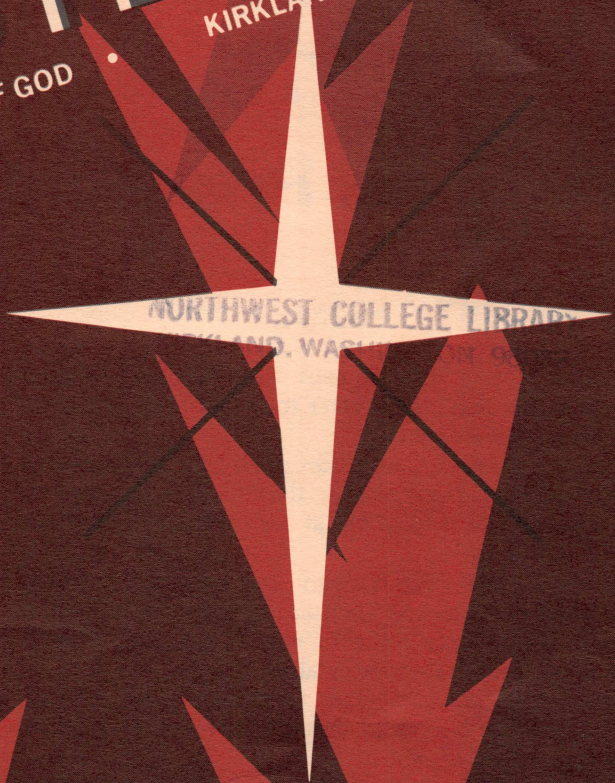


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Japan Superintendent of Schools, Akiei Ito, honored in special session on page 23.

BASEMENT



Dr. D.V. Hurst

From The President

"IT'S HOMEY!"

It was an interesting comment. "It's homey!" Charles Blair said to his wife, Betty after they had been at Northwest College for a few days.

It is one of those comments dropped by someone viewing your situation from outside that sticks with you and makes you ask, "Is it true? What does it mean? What was it that said this to him?"

I thought I knew what it meant, but I decided to check. Webster told me it means "pertaining to home, homelike, intimate." But it says more to me. It suggests: simple, calm, secure, essential, comfortable.

Someone else had said to me recently, Northwest College is "like a family," and I thought it was so at the time. Now another was saying it.

I reflected. A family is a unit, "a body of persons, a closely related group."

And so it is. Northwest is just that. There is an atmosphere, a spirit, a "feel" to the place that speaks of this.

But I reflected further.

A family is bound together by commitment. A wedding is performed, vows are spoken; a new family is formed.

This is one of the forces that makes the family of God — commitment to Jesus Christ. And this is the overriding factor that develops the sense of family unit at N.C. — commitment to Jesus Christ. We are a part of a greater family.

A family is bound together by purpose. Common goals tend to bind together those who work towards them. There is a comradeship, a fellowship of purpose that overrides forces that would tend to divide. It is true in the family of God and it is true at N.C.

A family is bound together by blood or by adoption. "Blood is thicker than water," they say. In reference is the cohesive force that families feel, a force that resists division, a force that ultimately triumphs.

There is a common "blood line" that flows through the family of God for all members that have been "born . . . by blood!"

But there is more. All members of the family of God are adopted, too. For we were "predestinated unto the adoption of children by Jesus Christ to himself, according to the good pleasure of his will." Eph. 1:5. We have been brought in by his choice in a divinely authorized legal act! And there is a binding force in this — an act of divine choice, an act of divine will.

Being a part of God's family through birth *and* adoption brings us together as a college family in a way that is most unique. This greater relationship affects all relation-

ships within the college life. We are first sons and daughters of God; we are then brothers and sisters — fellow heirs. And whether faculty, staff or students these are the primary relationships. Other working relationships find their place within them.

A family is bound together by love, perhaps the greatest natural force to be known — family love! And yet the family of God is activated by a divine love — "the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Spirit." Rom. 5:5. When the Spirit moves and love flows the family life grows and develops.

It is no wonder, then, that a sense of family develops at N.C. For, perhaps more than any other one thing, N.C. can be characterized as a School of the Spirit. It's distinction is "this": it is an academic setting. But more than this, it's a Bible College setting. And even more than this, it is a Bible College where the life of the Spirit and all that He generates is sought and encouraged. And a sense of the family of God, of communion is one thing He, the Spirit, brings into being!

The life at N.C. is profoundly affected by this fact — the Spirit gives love and applies it in His work!

It is no wonder then that a sense of family should prevail at N.C., that someone should *sense* it and say, "It's homey!" This is exactly what I would expect to find. Thank God others sense it. It must be so!

MINISTERING TO PEOPLE WITH LIFE THREATENING ILLNESS'

February 25, 26, & 27

Veterans Hospital
Seattle, Washington

The content of this annual seminar is being changed to bring the participants up to date on some of the newest rulings by the courts as well as dealing with very important topics that are being faced by clergymen today. The topics are:

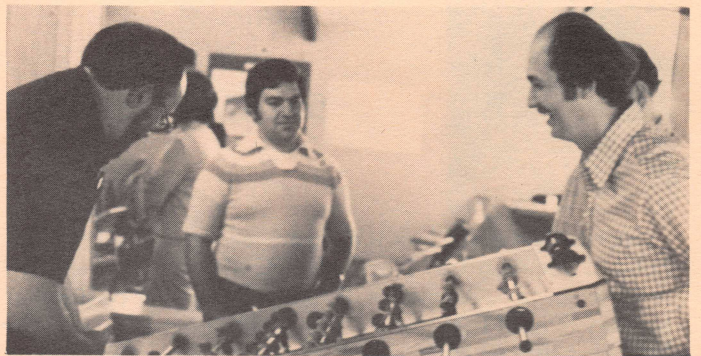
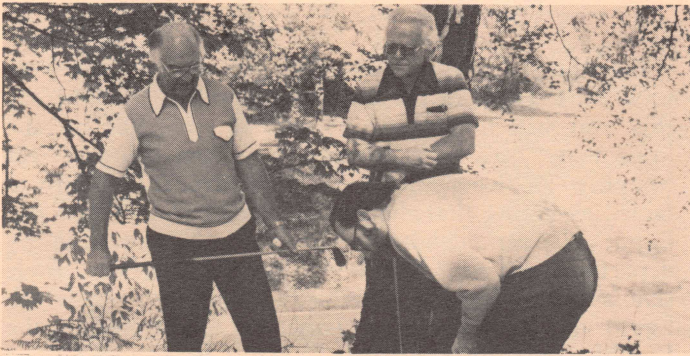
1. What do you do when you get there?
2. Symptomatology
3. Treatment of the Whole Person
4. The minister as a diagnostician
5. Presentation of the new Washington State "Natural Death Act"
6. Disabling illness': Paraplegia and quadriplegia
7. The family is a patient also.

The seminar will be team taught by Chaplain Milton O. Whitaker, V.A. Hospital Chaplain, and Dr. Robert D. Parlotz, N.C. professor of psychology and medical and support staff of V.A. Hospital, Seattle.

FINANCIAL AID

The Basic Education Opportunity Grant is assisting many students to obtain a college education. Middle income individuals have been affected favorably by the Middle Income Assistance Act; recently made law by congress. We would encourage all young people who feel they may qualify to write the Financial Aid Department for further information.

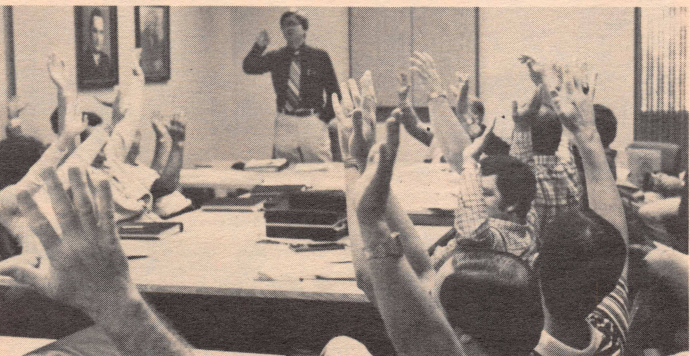
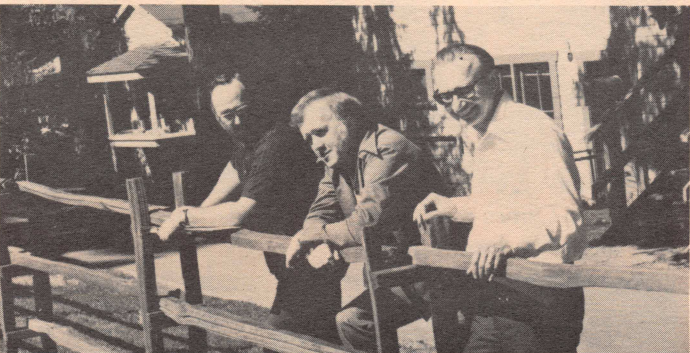
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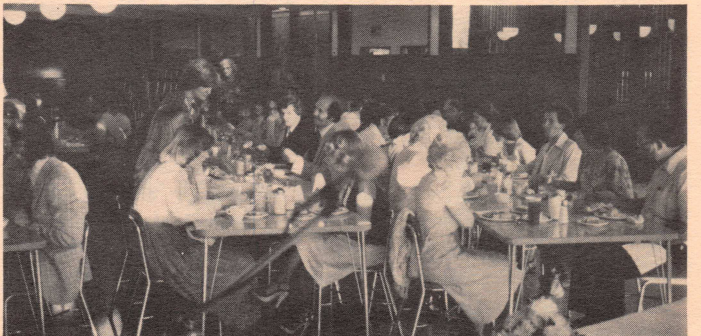
What kind of game is this?



Yes, that question will be on the test.



These pictures deserve no comment!





teacher feature:

SHIRLEY CLARK

Shirley Newton Clark is a happy teacher of Early Childhood Education at Northwest College. An ordained minister in the Assemblies of God, she left her position as Sunday School Director for the Alaska District to join the N.C. faculty when the ECE program was instituted in 1973. She had just completed her Master of Education degree at the University of Alaska at the time. She had previously completed two bachelor degrees at Central Bible College — in Bible and Religious Education. Not one to be satisfied with past accomplishments, she is now engaged in a second master's program at Seattle Pacific University. Her goal is to be the best college ECE teacher in the Northwest.

Shirley's varied past experience testifies to her enthusiasm for the service of Christ. Since her conversion in 1948, she has been engaged in ministry — as a children's evangelist, pioneer pastor of a church in Northampton, Mass., foreign missionary, and home missionary. She taught at the College of the Good Shepherd in Beirut, Lebanon, for three years. She served with the famous Lillian Trasher at the Assiout Orphanage for a year. She supervised the girls of Juneau Children's Home for six years.

Out of such experiences has come Shirley's great love for her students whom she calls "the greatest in the world." She remarks on their spirituality and says, "I love seeing them grow." She also loves her husband, Ray, whom she met and married after moving to N.C. The two serve gladly together in Sunday School work at Renton Assembly of God, their home church. When you love enough, you want to be involved. You can see now why Shirley is such a happy teacher.

FACULTY SUMMER: ROUTINE

For many years, faculty summers have been times of intense study when a significant number of the faculty were working on advanced degrees. This summer sees many of the college faculty in different, but more normal roles, since the majority working on advanced degrees have completed their work. Some still are on the school trail but most are spending more routine summers at home or on short trips.

Those making the longest distances from the campus include President and Mrs. D. V. Hurst who were on a missionary evangelism tour which took them among other places to Africa to visit the place of Mrs. Hurst's birth and thence around the world. Dr. Amos Millard led the College Flying Seminar to the Middle East, in a travel-education itinerary of Jordan, Damascus, Israel, Turkey, Greece, Rome, and a four-day cruise-tour of the Greek Islands.

Those involved in academic pursuits on advanced degrees include Professor Marjorie Stewart at the University of Washington; Mr. Calvin White at the University of Washington; and Francis Thee in continuing work on his doctoral dissertation in connection with his program with the University of Chicago.

1980 FLYING SEMINAR PLANS ANNOUNCED.

Northwest College's 1980 Flying Seminar plans were unveiled today with the announcement that the itinerary this year will thread on one end of what has become known as "Isaiah's Highway." The date being set for March 6-20. Plans call for surface travel from Cairo to Israel, assuming that the peace talks between Israel and Egypt will open the borders between the two countries by departure time next March. Of special interest to Bible scholars is the fact that a highway linkage between Israel, Egypt and Assyria (today, Iraq) was envisioned by the Prophet Isaiah (Isaiah 19:23). It would be at least a coincidence that the western link in the high-way linkage would result if present indications materialize.

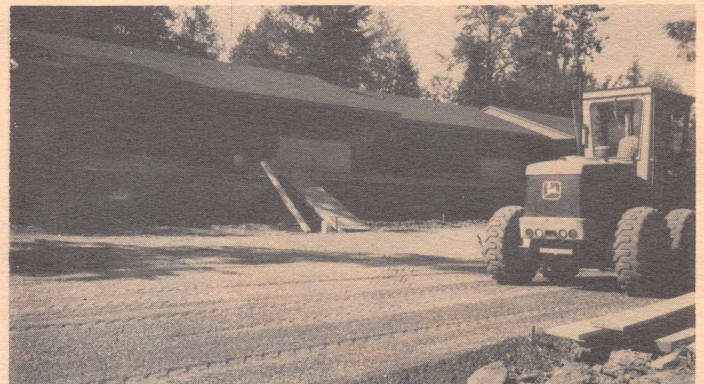
Leading the tour will be Dr. Amos D. Millard, coordinator of the Flying Seminar program at the College, and co-hosting it with him will be Northwest College Professor Orville Clark.

The itinerary calls for direct flight from Seattle to Copenhagen and thence to Cairo with land travel in prospect through the Land of Goshen of Biblical fame — linking with the Sinai over the Suez Canal. Plans also call for visiting in the Mt. Sinai region and Eilat and thence to Jerusalem via the Negev and from there to points north into Galilee. It will be the college's most in-depth visit of Israel yet taken during the 11 years that the Flying Seminar program has been in operation at the College.

For further information including monthly bulletins, interested persons are invited to write or call the College; (P.O. Box 579, Kirkland, WA 98033. Tel (206) 822-8266).



Mount of Olives as viewed from the platform of the Temple Mount in Jerusalem.



The new married housing unit is expected to be completed and available for student occupancy by November 1.

COLLEGE HONORS JAPAN SUPERINTENDENT



Amidst colorful ceremonies at the College's Convocation service, September 22, commemorating the start of its 46th year of history, special honors were conferred upon one of its graduates — the Reverend Dr. Akiei Ito, General Superintendent of the Assemblies of God in Japan. Dr. Ito graduated from Northwest in 1959 with his Bachelor of Arts Degree and in 1960 with his Master's Degree. He was honored with the conferral of the honorary degree, Doctor of Divinity.

Bringing the Convocation message was veteran missionary to Japan and former instructor at Northwest College, the Reverend John J. Clement of Seattle. His voice ringing with English eloquence and earnest conviction, Rev. Clement spoke about the call of God upon the life of the Prophet Jeremiah, noting its parallel in the life and ministry of Dr. Ito, whom he knew from the time that Dr. Ito was a lad of five years of age in Japan. Rev. Clement described the awesome scenes of destruction that leveled some of Japan's largest cities, noting that as a lad, Dr. Ito kept faith with God's call upon his life as did the Prophet Jeremiah amidst the destruction that befell the city of Jerusalem in his day.

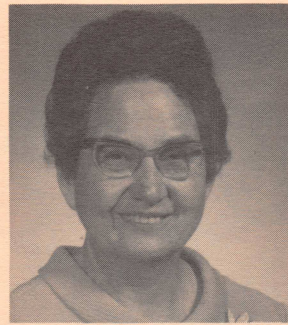
Special tribute was paid to Dr. Ito's mother who was present for the occasion, noting that she had not only kept her family of five children together after the loss of her husband in those days but continues even to this day to maintain an active preaching ministry; an unusual feat for a woman in Japan.

Dr. Ito continues to carry several important positions. He pastors the largest Assemblies of God in Japan; he serves on the faculty of the Central Bible College of Tokyo; he serves as the General Superintendent of the Assemblies of God in Japan, and was recently chosen as coordinator of a new Asian organization, known as AGAMA which is a fellowship among Asian Assemblies of God bodies in nine countries organized for the purpose of missionary endeavor in the Far East.

Participating in the conferral ceremonies, the second to be accorded an alumnus of the College, were College President, Dr. D. V. Hurst, Academic Dean, Dr. Frank B. Rice, and the Reverend Frank McAllister, District Superintendent of the Northwest District of the Assemblies of God.

ALUMNI

The Alumni Scholarship continues to be distributed each quarter to five worthy students. To maintain the program we need the help of as many alumni as possible. Please pray and contribute to a very worthy cause. We need everyone to participate.



MRS. GRACE FEE: Home With The Lord

Mrs. Grace Fee, wife of Professor Emeritus, Dr. Donald H. Fee, went home to be with the Lord on September 28th after a lingering illness. Mrs. Fee retired in 1974 after 33 years of service in public education. She had also served on the faculty of the college on a part-time basis in the field of education.

Grace Fee was an integral part of the Northwest College faculty family during the 26 years that her husband has been associated with the College. She is survived by her husband, Dr. Donald Fee, and by two children, Dr. Gordon Fee who serves on the faculty of Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary in Boston, and by a daughter, Donna Salmi, of San Diego, California.

Grace Fee's life has been shared in a long and effective ministry with her husband, and her influence continues in the lives of her family and the hundreds of persons to whom she has ministered in the manse and in the classroom.

PARENTS' WEEKEND February 1 & 2

The excitement of the Parents Weekend still lives in the memory of many who attended last year's event. Student leaders are looking forward to this upcoming emphasis and would urge parents to set aside these two days and share in this great time of fellowship. Some great features are being planned which will include the special banquet and a winning basketball game for our Eagles. Further information will be mailed to all parents later.

LAY COUNCIL

Attention all Lay Council members. This year's Lay Council is set for April 4 and 5. Be sure to mark this on your calendar.

ALUMNI CLASS REUNION

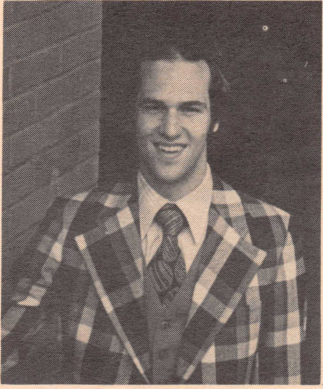
Reunions for the classes of 40, 50, 60 and 70 will be held in conjunction with the annual Alumni Banquet scheduled for May 23.

WINTER EVENING CLASSES

Here is a list of the winter evening classes that are being offered:

- Flying Seminar, 2 credits, Dr. Millard
- Income Tax Preparation, 1 credit, instructor Mrs. Harmon
- Interpretive Reading, 3 credits, instructor Dan French
- Administration Early Childhood Education, 3 credits, instructor Shirley Clark
- Speed Reading, no credits, instructor William Randolph

TOP OFFICERS OPTIMISTIC ABOUT YEAR



Steve Flatau:
A.S.B. President

Steve —

I believe that this year God has many good things in store for Northwest College. I sense within myself and among the students an air of excitement. As a goal for the year I would like to see the students become more committed to Jesus Christ. As a theme for the year, we are going to agree with John when he wrote, "He must increase, but I must decrease." This will be the secret to a good year!

Pat —

I feel an excitement in my heart as this year begins to unfold. The opportunities for Christian witness and involvement are greater than ever. Our outlook in W.O.M. this year is one of practical Christianity. We truly want God to be glorified and we desire to bear much fruit, so that we may prove to be his disciples. John 15:8.



Pat OcConnor:
W.O.M. Chairman



The first chapel service of fall quarter was a communion service. This is a time when the faculty serve students. It was a time of great blessing and renewal.

FALL REGISTRATION



W.M. RETREAT

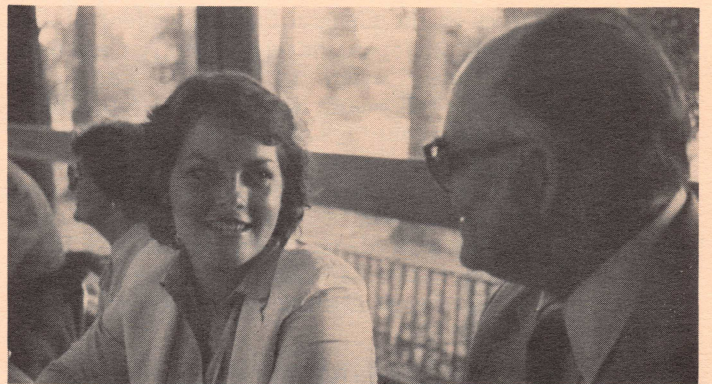


Each fall the ladies of the Northwest District meet on campus for their annual retreat. Mrs. Ruth Crawford, W.M. Director, does an outstanding job of organizing and leading this annual event. The special guest for this year was Mrs. Ruth Homer, wife of the President of Southeastern Bible College in Lakeland, Florida. Mrs. Homer is a vivacious and stimulating speaker and was a blessing to the ladies who attended the retreat.

WINTER SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS

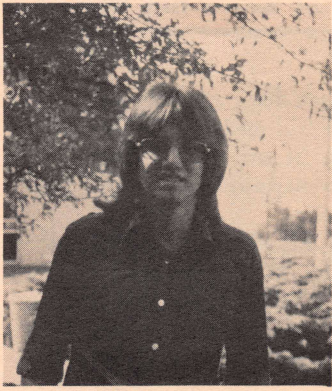
We are happy to announce that the winter Spiritual Emphasis will have a missionary thrust again this year. The special speaker will be Reverend Sam Johnson from Spain. Sam has a dynamic pulpit ministry as well as a proven missionary ministry on the field. We anticipate that this dynamic young man will have strong influence on the students of N.C.

A PROUD FATHER



Dean Tex Rutledge and his daughter, Soo Jeffers at the Student Leadership Faculty Dinner. Soo provided special music for the evening. Soo is a member of the music group "Los Conquistadores", also known as the "King's Conquerors."

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT



Bruce Kriskovich of Salmon, Idaho is the recipient of the Steele-Reese Scholarship this year at Northwest College, it was announced by the Steele-Reese Foundation recently. The scholarship amounts to \$2,000.00 dollars. The Foundation was created in 1955 by Eleanor S. Reese of Salmon, Idaho. This scholarship is given to promising high school graduates of Lemhi High of Custer's

County, Idaho and selected by a committee in Salmon.

Bruce is a senior at Northwest College majoring in Music. He is a part of the music group Morning Star and has been a member of the "King's Choralons", the large travelling choir of Northwest College.

RECORD ENROLLMENT

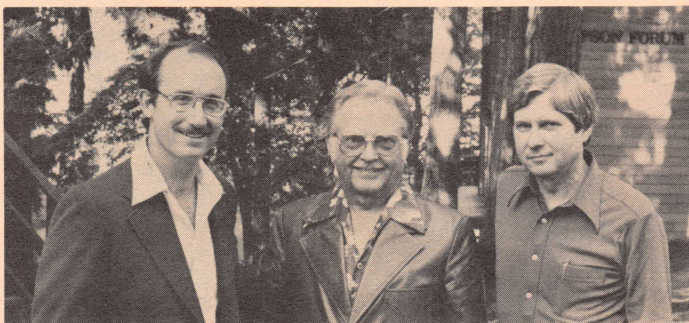
A new all-time record enrollment has been set at Northwest College with 787 students enrolled for the 1979 autumn quarter, as reported by the Registrar's office. This figure compares with the previous all-time record of 727 last year, an increase of 60 students over the figure one year ago and a percentage increase of nearly 8% over last year.

The Registrar's office observed that this is the twentieth consecutive quarter that the college has experienced a record enrollment for a particular quarter.

The enrollment figure exceeds slightly the ratio-projections made on the basis of the U.S. Office of Educational projection figures for the nation. According to this projection the colleges' enrollment was forecasted at 757.

The enrollment includes 346 new undergraduate students including 86 transfers enrolling on the campus for the first time. The figures also show that 57% of the enrollment is made up of men students and 43% women. Returning Sophomores came back in force in a ratio of nearly 60% of the class enrollment as freshman one year ago. Almost 70% of the total enrollment is enrolled in the Biblical Studies Division this fall, which compares with 67% one year ago.

REVEREND DICK FOTH — SPEAKS



The Reverend Dick Foth, President of Bethany Bible College was the special speaker for the Faculty Retreat at Northwest College this fall. His ministry was encouraging and uplifting as N.C. faculty had the priviledge of meeting the new President of Bethany.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

OCTOBER

1-5		Spiritual Emphasis Week Dr. Charles Blair
2	2:00 p.m.	Pastor's Workshop "The Multiple Staff"
	5:30 p.m.	Girls Volleyball
9	7:30 p.m.	A.W.S. Fashion Show
	7:00 p.m.	Girls Volleyball
12	3:00 p.m.	Soccer
	7:00 p.m.	Girls Volleyball
13	11:00 a.m.	Girls Volleyball
19	3:00 a.m.	Soccer
20	11:00 a.m.	Soccer Junior Class Hike
26	7:00 p.m.	Girls Volleyball
27	11:00 a.m.	Girls Volleyball

NOVEMBER

2	3:00 p.m.	Soccer
	7:00 p.m.	Girls Volleyball
12-16		Preregistration for Winter Quarter
13	3:00 p.m.	Soccer
	6:00 p.m.	Girls Volleyball
22-25		Thanksgiving Recess
29	7:30 p.m.	Autumn Music Concert
30	7:00 p.m.	Eagle's Basketball

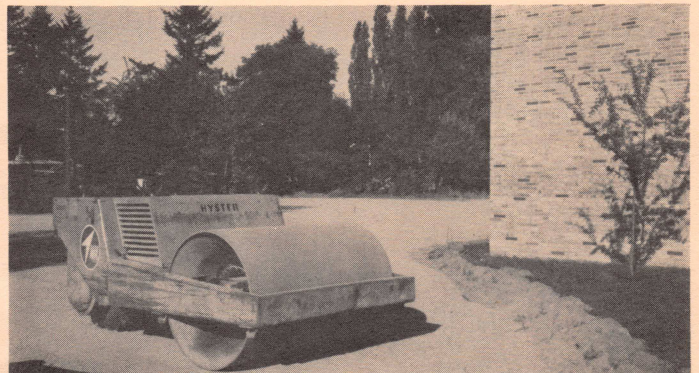
DECEMBER

1	5:00 p.m.	Girls Basketball
3-5		Final Exams

COLLEGE RECOGNIZED FOR PARTICIPATION

Northwest College received recognition for "runner-up" standing for the number of its students who were enrolled in the recent Institute in Basic Youth Conflicts held in Seattle, September 24-29. The College ranked next to Overlake Christian Church which took first honors with 123 enrollments. The College had 122. Overlake kindly passed on the Bill Gothard chalk work piece to the College as a symbol of achievement.

The College has encouraged its students to participate in the Institute because of its strong Biblical orientation relating to human behavior and human relationships. The College's commitment to a Biblical rule of faith and conduct finds practical expression in the kind of teaching given at the Seminar.



A growing student body requires additional parking space. Pictured is the new parking area behind the boys residence hall.

Alumni News

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NEAR-A-GRAMS

DR. C. E. BUTTERFIELD, President Emeritus, having undergone recent surgery is now recuperating at his home in Kirkland, Wash., and would appreciate our prayers. DALE & SHERI EDWARDS reside at Sandy, Oregon where Dale is Pastor of Sandy A/G Church. RON & VICKY CRUIKSHANK & daughter, Rachael, are at Canyonville Bible Academy (Canyonville, Ore.) where Ron teaches Bible and is Dean of Boys while Vicky is a cook and Assistant Volleyball Coach. The TODD WAGNERS' reside at Milwaukie, Oregon. Todd is Youth & Music Min. at the A/G Church. JIM & SHERRIE HEUGEL are in Pasadena, CA where Jim attends Seminary. LORNA ALCORN completed her degree program in Psychology at Evangel College. DORIS HOLLAR passed away from an apparent heart failure on Sept. 27 at Elma, WA. She lived with her brother and wife, CORNELIUS ASKREN, of Bothell. Doris was a talented Children's worker.

FAR-A-GRAMS

SAM & JOYCE COOPER (Oaxaca, Mexico) write that the Oaxaca Bible School is due to open Nov. 23. They now have a lovely new 3-story complex to begin classes. Thanks to all who helped. THE KEN BENINTENDIS' (Taipei) write that A/G center is now operational. They live on the 11th floor. The I.C.I. operations are on the 7th floor with hundreds of students studying God's Word. The night school is now in progress with unchurched youth attending to hear the Gospel for the 1st time. They are 100 miles from Communist China.

NO "COCK & BULL" STORY

SHARON JOHNSTON, wife of Missionary, BILL JOHNSTON, writes from Ghana, W. Africa: "There was an old bull elephant that had been pushed out of his herd and began to tiptoe (no Monster Mash) through several villages at night, terrifying villagers, destroying their year's food supply and threatening lives. The authorities gave permission for the elephant to be killed and villagers contacted Bill. He got Missionary James Kessler to help. They searched four hours and walked for many miles in the hot sun until they tracked and shot the "wanted" elephant. The tips of his tusks measured 35 inches. Local villagers and Pastors were blessed with much meat. What a rare opportunity for two Oregon Missionaries to have an

unforgettable hunting experience during a time when they were on a Bible School break! Bill and Jim are now both very busy teaching full time in our two Ghana Bible Schools along with other responsibilities."

WEDDING GRAMS

DENISE CALDERON & JOEL MULHOLLAND were united in wedlock August 18 at Evergreen Christian Center, Olympia, WA. Aug. 25 TONI PERRINO married DOUG HINKLE at Tacoma First A/G with REV. STEVEN HUNT officiating. KATHY STEWART & GARY KEMPER said their "I Do's" on Aug. 18 at Calvary Temple, Seattle. Kathy's Mom, MARJORIE STEWART, is a member of N.C. faculty. On Sept. 8, CARMEN KINNEY, whose father is a faculty member at N.C., became the bride of KEN MARTIN at N.C. Chapel with REV. ORVILLE CLARK (N.C. Faculty) officiating. LAURIE ZINSER & MARTIN COLVILLE were united in marriage at Parkrose Heights A/G, Portland, OR. July 28. CELESTA MAYFIELD was wed to KEN VANDERHOFF at So. Tacoma A/G, Sept. 7th. On Oct. 6, DENISE McBRIDE became the bride of TIM DEROSSO at Grace Community Church, Tualatin, OR. At Sumner, WA A/G on Aug. 25 SHERYL CLINE was wed to BRIAN FISH.

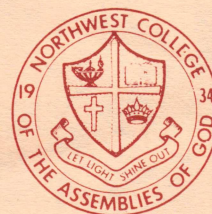
DIAPER-GRAMS

KEVIN & SHEILA ASHE (Arlington, WA) announce arrival of daughter, Carey Renee, born Sept. 2. JIM & SALLEE CONN are blessed with a bouncing baby boy, Ruan Thomas, born Sept. 6, at Anacortes, WA. MARK & EVE MOODY give praise for gift from God of Aaron Fredrick, born Aug. 14 at Spokane, WA. JIM & ROSALIE PARKER report big news of their baby boy's birth on Aug. 4 at Kirkland, WA.

SAD-A-GRAM

LORRAINE GARRETT (NEE PARKER) wife of Chaplain LTC HARRY GARRETT, passed away Aug. 16 of heart failure in the Letterman Army Medical Center, San Francisco. They have 3 children; Randall, Susan and Jill. STEVE TORNFELT, age 20, son of the EVERT TORNFELTS' was fatally injured on Aug. 12 when his motorcycle skidded out of control in Redmond, WA. Pastor RICHARD STRUM of Redmond A/G officiated at the Memorial Service. The EVERT TORNFELTS' are residents of Anchorage, AK. He is a former N.C. faculty member.

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