This scholarship is available for the 1964-65 school year. Interested persons should contact Dr. Sjoding, director of graduate studies.

Members of the faculty, staff and student body of PLU have been invited to attend an "Evening Mass of Requiem" for the late President John F. Kennedy May 22 at 6 p.m. at St. Patrick's Church, located at 1122 North J. Street. This date marks a six month period since the tragic death of the late President.

U N I V E R S I T Y I N P R O F I L E

Excerpts from the Gilbert and Sullivan opera, "Pirates of Penzance," will be featured on this week's University in Profile show at 3 p.m. Saturday on KTNT-TV, Channel 11.

Over 40 music students from PLU, who participated in the show given on campus several weeks ago, will appear under the direction of Fredrick Newnham.

Judd Doughty is the director of University in Profile.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 16--Eline Morken

May 19--Carl Faulk

ASPLU FUND DRIVE RAISES \$1,200 FOR WUS

This spring's ASPLU fund raising campaign for World University Service collected \$1200.73, according to campaign director Mark Lono.

The fund raising this year was structured through the living groups, with competition based on a per capita system. West Hall, under the chairmanship of Joan Senum, raised \$110 and was the leader among the women's dorms.

The West Hall contribution represented an even \$1 per resident donation. The 85 men of Ivy Court, the leading men's dorm, raised well over this by dipping into their treasury to contribute a total of \$102.45. Ivy WUS representative was its president, Peter Quam.

These two winning dorms will be hosted at a party this Sunday evening by the WUS committee.

Other major receipts included a \$300 appropriation from the Student Body and \$199.50 in individual contributions from members of the faculty and administration. Harstad Hall, the large women's dorm donated \$128.01.

Other sources included a bingo booth at the Spring Carnival, sponsored by the WUS committee itself (\$87.50), the Lettermen (\$28.32), Alpha Kappa Psi (\$20.00), Tassels (\$25), Alpha Phi Omega (\$7.50), Pflueger Hall (\$52.75), North Hall (\$45.20), South Hall (\$52.15), Evergreen Court (\$16.80), and Delta (\$29.95).

World University Service is the only all campus fund raising project sponsored by the PLU Student Body. Found on most American college campuses, WUS is an agency by which the international college community distributes aid to needy students and schools around the world.

The PLU campus activities for WUS included a visit and convocation address by WUS traveler Douglas Grube.

Working with Lono on the campaign committee were Dave Ekberg, Paul Hegstad, Paula Pfannekuchen, Michael Cassidy, Jerry Cornell, and Mark Erlander.

PLU TO HAVE PROMINENT ROLES IN SEATTLE, TACOMA 17th OF MAY FESTIVALS

University personnel will play prominent roles in Norwegian Independence Day festivals in Seattle and Tacoma this Sunday. This year's 17th of May marks the 150th anniversary of the adoption of the Norwegian Constitution.

President Robert Mortvedt will give the address at Seattle's celebration which will begin at 3 o'clock in the Opera House.

The Tacoma program will begin at 3:30 in Normanna Hall. Prof. Gunnar J. Malmin will direct the Normanna Male Choir which will sing several songs. Olav S. Engen, PLU student, is president of the Chorus.

Violinist Hildegard Lonset will play two Grieg selections and her accompanist will be Pamela Stromberg. Both are PLU students. The Rev. A.M. Karlstad, former PLU student who has two children here, will give the invocation. Congressman Thor C. Tollefson will give the main address. Refreshments will follow the program.

Readers are cordially invited to attend either of these "Syttende Mai" celebrations.

THREE PLU STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN MENTAL HEALTH STUDY PROGRAM.

Three PLU students, Martha Dunn, Deanna Zimbelman and Elizabeth Patterson, have been selected to take part in the summer work-study program in mental health sponsored by the Western Intercollegiate Commission on Higher Education (WICHE). After a week of orientation at the University of Washington, each young lady will be assigned to a mental health institution for eight weeks of work and study under the guidance of its professional staff, for which work they are reimbursed. The program concludes with a week of evaluation at the University.

Miss Patterson's participation in the program is made possible by a special grant from the Youth Department of the ALC as part of its Summer Ministries program.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION PHONORAMA
SUCCESS IN INLAND EMPIRE AREA

The first PLU Alumni Association "Phonorama" was conducted in the Inland Empire area Tuesday and was termed an "outstanding success" by Larry Hauge, director of Alumni Relations.

Hauge stated the stress was placed on participation in this year's Alumni Fund Drive, not on the size of the gift. Over 81 per cent of the people reached agreed to participate in the drive which is considerably higher than the national average of 60 per cent.

A similar phonorama is scheduled for Portland May 19.

Malcom Soine is Alumni Chairman for the program.

STUDENT MUSIC RECITAL SCHEDULED
FOR EASTVOLD CHAPEL SUNDAY

Six PLU students will take part in a student recital Sunday at 8 p.m. in Eastvold Chapel Auditorium.

Participating in the program will be organists Kathryn Czyhold, Dan Jaech, Kent Isenberg and Alexia Henderson; pianists Tina Tossey and Russell Crockett, and mezzo-soprano Irene Kauffman.

The program is complimentary to the public.

MISS ALASKA, ESKIMOS TO APPEAR
HERE NEXT WEDNESDAY

Miss Alaska and a group of Eskimos will be on the PLU campus next Wednesday to take part in a "Tour Alaska" program which is being sponsored by the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce.

They will appear in Jacob Samuelson Chapel in the Administration Building at 4:30 p.m.

All members of the faculty, staff and student body are invited to attend the meeting.

T H E R O U N D T A B L E (Con'd)

MRS. LUCILLE JOHNSON (English) will be the featured speaker Wednesday at the Julia Hallen Book Club in Lakewood. Her subject will be "Thought Takes Fire."

DR. AND MRS. ARNOLD HAGEN (Education) have planned a "grand perimeter" tour of the U.S. this summer, starting the first week in June. They will travel south through California, across the southern part of the country from Texas to Florida, up the East Coast with stops in Washington, D.C., New York and Boston, then West again stopping at Niagara Falls, Ontario, Chicago and Minneapolis. They plan on camping as well as visiting friends and relatives along the route.