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KIRKLAND, WASHINGTON



CAMPUS DAY
March 28
for
High School
Jr's & Sr's

PASTOR'S WORKSHOP
April 1 2:00 p.m.
with
Dr. Murray McLees
topics
-developing stewardship in the local church
-the local church constitution
* No Charge *

NORTHWEST COLLEGE

Lay Council
April 11

BASEMENT

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PRESIDENT HURST BECOMES KIRKLAND'S FIRST CITIZEN



He listens & thinks . . .



He talks . . .



He acts . . .

Northwest College President, Dr. D.V. Hurst, became the City of Kirkland's "first citizen" as a result of his election to the post of mayor of the Lake Washington municipality recently.

Dr. Hurst's role as a churchman and college president has found a favorable reception among the community's elders especially as they have observed his constructive and active role in community leadership in various capacities over the past several years.

Dr. Hurst points out that the mayor's post does not require the same degree of time and responsibility as does the mayor's post in many cities because the city operates on a City-Manager form of government. The guiding hand of the Mayor and the City Council, are, however, important factors in setting the directions of the future in the 18,000 population, Lake Washington city which occupies one of the most scenic settings on the Lake.

Dr. Hurst received the endorsement of some of the city's former mayors and community leaders; among whom is former mayor Bill Woods, a Kirkland pharmacist and businessman who said of him, "He brings the leadership qualification that has been there in the past, and I think that is important." He added that "most important, Kirkland mayors in the past have been people-oriented," and he finds this trait in the new mayor, saying, "I am pleased as a former mayor to have that philosophy continue." The former mayor also expressed optimism and expectation for a good working relationship between the Mayor and the City Council.

Expressing essentially the same views another former mayor and Kirkland businessman, Jim Vaux, said, "I

think he is going to do a good job, based on the experience of the past four years on the Council and in his other community involvements."

In an interview with Journal-American reporter, Robert Goldstein, Dr. Hurst frankly described himself as a "churchman" . . . who has been President of the church-run Northwest College since 1966, adding that "to be candid, I feel too many churchmen think they can't mix political participation with the church life . . . but I believe a Christian life is a whole life and included in the whole is community service."

Mayor Hurst succeeds former mayor Robert Neir, Kirkland's three-term mayor who supported Mayor Hurst's candidacy for the post, it was indicated. Former mayor Neir had declined to run for a fourth term whereupon Dr. Hurst declared his candidacy and was elected by the Council to the post without opposition.

Dr. Hurst's new role will not essentially become more of an "extra-curricular" activity than he has had as a city councilman, since the day-to-day operations of the city are under the professional management of the City Manager, he explained.

When asked if he has any new ideas on how to persuade the owner of the Juanita Golf course to sell the land to the city for a park, Dr. Hurst candidly answered, "If I were telling you from a point of view of the College, I would say I'd pray" . . . adding, "that's not wrong either . . . I think God is interested in community work too." Perhaps this pretty well sums up the working philosophy of Kirkland's new first citizen: "work and pray."

1980 SENIOR PROFILES PUBLISHED

The Northwest College Placement Committee has just completed publication of its profiles on the seniors who will graduate from the College in May, 1980.

The purpose of the publication is to make available to District Superintendents, Presbyters, Pastors and to church leaders, a background profile on the College's graduates to assist in their placement pursuant to graduation. Included is information on the student's field of preparation; internship experience; Christian Service experience; family data; long range goals; and vocational training and experience in addition to pertinent personal data.

As an undergraduate professional ministerial institution the College encourages its graduates to seek placement into ministerial openings upon their graduation.

Some, however, will go on to graduate school or seminary for advanced training for special fields of ministry; most will go into the work of the church immediately.

To augment the placement process, the College will also schedule what is known as "Superintendents' Week" on campus February 5-7 during which time the District Superintendents of the five cooperating Districts, which make up the governmental structure of the College, will make themselves available for counseling and interviews with the seniors.

The College's placement program, though considered subsidiary to the spiritual factors of the gifts and callings of God upon the lives of its graduates, has been measurably successful in helping graduates find places of ministry upon graduation over the past ten years.

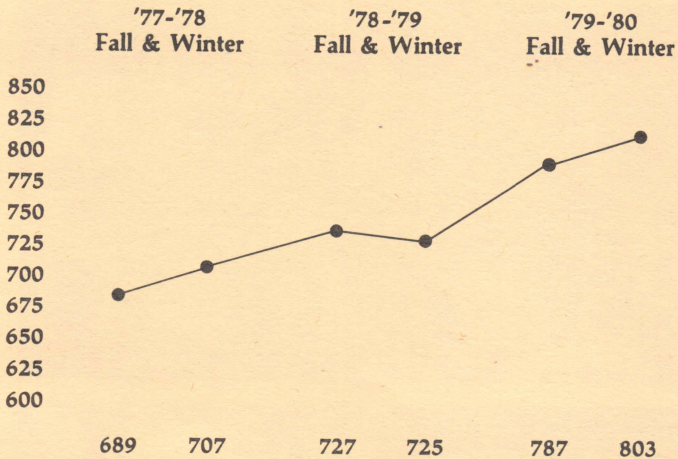
WINTER QUARTER RECORD

The enrollment for the winter quarter was an all time high for any quarter of enrollment at Northwest College this year. This marks the 21st consecutive quarter of growth which means that N.C. has had seven years of steady advancement in attendance.

This is very significant in light of the national statistics which indicate a decline in college attendance in the United States. We feel that one of the reasons for our increase and continued growth is the revival that is taking place in many of our churches. This revival is reflected in lives of young people who commit themselves to Christian service and Biblical training to round out their education.

This winter quarter the College has experienced a very high spiritual tone. The spiritual emphasis week with The Reverend Sam Johnson was one of the highlights. But many chapel services have seen the moving of the Holy Spirit and a general response on the part of the students to the call to prayer. No doubt this will be reflected in our churches as the students soon move back into the local scene to work in a practical way.

FALL AND WINTER ENROLLMENT



CHAPEL GUESTS

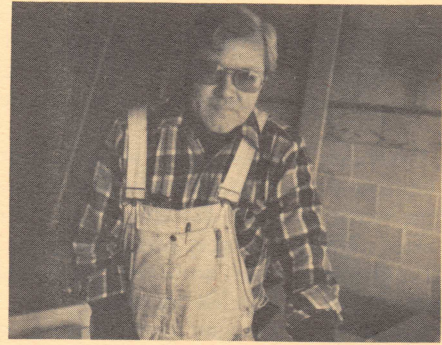


Reverend Bob Fort



Reverend David Roever

CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT FOREMAN



The Reverend Earl Cowley has been appointed to the position of Campus Development Foreman for the campus. Reverend Cowley comes to the College with many years of experience in the construction trade. In addition to this, Rev. Cowley pastored the Ephrata church for the past 15 years. At that time he was deeply involved in the camping programs in both the Grand Coulee section and later the enlarged camping program of the Silver Lake camps near Spokane.

A MONTANA CONTRIBUTION



Reverend Jim Wilson and his wife, Faye have recently moved to the campus from Poplar, Montana where they pastored the Assembly of God. They both have a keen interest in young people and feel that the Lord has lead them this direction. Jim is Superintendent of Custodial Services and his wife, Faye is the Assistant Residence Dean of Women.

MRS. OLSON'S SWEDISH CLASS



REVIVAL-MISSIONARY FIRES BURN AT COLLEGE

The fires of revival, missions, and personal commitment to the Lord burned brightly at Northwest College during the College's winter quarter Spiritual Emphasis week with The Reverend Sam Johnson, missionary to Portugal.

Spiritual Emphasis weeks have always been bright spots in the College's calendar, but few have seen a greater response from students than did this one, one observer said. Night after night the chapel was packed, even in the balcony, and night after night students responded to calls from the fiery young evangelist-missionary.

If the thrust of the messages given during what was known as a Missions Emphasis could be found it would have to be expressed in terms of a call to revival, a call to missions, and a call to commitment and personal dedication to Christ.

One of the material measures of response was expressed in a special missionary offering for a project in Portugal which saw the students respond with an all-time single record offering of over \$3,000, with a total weekly giving of \$4,800. For students, this was seen as being significant.

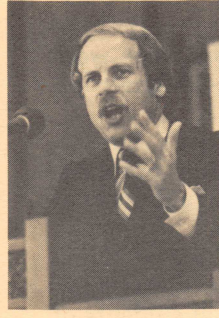
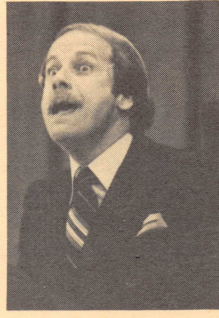
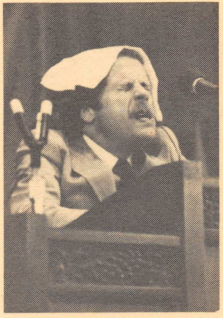
On the final morning of the emphasis week series, the bonds of affection for the speaker were expressed by a special "induction" into honorary membership in the College's Alumni Association.

During the week that followed the campus was basking in a bright January sun which was still reflecting the glow of inspiration and sacred impressions that were so vividly etched upon the hearts and minds of so many young people the week earlier. For many these impressions will never fully lift, and no doubt they will follow them from "college halls to lands afar" in the days ahead, as the College's alma mater so eloquently enjoins.

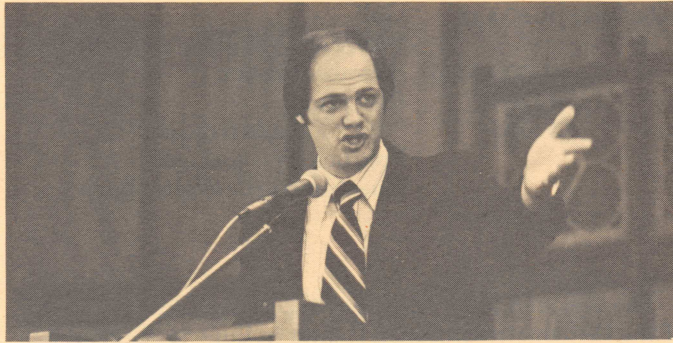
Reflecting upon the week's experience at the College, Reverend Sam Johnson said, "In my 20 years of ministry I have never ministered to a more receptive student body . . . the air seemingly crackled with anticipation . . . the night attendance was amazing as hundreds came . . . the dedication of students and faculty impresses me to consider Northwest College for my own boys, and I will recommend the school to everyone I meet. Our God lives at Northwest."



SAM JOHNSON REALLY WORKS AT PREACHING



MISSIONARY IN RESIDENCE



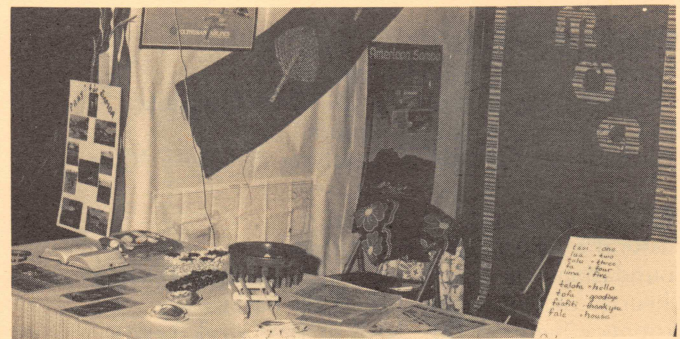
The Reverend Duane Dorsing, missionary to Malaysia where he taught at the Bible Institute of Malaya. He teaches the missions subjects at Northwest and works very closely with students who are majoring in missions.

Reverend Dorsing is on loan to the College from the National Missions Division of the General Council of the Assemblies of God. He will return to the field when his commitment to the College is completed.

Scenes from the Missions Banquet,



Below - Several exhibits at the Food Fair.



SUMMER SCHOOL TO FEATURE APPLIED ESCHATOLOGY

Northwest College will offer a second one-week seminar in Applied Eschatology June 2-6 with guest lecturer, the Reverend Dr. David A. Lewis.

The seminar will be in sequence to last year's, but differs from that of an overview of the major prophetic themes of the Bible, to deal with current-day fulfillment of Biblical prophecy.

In light of current events throughout the world in general, and in the Middle East in particular, this seminar is seen as being of dynamic relevance for all students of the Prophetic Scriptures.

Dr. Lewis is held in high repute in the State of Israel and is considered by many to be one of the best-informed scholars and spokesmen in the field of Biblical Prophecy in the current church world. He has made nearly 20 trips to the Middle East and serves in key positions of leadership in a number of organizations which support the cause of Israel from the perspective of the prophetic and theological interests of Evangelical Christianity.

Dr. Lewis is very active in the field of Christian journalism and writing. He edits *Restoration Magazine* and is co-publisher of *Dispatch from Jerusalem* together with Dr. G. Douglas Young of the American Institute of Holy Land Studies in Jerusalem. He has just written and published two books in recent months, *The Daniel Factor: A study in Applied Eschatology* and co-authored another book on the *John Todd Phenomenon*.

An ordained Assemblies of God minister, Dr. Lewis received his theological training at Central Bible College and was honored by the conferral of the honorary degree, Doctor of Divinity by the late Archbishop Antonia Dranellow at the College and Seminary of St. Paul in Rome, Italy.

The Seminar conducted last year at the College enjoyed a high rating and is considered as one of the finest enrichment seminars the College has ever offered. It holds the record for the largest summer-school course enrollment ever experienced at the College with students from Alaska, Washington, Oregon, and Idaho. It is expected that the coming seminar will attract even greater interest because of its focus on current events.

TENTATIVE CLASS SCHEDULE

June 2 - 27

PERIOD I 7:30 - 9:45 a.m.

Daniel/Revelation (3) MWF Hobson
Principles of Interpretation (3) MWF Pecota
Johannine Letters (2) TTh Braddy

PERIOD II 10:00 - 12:15 p.m.

Pentateuch (5) M-F Hobson
Introduction to Counseling (3) MWF Parlotz
Book of Acts (3) MWF Pecota
Principles & Methods of Teaching (5) M-F Ming

PERIOD III 1:15 - 3:30 p.m.

Pastoral Epistles (3) MWF Braddy
Foundations for Youth Ministry (3) MWF Ming
Theories of Personality (3) TTh Parlotz
Prophecy Seminar (2) M-F of first week Lewis

LOOKING AHEAD

Campus Day Friday, March 28

An opportunity for high school juniors and seniors to visit the campus.

Church groups from the local area should plan to come early Friday morning. Due to limited and crowded facilities this year we need to reserve Thursday evening lodging for groups who have a considerable distance to travel.

Lay Council April 11

Schedule: 9:30 a.m. Golf
Women's Auxiliary Activities
3:00 - 5:00 Business Session
6:30 Reception
7:00 "N.C. Friends Banquet"
Free tickets -- just ask
Guest speaker - Walter Buck

Spiritual Emphasis & Pastoral Workshop

The Reverend Dr. Murray McLees well-known pastor of the Willamette Christian Center in Eugene, Oregon will be the guest speaker at both the spiritual emphasis week and the pastoral workshop. The dates for the spiritual emphasis are March 31 through April 4 with the workshop scheduled for Tuesday, April 1.

The Tuesday workshop will begin at 2:00 p.m. and will have two - one hour sessions dealing with the following topics: (1) developing stewardship in the local church and (2) the local church constitution.

There will be no charge for the workshop and pastors are welcome to attend.

Alumni Banquet

Exciting plans are already under way for this great annual event.

Class reunions are being scheduled for classes of '40, '50, '60, and '70. Contact person for the class of '40 is Evelyn Tappero. The class of '50 is Marian Tague, the class of '60 is Bill Aho and the class of '70 is Rick and Cheri Ruckty. If you are not contacted by one of these representatives let us know and we will put you in touch with them.

Beatty Memorial

Attention Alumni! Funds for the Beatty Memorial are beginning to come in but as of the publishing of this Northwesterner we have a long way to go. You may recall we mentioned there was no marker on two graves of the Beatty family.

Out of deep respect and loving memory for this great family we feel we must do something tangible in memory of them.

Contributions should be made to Northwest College and marked Beatty Memorial. It is estimated that the total project will cost approximately \$300.00. We are sure that if we all work together this can be reached with ease. The Alumni Executive Committee would like to thank you for your response to this worthy project.



Teacher Feature:

J. Melvyn Ming

Teaching at Northwest College is the fulfillment of a God-given dream for J. Melvyn Ming, enthusiastic professor of Christian education, evangelism, and youth ministries at NC since 1976. While awaiting the open door, however, he had not been idle, but had served capably as minister of youth ministries or Christian education at major churches in Texas, Oklahoma, and Colorado. Students at NC now profit from his experience.

Mel's Christian experience began with his conversion at age six, so he can speak of Sunday school and youth programs as more than theory. As a teenager at youth camp, he was filled with the Spirit. He has been a licensed or ordained minister in the Assemblies of God since his early twenties. Few men have as thorough a knowledge of educational and church trends — a fact which makes him valuable in faculty and district committees as well as in the classroom.

With a B.A. degree from Southern California College and an M.R.E. from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Mel came to NC with good knowledge of his teaching field. Nevertheless, he plunged into a doctoral program at Drew University soon after joining the NC faculty, and is pursuing it with dispatch.

Students find the requirements challenging in Mel's classes, but they like his thorough preparation and organization. His sense of humor helps, too, and his hearty laugh can often be heard booming from the classroom or the faculty lounge as he shares an amusing anecdote. Add to that his driving enthusiasm for life — whether teaching, preaching, and advising, or backpacking, fishing, and hunting — and you understand why he succeeds and inspires his students to succeed.

NEWLY ELECTED FROSH OFFICERS



The freshman class recently elected their officers for the 1979-80 academic year. Pictured above they are: Secretary/Treasurer Val Haack from Tacoma, Washington. She is majoring in Sacred Music. President Dave Brown from Monmouth, Oregon. He is majoring in Christian Education. Vice President Larry Darty from Bonners Ferry, Idaho. He is majoring in Pastoral Studies.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

- 11-15 Spring Pre-registration
- 14 A.W.S. Box Social
- 14 Alumni Chapel
Gene Born speaker
- 15 Girl's Basketball
vs. Western Baptist
- 15 Eagle's Basketball
vs. Northwest Christian
- 15 Homecoming
- 16 Girl's & Eagle's Basketball
vs. Warner Pacific
- 18 Girl's & Eagle's Basketball
vs. Trinity Western
- 22 Girl's & Eagle's Basketball
vs. Columbia Christian
- 25-27 Hospital Workshop
"Terminal Illness"

MARCH

- 6-20 Flying Seminar
- 10-12 Final Exams
- 13-24 Choir Tours
- 13-19 Spring Interim
- 19 New Student Registration
- 20 Classes Begin
- 25 Girl's Basketball Awards Banquet
- 28 Campus Day
- 31-April 4 Spiritual Emphasis Week

APRIL

- 1-4 Spiritual Emphasis Week cont'd
Dr. Murray McLees
- 1 Pastoral Workshop
- 11 Lay Council
- 18 All School Banquet
- 24-25 School Elections

Snow Frolic





Alumni News

"FURIN-NUZ-UMS"

FOSTER & LOUISE WOODS are now at Salatinga, Jating, Indonesia where they will be assisting in the Bible School until furlough time next year. MARIE JOHNSRUD has returned from Upper Volta, W. Africa to retire at Tacoma, Washington. Marie has had a part in the field with EVA RADANOVSKY in work on manuscript typing on the Moore Bible for Africa to be published by the America Bible Society soon. ROBT & RUTH FRIVOLD are opening up a new church in Karuizawa, Japan. WALKER & NELL HALL have returned from their special assignment in Hong Kong to Modesto, CA where they will be opening a work amongst the Chinese refugees. TERRY & MARSHA PERETTI & 2 children are in N. Italy pioneering a church at Acqui Terme (25,000 pop.). They direct the ICI Ministry and Terry is also counseling in the Teen Challenge Center. Join them in prayer for a church building and for healing of a paralyzed man there. WAYNE RADFORD is on a MAPS project, teaching a FEAST in the Philippines where EVERETT MCKINNEY is President. RICHARD HOYT is with FEBC (Saipan) as program announcer. MILDRED TANGEN leaves soon for China to visit in the area where she and her late husband, Bob, ministered over 30 years ago. She will then return to her missionary post at Taiwan.

POULSBO PEOPLE HAVE NEW PLANT

PASTOR AL MUNGER, (former P.R. Dir. at N.C.) and congregation of Christ Memorial Church (Poulsbo, WA) have expanded their ministry with the building of a new structure located on a 10-acre site with seating capacity of 1,000 and 70 in the choir loft. IRWIN KRUGER was the builder. A 42-rank pipe organ was installed, and adjacent to the new church is the home of Christ the King Academy with 223 students. Among the staff members who are N.C. Alums are: KEN LINDGREN, Visitation Minister; LARRY ANDERSON, Youth Pastor; & MARC PEARSON, C.E. Dir. AL MUNGER is on his 24th year in the Poulsbo pulpit.

NEW MINISTRIES

KEN TANGEN (son of MILDRED & the late BOB TANGEN) is the new Nat'l Coordinator for the Blind Ministries. Ken is an albino with visual problems himself. His ministry will be to provide practical helps to those

people for their spiritual growth. STEVE HUNT serves at First A/G Life Center in Tacoma as minister to single adults. AL HULTEN is new Senior Pastor at Glad Tidings A/G, Vancouver, Washington. KEITH CHALCRAFT is newly-appointed Youth Pastor at Dallas, TX A/G . . . and still single.

RAMONA WONG HAS R.E. LICENSE

RAMONA WONG spent Christmas with her "adopted parents" (Chas & Rita Devoe) of Kirkland. She lives in the U District, and helps out at Teen Challenge. She has her Real Estate Broker's License now.

DRIFTING BUT NOT DREAMING

DEE BARKER & family at Homer, AK had snow drifts 9 feet high when 28 inches of snow fell in 22 hours with 70 mph winds. Dee has been doing counseling and visitation in the Pastor's absence and that's along with part-time work.

"CHANGE UMS"

ROSALIE (Braun) GILBERT has completed her M.A. at Texas Tech. Univ. in Lubbock, TX. Her husband, Marvin, completed his Ed. D in Counseling there also. He has opened a Counseling Center at 1st A/G in Sioux Falls, S.D. Rosie helps with music in church. They have a son, Stephen, age 4. New address: 6300 W. 41st, Sioux Falls, S.D. 57106. PHIL HINES, new Pastor at Evergreen A/G, Grangeville, ID. Phil & Becky have 3 children, Benjamin, Priscilla & Rachel. New address: 614 N. Junction, Grangeville, ID 83530.

"WED-UMS"

REV. JOHN CLEMENT (former N.C. faculty) & Elsie Cooper were united in marriage at Westminster A/G in Seattle on Dec. 2. Congratulations! We also congratulate ROY AMES & Pauline Anderson. They exchanged marriage vows on Dec. 15th at Trinity Temple A/G in Seattle.

"MA-DAD-UMS"

STEVE & DEBBIE ALSUP received a new Income Tax deduction when Danielle Nicole was born Aug. 7, '79 in Seattle. Steve is working on M.A. program in Missions at S.P.U. Congratulations! PETER & MARY ANN (Wangen) HANSEN are Ma and Pa now, and GEO. & EVA WANGEN are "button-bustin" grandparents. The reason? Ezekiel Louis Hansen was born in Seattle on Oct. 24th to Peter & Mary Ann. Hurrah!

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