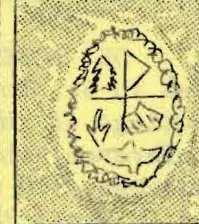




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KNIGHTS HOPE TO REBOUND AGAINST WESTERN SATURDAY

For the first time this season the PLU basketball Knights have only one game listed on their weekly schedule, but the contest will be an all-important struggle with Western Washington in Memorial Gymnasium.

The Vikings have been the chief menace of Coach Gene Lundgaard's charges among the Evergreen Conference opponents in recent years. Since 1960 WWSC has managed to dispose of PLU nine times in 20 meetings, more than any other EvCo foe.

Both the Knights and Vikings, pre-season league favorites of the coaches, have already been upset in conference action thusfar, surviving the first week of league play with 1-1 records. PLU was tumbled by Central Washington 71-64 while WWSC fell to Whitworth 52-48.

PLU, which holds a 44-16 edge in the series since 1945, carries an 8-7 record into the contest while WWSC is 6-4 for the season.

The Vikings, who field an all-veteran team, have been paced by Keith Shugarts, who is averaging 17.3 points per game while grabbing 9.1 rebounds, and George Asan, who has been dropping in points at a better than 15 point clip per game.

Curt Gammell continues to lead the Knights, averaging 17.9 points and 13.2 points per game. Mike Lockerby and Tim Sherry also are averaging in the double figures with respective marks of 12.2 and 10.1 points.

The Knights will be attempting to snap a two-game home losing streak when they host the Vikings. PLU has never lost more than two games in a row in Memorial Gymnasium.

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LUNCHEON TO HONOR ROY OLSON SLATED FOR NOON WEDNESDAY

A no-host luncheon will be held Weds., Jan. 20, at noon in Chris Knutzen Fellowship Hall to honor the Rev. and Mrs. Roy Olson.

The Rev. Olson, who was a member of the PLU staff in various capacities during the past 14 years, recently assumed the pastorate of the Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church in Concrete.

The luncheon is open to all members of the PLU faculty and staff, including wives and husbands. Tickets, which sell for \$1.00, are available at the Information Desk in the Administration Building. Tickets should be purchased no later than Monday, January 18, so appropriate arrangements can be made by the Food Service.

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UNIVERSITY IN PROFILE

Dr. Carroll DeBower of the PLU Education department will feature the use of the Cuisenaire Rods in the public schools during this week's University in Profile program on KTNT-TV, Channel 11, at 3 p.m. Dr. DeBower will use Mrs. Harold Mackey's third grade pupils to illustrate the use of the Cuisenaire Rod in arithmetic.

Producer-director Judd Doughty, of the PLU Department of Speech is the weekly host.

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"Education which is not anchored in the eternal God becomes not the bread of life, but a stone."

"Superior people are only attracted by challenge."

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THE ROUNDTABLE

DR. ROBERT MORTVEDT is spending the week in St. Louis where he is attending the meetings of the National Lutheran Education Conference, the American Association of Colleges, the Council of Protestant Colleges and Universities. He will return to his office next Monday. MRS. MORTVEDT is taking the opportunity to visit with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Arnesen and family in the Chicago area. . . RICHARD LANGTON (dean of students) will attend the Western Deans Conference at Claremont College January 28-30. . . MILTON NESVIG (public relations) and DICK KUNKLE (news bureau) are attending the annual Northwest District meeting of the American College Public Relations Association while LARRY HAUGE (alumni relations) is attending the Northwest District meeting of the American Alumni Council. The meetings, which will conclude at noon today, are being held jointly in Bellingham. . . DR. PAUL VIGNESS (religion and history) and DR. PETER RISTUBEN will again participate in the Lakes High School United States History lecture program. Dr. Vigness will speak on the reconstruction period following the Civil War next Tuesday while Dr. Ristuben will talk on immigration. . . GUNNAR MALMIN (foreign languages) reports that his son Olaf, a 1962 graduate of PLU, has an article entitled "A New Worship Experience," a review of the contemporary liturgy, in the November issue of Frontiers, publication of the Lutheran Student Association. Olaf is now in his third year of graduate study in music at the State University of Iowa where he received his masters degree last year. He is now a candidate for a PhD. The Malmin's son Jon, a 1964 graduate of PLU, has been granted an assistantship in Chemistry at Columbia University, starting the second semester. . . JON OLSON (admissions) will spend the next two weeks on a student recruitment trip to Utah and Arizona. . . Several members of the faculty and administration staff participated in the annual Parent-Student Conference in Seattle Wednesday evening. They included: DR. KNORR (arts & sciences), DR. OLSON (math), DR. REIGSTAD (Humanities), MR. SPANGLER (Languages), DR. NORDQUIST (Social Sciences), DR. HAUGE (Vice Pres.), DR. ZULAUF (Bus. Ad.), MR. PEDERSON, DR. JOHNSTON, DR. HAGEN (Education), MRS. NIELSON (nursing), DR. UTZINGER (fine arts), MR. JOHNSON (student affairs), J. E. DANIELSON and JIM VAN BEEK (admissions)

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WAYNE ALLER'S BECOME PROUD PARENTS OF SON -- JAY RAMZI

The following note was received from the Wayne Allers, who are spending a couple of years in Beirut where Wayne is an instructor in psychology at Beirut College for Women.

"We welcomed Jay Ramzi into the world 10 days ago (Dec. 18). He's a cute little guy who looks very much like his daddy. We really love him and he is getting pretty well settled in our apartment. He weighed 8 pounds 13 ounces, so is good sized.

"Wayne is working hard, as usual, at Beirut College for Women. He finds teaching the girls challenging and rewarding and not without its problems. But we are so glad we're here. We've had so many wonderful experiences getting to know the people, the city. The Americans on the faculty have done so much in helping us get settled.

"We hear periodically about PLU, via newsclippings and friends. We hope all is going well with you and your students."

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JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Marit Carlson	January 20
Marie Kraabel	January 21

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"Our greatest question is not, "What are our scientists going to do with the atom bomb, but rather, what will the Christian religion do with the hearts, the minds, the wills and motives of men who hold such power in their hands?" Will the church colleges produce such leadership? Through the years, the church college has been producing leadership out of all proportion to its numerical strength."

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Overheard in a dorm room: "I'll flip a coin. If it's heads, I go to the dance. If it's tails, I go to a movie. If it stands on end, I study!"

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