

Clifford Olson Joins Staff As Development Associate

Clifford O. Olson, Pacific Lutheran University faculty member from 1939 to 1948, has returned to the university as an associate in development.

Well known in the Tacoma business community, Olson has been in property management the past 15 years. He was manager of the Hult Center for 10 years and for the past five he was manager of Lakewood Center.

During his previous tenure at PLU, Olson was a teacher, athletic coach and director of athletics. His football teams of the 1938-41 era gained national recognition for their victory streak and spectacular play.

In announcing Olson's appointment, Dr. Mortvedt said, "We are delighted to have Olson back with us at the university. He is well known and highly respected through-

out this area, and has an outstanding record as a business man and community leader."

Dr. Mortvedt stated that Olson's primary responsibility will be to promote and further the interests of the university in every way possible, with particular emphasis upon the gathering of funds for both operational purposes and capital investments.

In taking over his new post, Olson said, "I am very happy to be back at PLU and hope that I can be of assistance in the excellent long range development program which the university has outlined. It is easy to come back because I am a firm believer in what PLU stands for and for what it is doing."

A native of Glenwood, Minn., Olson is a graduate of Luther College, Decorah, Iowa. He was on the faculty of St. Paul's College for one year prior to coming to PLU in 1939.



CLIFFORD O. OLSON, newly hired associate in development, holds an Evergreen康乃馨花束 which bears his name. The bouquet was given to him by one of his former students in addition to the university. It is given annually to the academic staff whose names and positions best exemplify the principles of partnership.

Publications Board Seeks Applications For MM Editor

An student interested in serving as Morning Blast editor for the next two semesters should submit an application on or before next Friday, Dec. 18.

Application should be to the turn of a letter addressed to the Publications Board in care of Mr. Paul Antig, 1033 N. Scenic Drive, Seattle.

Each applicant's letter must state 1) his view of the editor's responsibilities; 2) suggested changes which might increase the appeal and effectiveness of the newspaper; 3) specific qualifications; 4) class and major; and 5) experience, if any.

The Publications Board will review the applications and conduct a set of candidates to the Judicial Board. During the week of Jan. 12-18, the Judicial Board will conduct the election. The candidate who wins the election will take over direction of the Morning Blast at the beginning of the second semester.

The editor is paid \$400 per semester. All persons interested in the job are invited to speak to Harry Edmondson, the person editor, about the position.

According to the ASPLU By-laws, the editor's term of office is one year and the regular election is to be held in January. This will be the second year that the editor has been chosen in this manner and at this time.

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Annual 'Christmas Carol' Production Scheduled For Wednesday Night

An eerie moan and clanking of chains rend the silence. Dim lights shine through the darkness, and the ghost of Jacob Marley, bound by the chains he forgot throughout life, runs through the floor to confront his ex-partner in business, Ebenezer Scrooge.

This is a part of "Christmas Carol," a annual presentation at PLU, which will be given this year on Dec. 18 at 8 p.m. Since the production is to bear Christmas voice over, the crew does not build an elaborate set which would only have to be taken down again. Instead, the presentation is made effective by the use of costumes and dramatic lighting.

Another characteristic of "Christmas Carol" is that the actors keep their parts as least as they are of PLU. Playing Scrooge for his second year is Andrew Flom. An array of other characters round out the play: Tiny Tim, hobbling along in his crutch saying, "God bless us, every one"; Scrooge's nephew Fred, full of the Christmas spirit; Bob Cratchit, working for Scrooge on Christmas eve; Belle, Scrooge's childhood sweetheart, looking back with reminders of what might have been; the hooded ghost of the Christmas Yet to Come, pointing ominously to death unless changes are made.

Hope Halvorson is directing the

play this year, with assistants Bobbie Bauer and Karen Hansen. Under their guidance, the show promises to hold the same enchantment it has

had year. Everyone only sees May Tim (David Zutty) can remember which is the crippled boy.

—Muzza Taeppe



EBENEZER SCROOGE, played by Andrew Flom, sees his tombstone revealed to him by the Ghost of Christmas Yet to Come. This scene comes from Charles Dickens' "Christmas Carol," which will be enacted Wednesday at 8 p.m. in Eastveld Chapel.

PLU Concert Chorus To Perform Selections From Many Nations

Other music from around the world will be presented by the Concert Chorus, directed by Dr. S. Ryland Fritts, immediately following the production of Dickens' "Christmas Carol." The combined program starts at 8 p.m. in Eastveld Chapel Wed., Dec. 19.

Christmas is the most magic time of year with many stories and traditions from all lands. The English

Cheryl Engel Leads Cheers

Cheryl Engel, a freshman from Spokane, has been appointed to fill the recent position as PLU cheerleader. Miss Engel brings to the yell squad two years of high school cheer-leading experience. Two years ago she won along with her high school team, West Valley of Spokane, to the state title in Seattle.

Miss Engel, who is in secondary education, has eagerly awaited her first basketball season at college. All year she had heard about the cheerleaders at PLU how great and she looked forward to being there when the season got big.

"Little did I dream that I would be on the court helping to lead the cheer," she exclaimed.

As a freshman, she finds it's an honor the thoroughly enjoys because "PLU fans are so intense in their cheering; it's fun to be out front leading that type of fans."

have contributed one of the most popular Christmas numbers, "The Twelve Days of Christmas," which will be presented. This number will feature three quartets of voices and the large chorus.

Robert Sabo wrote "Tocotoco-Tocotoco" during the 1900's. This Provincial song tells the story of a small child, unaided and alone, seeking the Holy Child in Bethlehem. The night is cold with celebly gloomy foggy stars. He walks as noiselessly as could. The sky all dark and quiet, and he becomes exceedingly weary when he finds the wondrous child.

Lied on the program is "Vive la Virgen," a Spanish carol. The title translated is "Hail Caesar the Virgin."

The Spanish influence is continued as the chorus will sing "The Child of Bethlehem." This song, which is in English, tells of the various birds that flew to Jesus on the night of His birth. Carla Hansen, a soprano, will sing the solo for this number. This selection also features the male chorus.

The Indians share part of the spotlight with "Hail Unto Bethlehem." This song is a conversation between the Three Kings and people on the hills of Bethlehem. The people marvel at the kings' arrival. However, the kings are a bit troubled as they don't know where Jesus is in Bethlehem and they ask directions.

The Negro spiritual "Behold the Star" by William L. Da Mille, will feature Kenneth Merk and Betty Ulery as soloists. This song tells the story of people who travel the road of Bethlehem according to the day.

Open House Set For This Sunday

Open hours will be held 1 to 4:30 p.m. Sunday. This is an annual event at PLU, held on the Sunday before Christmas vacation.

The Social Activities Board, a committee just before Thanksgiving vacation, voted unanimously to request permission to hold the open house at the door of each residence. The request was granted, and the open house was set for Sunday.

Last year the open house was canceled because of a scheduling mix-up. Many students were disappointed because it was dropped and added that it be put back on the calendar this year.

Dance Is Scheduled

PLU will host its first after-the-game dance tomorrow night in the gym from 10 to 12 p.m. A local campus group will provide the music for the informal event. The price is 25 cents per person.

Ken Edmonds and Mike Macmillan are co-chairmen for the dance, which is being sponsored by the Associated Men Students.

Knights To Meet Lewis & Clark And Linfield Here



THE OREGON STATE "COURTETTES," half-time high-jinx team from Eugene, will perform Saturday at 10:30 a.m. at the Lewis and Clark game.

Mark Weller, E. 11th Street, Room 800, Eugene, Oregon 97401.

Lorson, Brunner Fight For Lead

The last two weeks in Noveling League basketball, Horace Lorson and Terry Brunner's teams widened the gap from the rest of the league but not from each other. Only separated by half a point, Lorson being second on top, they are ahead of the rest of the league by three, and a full point above third, which has half a point in front of Noddy's team. However, and neither finished out the top half of the league.

First Sunday CULL Moulding led the league with a high mark of 211 and series of 5 to 3. Duran Bandits had a 209 and Larry Cardinals a 204. Carl-A-Ha was second with a series total of 208, followed by Dick Dukes with 200.

Oliver's Ramblings

Lewis and Clark's full-time All-American Jim "Big-Bo" Bechtel led the set for 97 points in three games during the NAIA District Two Tournament. How about that, Dick Trickey?

Mid-Season University of Oregon took off with the Dallas Cowboys this last week for a double team. With the opening, the C of U lost a 17 point game and a reasonably winning high border game for this spring.

The intramural basketball season underway is now this year. The first game the season of 1963-64 college school basketball players is now in its 10th year, which left it well-stocked with talent for the "A" league in the days when it was a "Dixie" team with the highest weight-height ratio ever known.

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Two Oregon Hoop Teams Come With Good Records

By Ed Davis

The 10,000 again off-state PLU Knights may find that they must be on their toes again if they hope to come out of this weekend with a victory.

Tonight the Lions play host to the Linfield Cobras, Wildcats and Saturday they tangle with the ever dangerous Lewis and Clark Pioneers.

The Wildcats are led by forward Dick Sorenson and guard Dan Hartman, and Lewis and Clark is represented by their all-American Jim Bechtel.

A good indication of what the Knights can expect was seen last weekend when Linfield and Lewis and Clark locked horns for the title in the NAIA District Two Tipoff Tournament. The Pioneers came away with the hardware on a 104-97 victory, but it was tough and go all the way.

Bechtel managed to top a few scoring records with a 43 point output, but was assisted by Paul Ellings with

26 and Al Leslie with 21. Barnes and Hartman scored 20 and 22 for the Lions.

Lewis and Clark held a 34-46 edge at halftime, but an absolute poor showing by the Wildcats turned the tables 85-79 with only eight minutes remaining. But the Pioneers stayed back for their final victory.

Both teams are excellent shooting ball clubs, and Lewis and Clark especially will be looking for the Lions. For two years the Lions pulled a 9-0 record in one of the best contests staged in Memorial Gymnasium.

— The — Intramural Scene

1963 INTRAMURAL FOOTBALL ALL-LEAGUE TEAM

Oregon
Endol Mark Brundret, 307, Clinton
Grimm, Evergreen
Quarterback Edmund Finn Hiltz,
Almy, Evergreen
Center Rich Newell, Sherman
Quarterback Jack Shannon, 32,
Halldorffs; Mike McWhirter, Warren;
Pete Quisen, 37.

Lineman Al Hiltz, Evergreen; Tom Reynolds, Evergreen; Dave Onk, First Place.
Linbackers Larry Anderson, Evergreen, Bill Blayke, Evergreen; Larry Larson, Second Place.
Halfbacks Art Barton, Western; Fred Quisen, 11th; Chris Graham, Evergreen.

Above is the player-selected all-league team for 1963. Each team captain was given a team name, and those also compiled were used for the voting. No special credit for any of his own team members, since there were some remarkable omissions. Steve Klemm of Evergreen, Gary Luehrs of 117, Everett Hause of First, and Gary Sharp and Ed Davis of Delta received little or no votes, yet were statistical leaders in the season totals.

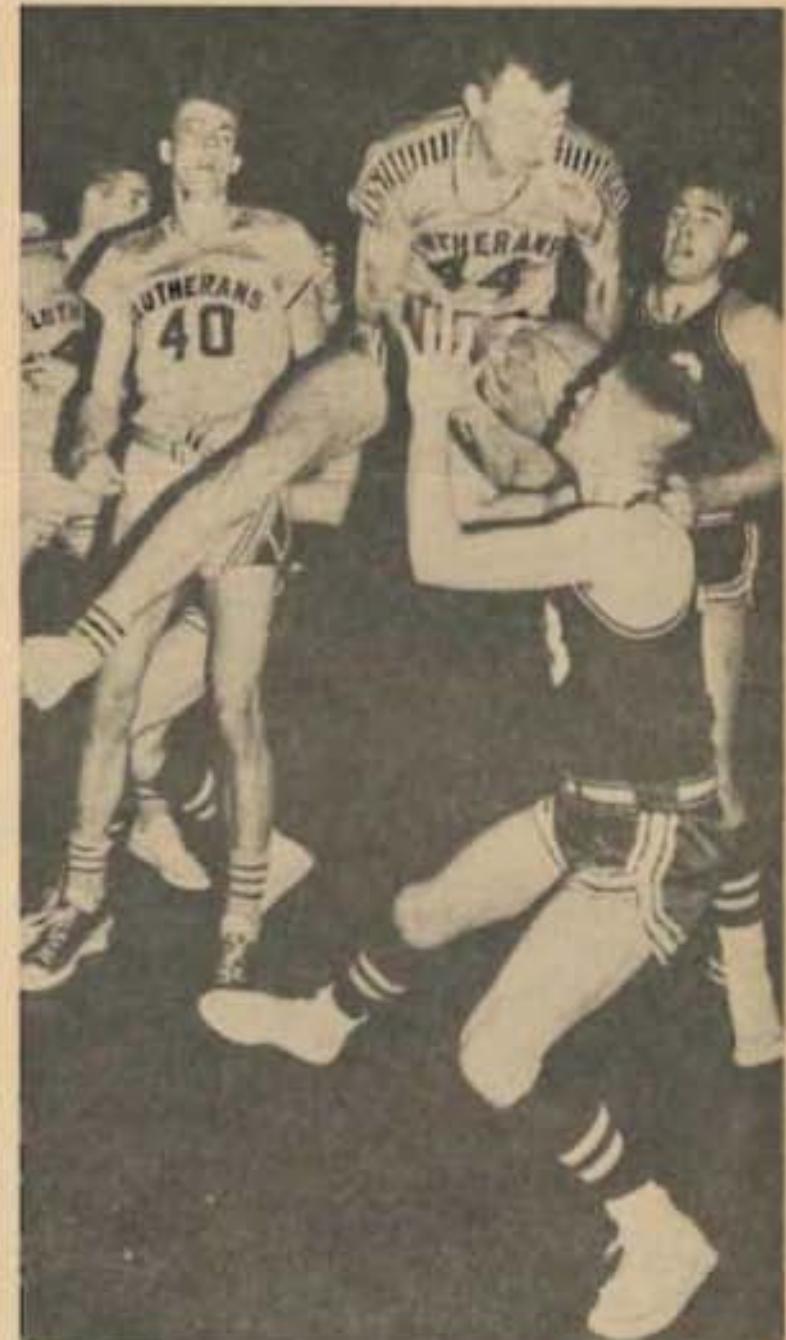
The one-and-only coach assigned to the football program at Evergreen seems to be indicated by the number of stars placed on the squads. Whether they are there or not is debatable; Third Team and Delta were completely overlooked, even though the former won undefeated the second half of play, and the latter had as good a year of winners in Bigend and Davis as any other team in the league.

Basketball is now in full swing, with games being scheduled throughout the week. All who showed up for a game at UPS to cheer up for the players, however, referees and officials are always needed; anyone, whether signed up or not, may function in this capacity.

SPLINTERS FROM THE BENCH

A cold-shooting Knight team found that the University of Puget Sound was anything but a gracious guest as it capitalized on the Knights' inability to get the ball through the hoop. Many Knight fans left the gym very disappointed and discouraged over a team that has the potential to be one of the greatest in PLU history. This weekend the Black and Gold will host two very tough teams from Oregon when they meet Linfield tonight and Lewis and Clark tomorrow night. Last week these two teams played each other, with Lewis and Clark coming out on top 104 to 97! In past years the Knights have downed Linfield thirteen times while only losing one and have a record of eight wins and two losses against Lewis and Clark. Mike Murphy and Jim Duggerman, two fine football players from this year's squad, are planning to stay out of school for a year and tour Europe.

The junior varsity and varsity will miss the services of Tim Sherry for several weeks, due to a broken toe he received last week against the UPS junior varsity. Sherry has been the leading scorer on the JV, averaging close to 27 points a game. Warren "Flash" Lee, the trainer for last year's athletic teams, is now doing his student teaching at Bethel and in his spare time is handling the training duties for the Cheney State basketball team. Gus "Hustle" Kravas, has been doing a tremendous job on defense for the Knights this year. Last week when the Knights beat Western Montana by 31 points, they set a new conference record for the biggest margin of victory. The old record was also held by PLU. It was set in 1959 when the Knights beat Western by a score of 104 to 54. Who is 6 feet, 8 inches tall, a second team all American, average 21 points a game his junior year, and was on the second string last week? —Mike Macmillan



THE TALL SWEDEN, Hans Albertsson, is shown here as he brings down a rebound against UPS this past weekend. Jon Holstein is in the background.

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PLU Music Dept. To Give Concert

The music department of PLU will present its annual Christmas Concert this Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. in the gymnasium. There will be one performance.

The Concert Chorus, under the direction of Dr. R. Byard Fritts, will present songs from nations the world over. The traditional Italian song, "How Unus Bethlehem," will start the chorus. "Behold the Star," a Negro spiritual, will feature Betty Querry and Kenneth Mack as soloists. "Toussaint-Louis-Jean-Baptiste" by Nicholas Saboly, will follow. The chorus will close with the Spanish number, "Ya Viene la Vieja."

Under the direction of Gunnar J. Malmén, the Choir of the West will present an interesting variety of numbers. The opening number for the choir is, "Gloria," by a former Choir of the West member, Jerry Bayne. This number was composed two years ago. At the present Jerry Baynes is director of the Clover Park High School Band.

Gordon O. Gilbertson, with the combined Concert Chorus, Choir of the West and orchestra, will present selections from J. S. Bach's "Christmas Oratorio." The orchestra will begin with the sinfonia. Nearly 180 voices will then join in the singing of "With All Thy Heart." The aria, "Mighty Lord and King All Glorious" will be sung by Frederick Newnam. This section of the concert will close with the chorus and their singing "Hear King of Angels."

As in past years the audience will take part in the singing of Christmas carols. Dr. Robert Mortenst will read the Christmas Story.

The entire Christmas concert will be broadcast on radio station KTAC Monday, Dec. 16, at 8 p.m., and Christmas Eve at 10 p.m.



THE MEN OF THE DAHL HOUSE—(left to right) Neil Martinson, John Tempkin, Gary Westgaard, Rich Olsen and Howard Schutte—relax in the living room.

Dahls Provide 5 Men With Warm Hospitality

by Neil Martinson

Five PLU men lead a life quite unbelievable in this age of cramped college dorms. These students live in the remodeled basement of the Dahl home at 514 South 12th, a short distance from campus.

The thing that makes this particular living arrangement unique is, most importantly, the congeniality and sweet generosity of the house parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl.

The Dahls who are retired are 80-year-old members of Trinity Lutheran Church. On numerous occasions they are allowed by the crowd, consisting of the basement stairs to the arrival of at least two or three of their boys for an evening of television. Mrs. Dahl does insist from the beginning that they should make themselves at home in using the television and the telephone.

If one is watching his weight it is wise to enter the Dahl house. These five men, fed on cafeteria food and starved for home cooking, find this other aspect of their residence very inviting. Constantly they are being called upstairs to sample home-baked bread, or confronted

with plates of cake or cookies and cups of steaming hot chocolate to wash them down. Mrs. Dahl sits in the kitchen on a sofa surrounded by her own knowledge of current events and her ability to ask challenging questions of her boys.

As one enters the living area of their residence he is immediately impressed with the Norwegian room. To their living room, they open two rooms, a dining room and a fireplace. In a little kitchenette, one finds a refrigerator—the dream of every college student; plenty of dishes, accessibility, and a hot plate. The rest of the apartment includes two bedrooms and a bath.

The students who live in this house range from a 14-year-old Minnesota boy to Hans Dahl, 80, and his wife, 75. Five of them are attending PLU for the first time. Howard Schutte and Gary Westgaard, after attending the Lutheran Bible Institute in Seattle for two years, are to Webster Junior College in Forest City, Iowa.

Westgaard, a junior preparing for the seminary, is majoring in English literature. Schutte, a senior in zoology, is also a junior. His concern is the family club because seems to have come to his heart. Buttons he now plans to get married early next February. Despite the generous offers of his roommates, he doesn't think that bringing his bride to the Dahl house to be would be a good idea.

John Tempkin, a junior transfer student from Marquette School of Music, is a senior in business administration. Tempkin is the manager for the varsity athletic teams. The lone freshman in this house is Richard Olsen, a senior in mathematics who comes from the land of ice and snow, Minnesota. Neil Martinson, attending his third year at PLU, is a senior in psychology.

CUB To Start Buffet Breakfast

A new, buffet-style breakfast will be available to students on Sunday in the CUB. Mr. Edna Daugherty, director of Food Service, announces.

From 8 until 9:30 a.m., milk, coffee and other breakfast items will be available to Boarding Club members. The food will be placed on a table in the CUB. This breakfast will be on a self-service basis. From 8:30 to 9, the regular, cafeteria-style breakfast will continue to be available to all who want it.

Movie To Be Shown

Tonight "The Honeymoon Machine" will come to the Campus Movie. The movie deals with a group of millionaires who pit their computers against a roulette wheel. Steve McQueen and David Janssen are in the color comedy, which will play at 7:30 and again after the game at 10 p.m.

Knudson Enjoys Travel, Teaching

by Chris Sorenson

Although her eyes can transfuse a person with a sudden, questioning glint, Miss Anne Knudson, associate professor of English, possesses a great warmth of personality. She seems to radiate a love of life and for people.

Her love of life has taken her to Europe twice. Each time she had traveled and attended summer school at the University of London. Much of her traveling time was spent in the British Isles and in Scandinavia.

While in Norway, she spoke to a group of university students on denominational education in the United States. Since the students knew English and she wanted to practice her Norwegian, the speech vacillated between the two languages. She soon learned how much safer it was to stick to her native language; a country was kind enough to point out several of her translation errors. Besides being too familiar with everyone, she told everyone, "I'm alive in Parkland."



MISS ANNE KNUDSON

world, she takes time and does assignments with the students.

Miss Knudson's life is filled with the gift of love—a continual spending of herself. Her's is an optimistic spirit, which is constantly looking ahead. "If I could go back to my sixteenth birthday to start over again, I would not do it, for I would not be able to take my experience back with me."

Longford's Work Colorful, Unique

by Dennis O'Neil

(Editor's Note: Virginia Longford, a senior art and psychology major, now has 20 of her pictures on exhibit in the art gallery in the CUB.)

The concentration of three scenes makes the fine show of Virginia Longford a success; the subject matter, the choice of colors and the like. All add such uniqueness that the "uncultured" college mass can enjoy it.

There are lovely pictorial themes and imaginative re-creations of Peter, Paul and Mary folk songs. For instance, a look at "Rocky Road" will start one whistling and reflecting on old Blackberry Farm days.

The simplest true choice of colors has produced final exceptional ones in which the colors complement each other. Each of her figures becomes unique. Miss Longford worked with them and gave them a specific color.

The colors in India ink on paper provide quite a variety of moods and atmosphere. At any rate, let's hoping to see this kind of originality in one's own generation. The art show is well worth visiting.

Greek Club Plans Party

"Where are you 'rowing' tonight?" is the question Kappa Klio Kappa members are asking each other. The answer is: "We're 'rowing' to Rock."

To celebrate the Kappa Klio Kappa Christmas party, an annual event sponsored by Rev. and Mrs. Edward N. Fox. Pastor Fox is the advisor of Kappa Klio Kappa, the club consisting of about 100 female Greek students. This year about fifty students, including members and their dates, will be coming to the new home. The evening activities will include decorating the Christmas tree, singing Christmas carols and eating the "goodies" that Mrs. Fox has provided.

The party will begin at about 10 p.m., after the basketball game with Embroidery College. It will last until about 12:15 a.m. at the residence of Pastor Fox, 314 12th Street.



"IT'S MY TURN!" screams Bill Erickson, as he attempts to get his record on the turntable of Pillinger Hall's new stereo set. John L. Sullivan, standing near the machine, seems to have already won the battle. Dan Joseph (left) and Gary Lantz hold down Erickson. Since it was installed recently, the stereo set has provided Pillinger men with many hours of harmonious and peaceful relaxation.

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