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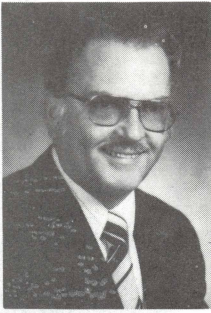
TWO GREAT WORKSHOPS IN THE FALL

Nov. 5—Taylor-Johnson
Temperament Analysis
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EXECUTIVE PRESBYTER N.D. DAVIDSON, says,

"The Pastoral Training Program that is being instituted by Northwest College, in my opinion, will be of inestimable value to those who are preparing for Pastoral Ministry—, I can whole heartedly recommend that young men, whose plan is to pastor, avail themselves of this program . . ." (continued inside)



From The President

Dr. D.V. Hurst

Victory!

It's a great feeling . . . exhilarating, rewarding and satisfying. And then it's challenging and encouraging to go further and do more! The feeling of victory!

And this we have at Northwest College . . . on several fronts.

1. We have secured a *piece* of property—1.8 acres—that was critical to the long range development of the campus. In fact, it has been identified as the "lead domino in the row" for several years. Located on the east part of the campus right next to the proposed new athletic field, it had to be secured before the field could be developed. This had to occur before the new entrance to the campus could be developed eliminating the small athletic field, and additional parking, movement of the student activities building and further development of the academic core and walk system could take place. In fact, we had to have this piece of property, which was completely surrounded by the east campus, before the Master Plan Phase 2 could be presented to the City for approval. Master planning had to include the property.

But we now have it! Thank God, papers have been signed!

It will take \$10,260 in unbudgeted gift income next year to make the payment. A total of \$72,000 over a ten year period will be needed. But, we believe that victory will come, too!

2. And we now have the *right zoning* for the campus!

Due to a complex zoning situation in the City the College has been zoned single family residence all these years and has had to seek a Conditional Use Permit with each new structure. In recent years this required the long and often delayed route of public hearings.

But this has changed. Northwest College is now identified as "Planned Area 1—Private College or Residence Single Family." Only one thing remains—City approval of the Master Plan. Most certainly this will require one more set of hearings. After that the College will be on a more direct path for future City approval of development.

This is a second victory. And the timing of it all was something else! Ask me sometime. I'll be eager to tell you!

3. And another victory is in the making. The Founder's Fund is off and running! (The complete text on the program was in the last issue.) And we've just started. The accompanying graph shows the progress toward the \$1,000,000 goal set for April 1980.

You can count on it! We'll keep you posted! And I believe it will be total victory. Join us in it and subscribe to at least one \$1,000 Founder's Fund Share.

4. Still another victory is the record graduating class—142. A total of eighty-eight were Seniors. Another all time high! (You will find more about this year's commencement elsewhere in this issue.) Think of what the level of performance would mean to the Assemblies of God of the Great Northwest if it continued for even the next ten to twelve years. One thousand well trained prospective pastors, missionaries, associates . . . I would call that victory!

Excited? I'm sure you can sense I am! Thankful? Yes, indeed! God is good! And His blessing is resting upon Northwest College.

NORTHWEST COLLEGE Founder's Fund			
GOAL—\$1,000,000 by 1980			
100,000	200,000	300,000	400,000
ENDOWMENT 160,000	AN-NUITY 52,000	TOTAL \$212,000 DEC. 31, 1976	
ENDOWMENT 184,000	ANNUITY 95,000	FOUNDER'S FUND SHARES 62,000	TOTAL \$341,000 APRIL 30 1977



Dr. Hurst is being given Founders Fund pledges from Herb Crowder after presenting the program to the Northwest District Council in Yakima, Washington.



Pioneers Sponsor Historic Reunion

History was made on May 26-27 when the Pioneer Class convened for a reunion after 40 years following its graduation in 1937. Spearheading the reunion were Mrs. Clara Johnson Rydel of Paradise, California, together with Estelle Crittenden of Seattle. Others helping were Earl Wilke, Rosemary Aucort, Gladys Johnson, and Charlotte Davis.

Joining the Pioneers at the reunion luncheon were members of the classes of 1938 and 1939. A total of 78 attended; four came from California, one from Vancouver B.C., two from Oregon, and the remaining were from Washington. Also present for the luncheon were two former faculty members of the Pioneer era.



The Class reunion was well attended, with many from the class of '38 and '39 attending.



The alumni had a GONG SHOW for entertainment which meant they had to have judges. Three international unknowns were selected: Bessie Guy, Ben Birkeland, and Dan Fetters. They did an outstanding job and could well advance Spring Gong Show at the Antarctic festival.



Every banquet should have a head table.



Bud was not that serious.



Five Alumni scholarships were given this year of \$300 each. Here, Linelle Crowder receives her award from Alumni Vice-President Rev. Rollin J. Carlson.



Guess who was a part of the Gong Show.



Happy faces from the classes of '37 and '47.

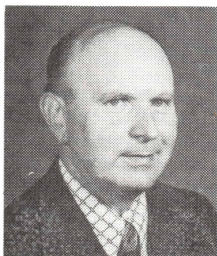
THE 1977 FLYING SEMINAR



SHOWN ABOVE is the group picture of the 58 members of the College's Eighth Annual Flying Seminar to the Holy Land, March 13-24 with a European Extension through March 28. The scene of the photo is Jerusalem taken in front of the Intercontinental Hotel on the Mount of Olives with the Walled City and the Temple Mount in the background. Leading the tour was Dr. D.V. Hurst, and assisting was Dean Amos Millard, who coordinates the instructional program and service operations for the Seminar. Dates for the 1978 Flying Seminars provide for two tours—one leaving Seattle on March 11, and an early summer tour especially designed for public education persons (though open to all interested persons) scheduled for departure on June 17.



Alumni President Warren Bullock spoke in chapel during the alumni chapel.



Mr. Millard Becomes Dr. Millard

Two years of graduate studies and writing ended for N.C. Registrar and Dean of Admissions

A.D. Millard on June 6, when he received the Doctor of Ministry degree from the California Graduate School of Theology in Glendale, California.

Mr. Millard's doctoral dissertation is a study guide entitled *A Training Tool for Educational Travel Abroad to Israel and Jordan*. This is seen



Student aid is available. This past year our financial aid officers were able to help with nearly \$370,000 in aid. Pass this information on to young people you know who may need help.

as particularly appropriate and practical, since Dr. Millard instructs the college's "Flying Seminar" to the Near East each year.

Dr. Millard is the seventh N.C. faculty member to receive a doctoral degree under the college's faculty development program established for that purpose.

GENERAL COUNCIL

The N.W. Regional Ministers and the N.W. College Alumni will share a fellowship time August 20 at 9:30 p.m., in the Sheraton's Function Room #1.

Eighteen Ordinants Trained at NC

"Northwest . . . recognizes a distinctive obligation to propagate the historic faith of the sponsoring church . . . and continues to have a particular concern for those vocational areas relating closely to the church's Great Commission." The meaning of these words found in the College's Educational Goals ("The Northwest Perspective") was dramatically demonstrated at the Northwest District Council of the Assemblies of God in Yakima on April 26th when eighteen of the thirty-two ministers ordained to serve in the Assemblies of God were Northwest College graduates or former students.

A survey of the ministerial activities reveals that seven are serving as associate pastors in the Northwest District; five as pastors; two are under missionary appointment; one is a college instructor; one is a youth director; and one is an evangelist. Another graduate, Dan Williams, will be ordained in behalf of the Northwest District by the Southern Missouri District where he is attending the Assemblies of God Graduate School to prepare himself for the military chaplaincy.

Grads to Scatter Far and Near

Graduating seniors and Junior College students will literally scatter to the "four corners of the globe" according to announcements made concerning their post-graduation plans at the College's annual commissioning service on May 25. Dr. John M. Pope, faculty sponsor of the Sophomore class revealed that an appreciable number of Associate Degree grads will be returning to Northwest College for advance studies.

Coach Carl Kinney, sponsor of the senior class announced seniors' plans that involve such points on the globe as Finland, Thailand, Africa, Spain, Australia, The Pacific Northwest region, and graduate schools in Seattle, Portland, California, Kansas, and Texas among other places.

The commissioning prayer was one of the high points as seniors and graduates were called to the front of the chapel for special prayer.

Executive Presbyter Applauds New Pastoral Major

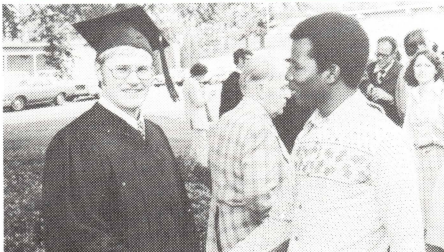
A veteran pastor, district superintendent, and executive presbyter of the General Council of the Assemblies of God, the Reverend Dr. N.D. Davidson applauded and endorsed the new Pastoral Studies major to be instituted at Northwest College this coming academic year. Dr. Davidson said the new training program "will be of inestimable value to those who are preparing for the Pastoral Ministry." He noted especially the emphasis upon Ministerial Ethics, Ministerial Relationships, Public Relations and Promotions, Work, Church Management, and the "whole spectrum of Pastoral activities" in addition to a foundation of study in the Biblical studies.

Dr. Davidson also rated the internship feature of the program in which pastoral and professional interaction involves the student during his senior year as being "well conceived." The veteran superintendent, sometimes called the pastors' pastor, said in conclusion, "I can wholeheartedly recommend that young men, whose plan is to pastor, avail themselves to this program."

The new major comes into being after over a year of study by a committee of pastors, district officials, and faculty at the college. Committee members were: Frank McAllister, Chairman; Frank Rice; Earl Book; Glen Cole; Mike Kirkelie; Dan Pecota; Jack Rozell; Bob Harris; D.V. Hurst; and Amos Millard, consultant. The program will be officially put into being as a new program offering at the college this fall.

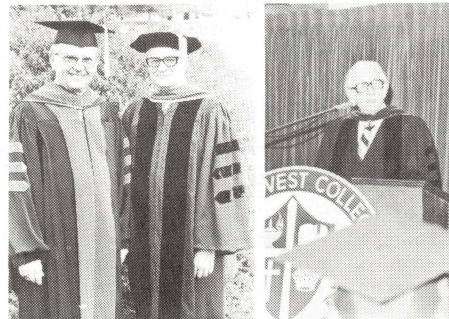
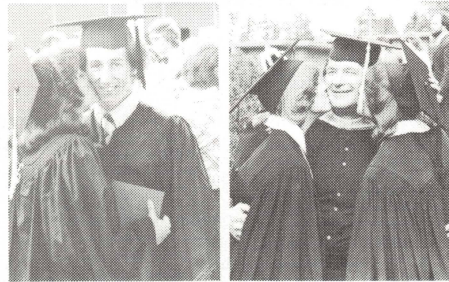
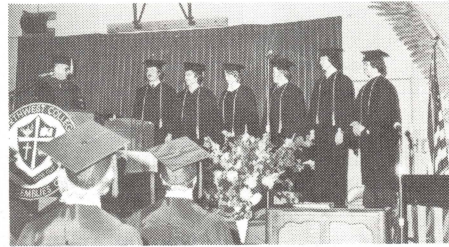
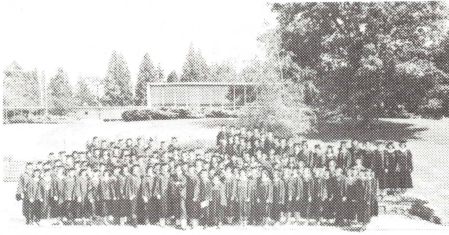
Campus Calendar

- July-Aug. Summer Travel Teams on Tour
- Sept. 19 New Student Registration
- 19-20 Upperclassmen Registration
- 20 Orientation
- 22 Class Begins
- 22 All School Bonfire 8:00 p.m.
- 24 Freshman Picnic
- 26 Convocation
- 29 P.R. Singspiration
- Oct. 3-7 Spiritual Emphasis Week
Rev. Linfield Crowder
- Nov. 5 Taylor-Johnson Workshop
- 12 Harvest Time Social
- 15 Pastors Workshop
"The Pastor and His Staff"
Glen Cole with his staff



A student from Africa congratulates a graduate from Finland who will be going to Thailand.

**Class of 1977 Graduated on May 29;
 Doctor of Divinity Degree was given to Rev. E.M. Clark,
 President of North Central Bible College.**



**COMMENCEMENT
 SETS NEW RECORD**

The forty-first Commencement at Northwest College established a new record for size and also presented some other features that were somewhat unique in terms of human interest features. The 141 graduates presented a colorful spectacle as the double column of grads led by a color-guard linked the area from the College Chapel to the Northwest Pavilion on the afternoon of Sunday, May 29, which itself was marked by the color of blue skies, fluffy white clouds, and a radiance which illuminated a groomed campus of emerald.

Of the graduates, 88 were awarded Bachelors Degrees and 53 received Associate Degrees, and 1 honorary degree, Doctor of Divinity, was conferred upon the Reverend Dr. E.M. Clark, president of North Central Bible College in Minneapolis. Dr. Clark brought the commencement address.

The Baccalaureate service on the evening before the commencement featured the Reverend Allen Groff, pastor of the First Assembly of God of Albany, Oregon, and ministering parents of some of the grads.

Inducted into the Delta Epsilon Chi Honor Society of the American Association of Bible Colleges were graduates and two alumni, Mr. Merrill Womach of Spokane, graduate of the class of 1947, and the Reverend Paul Pomeroy, graduate of the class of 1967.



Reverend Allen Groff, pastor of the First Assembly of God of Albany Oregon brought the baccalaureate sermon.

**FALL SPIRITUAL
 EMPHASIS SPEAKER**

**Evangelist Linfield Crowder
 October 3-7**

President Receives Permanent Appointment



In an unprecedented move, the Northwest College Board of Directors voted to grant Dr. D.V. Hurst an appointment as president of the College "as long as he wishes to be president". This announcement was made to the faculty and student body in the College's final chapel service of the 1977 academic year and brought a standing ovation of approval from the chapel assembly.

The announcement was made by Board Chairman Reverend Frank McAllister, who explained that presidential appointments have been made for four-year terms, but that it was the unanimous feeling of the Board, in reviewing the eleven-year record of President Hurst, that he be offered indefinite tenure.

Dr. Hurst in responding to the announcement, said, "It is gratifying and heart warming to receive this expression from the Board of Directors. These have been eleven great years. The challenge of presiding over the operations of such as Northwest College constitutes an exciting opportunity. We have seen many significant developments through the years. The Campus has been enlarged from 35 to 55 acres. The building space has approximately doubled. The enrollment has grown to 640 as the new record. The College has received full accreditation with the Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges, having had accreditation with the American Association of Bible Colleges for sometime. Under God we are trusting for continued growth and development. I am humbled and honored by this action of the Board and pray that I might prove myself worthy of their trust."



Campus visitors from Helena, Montana

Top Givers of Each District

The financial backbone of Northwest College continues to be the individual churches of each district. Northwest is an arm of each of our churches as we together work to train young people to perpetuate the mission.

The following churches were the top givers of each district:

Alaska	Anchorage First A/G	\$ 625
Montana	Helena First A/G	\$1,375
Northwest	Olympia E.C.C.	\$9,157
Oregon	Salem Peoples'	\$1,775
S. Idaho	Payette A/G	\$ 275
Wyoming	Cheyenne First A/G	\$ 376

Per capita giving awards were given to the following:

Alaska	Sitka A/G	\$10.91
Montana	Great Falls Central	\$14.34
Northwest	Hartline A/G	\$31.21
S. Idaho	Payette A/G	\$ 2.81
Wyoming	Casper Paradise A/G	\$ 9.09



Rev. Ken Wallace, guest soloist in chapel.



The all college choir singing at the Spring concert. The concert is an annual event and part of the Music program under the direction of Dr. Robert Swaffield. Interest in the Music major continues to grow as people come to see how strong a program it is.



Duane Kirkwood, a member of Water of Life, one of our summer travel teams. This year we have five teams ministering in churches, and camps throughout our region.

ALUMNI ORDAINED—**DANIEL MILLER**, pastor Basin City A/G; **DANIEL SECRIST**, Overseas Ministry; **DAVE SJOSTROM**, Asst. Pastor Everett's Bethany; **ROY AMES**, last served W. Seattle A/G Staff; **DARRELL ARNESON**, Assoc. Pastor Lynnwood; **MICHAEL AXTON**, Assoc. Pastor Spokane; **JAMES BENNETT**, Pastor Kendrick, ID; **DENNY STRAND**, Evangelist; **CLINTON NELSON**, Youth Director Yakima Central A/G; **SCOTT MONTAGNE**, Asst. Pastor Arlington A/G; **PATRICK BROUILLETTE**, last served Lk. Stevens as Asst. Pastor; **PAUL CHASE**, Missionary to Hawaii appointee; **TONNIE COGHLIN**, Pastor Bonners Ferry, ID; **DARRELL ELLIOTT**, Pastor Fall City A/G; **ROBERT FOSTER**, Assoc. Pastor Edmonds Grace Assembly; **DARRELL HOBSON**, Instructor at N.C.; **LESLIE HAGEN**, Asst. Pastor Pt. Angeles; **DALE SUTTER**, Assoc. Pastor Lakewood, CO; **DAVE RISTOW**, So. California.

INFORMATION CAPSULES—**VERNE PETERSON** awarded JC's outstanding young man of the year in religious leadership in Cascade area. **PASTOR & MRS. GENE NESS** (Sunnyvale, CA) were visitors here while Gene was Banquet Speaker May 4, at Calvary Temple 50th Anniversary. **TADAO HARA**, Executive Asst. to President of Tamagawa University (Tokyo, Japan) and director for International Education. He was in USA recently visiting son in California. **GEORGE HELD** new day care center director at Westminister A/G, Seattle. **RITA McCLARTY** back from Zurich, Switzerland, (Balgrist Hospital) is nurse at Children's Orthopedic Hospital, Seattle. **JOYCE McCOWEN FORCE** earned degree at UW in Soc. and working at Boeings. She implemented a paper recycling program for Boeing which saved them over a million dollars, was promoted to management. She is applying for law school, husband is Private Investigator. Her brother, **LEWIS McCOWEN**, has his M.A. and teaches at Lk. Stevens, WA. **JUDY FLATHERS** has completed her degree in Music and was nominated for "Who's Who" at CBC, Springfield, MO. **JERRY CHEN** completed M.A. at Con. Baptist Theol. School, Denver, CO. The **MIKE HILLS'** pastor Sparta, WI A/G. The **JIM HILLBRICKS'** pastor at A/G in Moscow, ID.

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NEW APPOINTEES TO MISSION FIELD—**MARCIA MUNGER**, former N.C. Faculty, Eurasia; **LYNN & GLORIA RUNNION**, Latin America; **CARL & TERRI GIBBS**, Latin America; **RICHARD & SHARON HOOVER**, Brazil.

VITAL STATISTICS—Married May 14 at Evergreen Center, Olympia, WA, were **DANIEL SECRIST** and **SUSAN FORCIER**. **RAY BRAUN** and **JERRIETTA FRITZ** were wed in Sequim, WA, April 2.

PROUD PARENTS—**DANIEL & GAIL (Larson) MILLARD** are proud parents of new daughter Jennifer Lynne, born Feb. 2. They live in Chelalis where Dan is a field engineer for Weyer-

hauser Company. **ROBERT & MARY LEE FOSTER** are happy for their new "Ranch Hand" Michael Robert born Feb. 2. **HERB & GAIL CHRISTENSEN** announce arrival of Chris Allan May 8. **JUDY (Henning) BECKER** and hubby, **JIM**, have daughter Kari Roseanne, born Dec. 2, '76. **MARV & KAREN GUNDERSON** announce son, Michael, born last month at Redding, CA. **BOB & ADELE (Waag) SMITH** have a baby daughter, Lindsey Allyson, born May 7. Bob is pastor at Harrah, Washington. **SAD NEWS**—**LILA STIMMEL TURNER** passed away in April at Yakima. She was an alumnus of 1944.