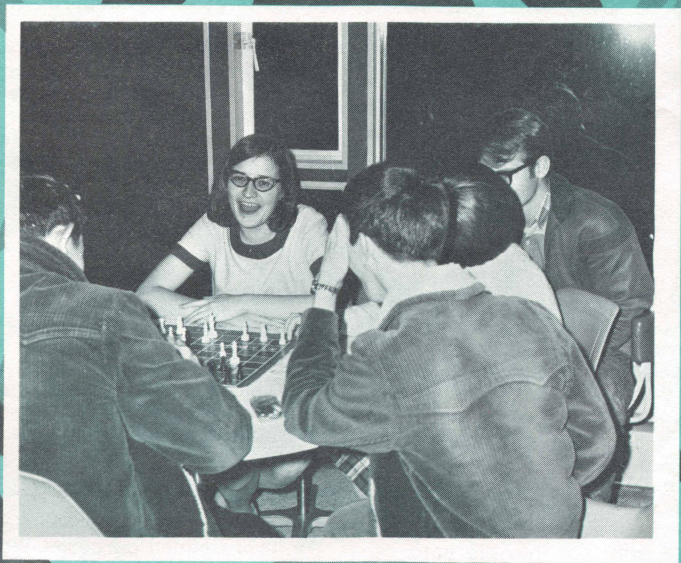


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## From the President

### **"WHITHER HIGHER EDUCATION IN THE ASSEMBLIES OF GOD?"**

The question - as always and pertaining to many things - is, "where are we going?" And it's being asked very appropriately regarding our Assemblies of God colleges, our whole higher education establishment.

From my corner, I think one answer is clear: It is time to establish priorities and then set directions within them. Much evidence points toward this!

The growth rate of the movement urges this conclusion. In times of rapid expansion, the educational needs expanded as well. The cry was, "Education must keep pace". In a time of slackened growth, the same logic should prevail.

The economic ability of the Church, it seems, likewise urges the conclusion. It is impossible for the Church to provide all higher education needed or desired by its youth. The where-withal for this is just not there!

Hence, the questions are: "What can we do? What **must** we do?" The priorities grow out of the answers.

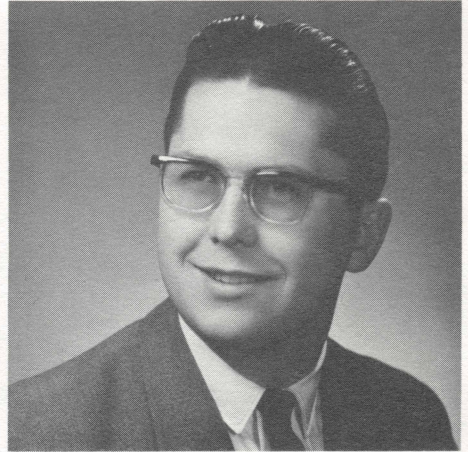
Without doubt the first priority must be placed on training the ministers for the Church! Secular sources will not ... must not ... do this! Likewise, other churches must not be expected to do this for us! It is squarely the responsibility of the Assemblies of God, itself. And that in a united way!

Our Church must come to grips with the question, "What kind of an investment are we making in the future of the Church by training the young ministers? How much of our gross income goes toward perpetuating the Church? Do we really believe in ourselves and our mission and is this self-evident in what we do, in where we put our dollars?"

The dollar sign is not the final index, but it certainly is not the least. Jesus made it clear the treasure indicates where the heart is. To paraphrase this truth, where a church spends its money indicates what it really believes!

I'm confident the Assemblies of God will rise to the challenge, will face into the hard questions confronting it, and will set priorities. I believe it will follow through on its

## **NEW COLLEGE BOARD MEMBER RECEIVES JAYCEE'S YOUNG MAN OF THE YEAR AWARD**



Mr. Arthur W. Dickhoff, vice president of the National Bank, Great Falls, Montana, recently received the Great Falls Jaycee's distinguished service award and has been nominated in the Montana State competition for outstanding young man of the year. Mr. Dickhoff joined the National Bank staff in 1956, a few months after his graduation from Fairfield High School. He soon was named head bookkeeper. In 1962 he was transferred to the bank's real estate loan department. He is now in charge of that department.

A long list of civic, church and professional activities follow Dickhoff's name. A member of the Montana Real Estate Commission, he is treasurer of the Montana Society of Appraisers and a member of the Great Falls Board of Realtors finance committee. He is a board member of Northwest College in Kirkland, Washington, Great Falls Chamber of Commerce and Central Assembly of God Church in Great Falls. He is a member of the Salvation Army Advisory Board and treasurer of the Cascade County Cancer Society. He is past president of Y Men's Club and the Great Falls chapter of Montana Society of Appraisers. He also received the 1970 distinguished service award from United Fund.

Mr. Dickhoff was recently named to the Northwest College board of directors and was in attendance at his first director's meeting in January

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commitments.

We have defined purposes. We did this as a movement in the General Council at Dallas, Texas. **Now we must bring priorities alongside.**

# 757 ATTEND CAMPUS DAY-71



*Buses and cars lined the visitor parking areas.*



*It was a great day to stand in the sunshine!*

CAMPUS DAY - 71 brought people from far and near to enjoy a beautiful sunny day on the campus of Northwest College. Prospective students visited the college from as far away as Michigan, Missouri and other parts of the country. Several students came from Alaska, one group driving 22 hours from Prince Rupert, B.C., in order to participate in the activities of the day. Pastors, youth leaders and parents also joined the highschoolers for a "look at NC!"

The day's events included seminars on academics, admissions and finance. Classes were open to guests who selected their respective areas of interest. Opportunities to visit with faculty and student leaders were also capitalized upon by the guests.

The morning chapel service was "standing room only" as the King's Choralons gave a musical presentation and as Pastor James Swanson, of Portland, Oregon, addressed the crowd on the timely subject of "Mountain-moving Faith."

The President's Reception-Informatorium proved to be an opportunity for lively exchange between the president and pastors, parents and friends of NC.

The day was concluded with a special A.S.B. Inspirational Rally in the chapel. Featured in the rally were the five Public Relations Music Teams, the Maranatha Sounds, and a skit on the Second Coming of Christ. The skit was written, directed and produced by NC students.

The total registered attendance reached 757. Eighty-three percent were either in high school or were high school graduates. The remaining seventeen percent included pastors, youth sponsors and parents. Forty-one percent of those in attendance were first-time visitors to Northwest College.

## "OPERATION EASTER"

An unusual Easter "happening" will take place in the Kirkland area during the holiday weekend.

"OPERATION EASTER" is a two-phase program sponsored by students and faculty members at Northwest College. Special Scripture portions will be placed in all of the approximately 5,000 homes in Kirkland by NC students. At the same time, a "Bible-reading Marathon" will be carried on in the downtown area. The entire New Testament, from Matthew to Revelation, will be read, starting on Good Friday and continuing into the next day.

Dwayne Turner, faculty coordinator, indicates that "it is hoped such an emphasis on the

Scriptures during the Easter holiday will point up to people everywhere in Kirkland that the message of Christ is one of life and love for all mankind and that it is relevant to the needs of all people."

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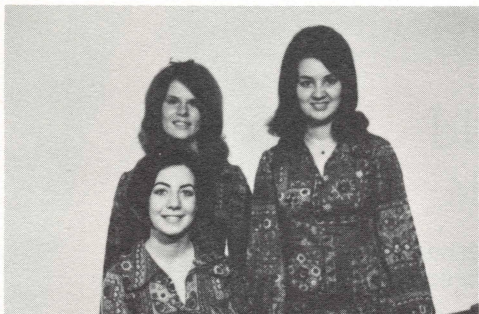
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## Four Musical Groups To Travel Under College Sponsorship



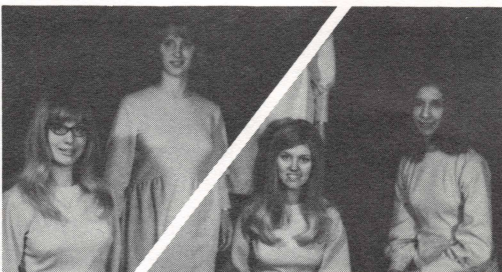
**THE MESSENGERS:** Joy North, Bainbridge, Wa., Linda Benjamin, Campbell, Calif., Donna Dougan, Idaho Falls, Ida.



**THE KING'S FOUR:** Chuck Romer, Hamilton, Mont. Dan Cook, Kennewick, Wa., Marv Gunderson, Buhl, Ida., Ross Teagart, Calgary.



**THE NORTHWESTERNERS:** Dale & Rita Lidstrom, Kirkland, Wa., Jerry Gillock, Kirkland, Wa., Tonsina Perkins, Lynnwood, Wa.



**THE DAUGHTERS OF THE KING:** Diana Savage, Sedro Woolley, Wa., Marlene Reid, Bend, Ore., Sandi Hickman, Eugene, Ore., Irene Gonzales, Manteca, Calif.

These collegians will be traveling under the sponsorship of NC from June until September. They will be featured in churches, rallies, youth and adult camps throughout the West. Watch for them! They may be coming your way!

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## Church Leader Cites College Trends

KIRKLAND, WASH. — In a presentation given to the Northwest College faculty on March 31, the Reverend G. Raymond Carlson, Assistant General Superintendent of the Assemblies of God, outlined some world trends that are having a significant bearing on Christian education today and which will influence it in the future. He cited the ecology movement, a consumer economy, and especially the influence of world mass communications as factors influencing the modern educational system. He noted that popular public trends have in the past not influenced evangelical higher education. In the future, however, he envisions that evangelical college leaders will be called upon to reckon with such movements and trends as they affect student thinking and behavior.

The Reverend Carlson called upon Christian educators to give attention to four spiritual values in the work of Christian higher edu-

cation: (1) the power of the Word of God; (2) the leadership of Christ in the Church; (3) remaining in the mainstream of the Kingdom of God — rather than holding a provincial attitude toward the work of Christ; (4) and emphasizing the centrality of the Church as God's plan for the individual.

Rev. Carlson also shared with the faculty some of the studies and plans under consideration by the Board of Education of the Assemblies of God, which include the statement of a philosophy of education for Assemblies of God schools, a national educational financing plan, and the national organizational structure among the denomination's nine colleges.

Accompanying the Assistant General Superintendent was the Reverend Hardy Steinberg, Secretary of Education for the denominational headquarters in Springfield, Missouri.

# WHO should make a will?

EVERY ADULT should be concerned about his will. Everyone of legal age is considered to have an estate.

WIDOWS need wills to avoid State appropriation of their property.

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**NEWSETTES:** Sharon Cantelon, student teaching, Kent, Wash. **Ray & Mary Mehrer**, pioneering (Montana). **John & Wanda (May) Lemkuhl**, Boise, Idaho. **Hervel & Ida Hensley**, Nome, Alaska. **Norm Gardner**, Los Angeles, Calif., (Presbyter). **Ken Redguard**, Montclair, N.J., completing M.A., Fordham Univ. **Freidia Hafelfinger**, teaching at Wapato, Wash. **Ray & Ronda Watson**, Walla Walla, Wash., Ass't. Pastor. **Ron Drye**, Youth Director, Juvenile Home (Texas). Wife is nurse. They have son 2 years old. **Ron AlMBERG** joined MAPS program to Costa Rica, C. A., last Mar. **Don Menzies**, Ass't at Hillcrest Children's Home, Hot Springs, Ark. **Walter Daggett**, pioneering, E. Connecticut. **Doris Peck**, R. N., **Orville Thomas**, pastor at Selah, Wash. **Barbara Engleky**, Senior at Evangel College. **Richard Bishop** (former NC Dean), pastoring at Lansing, Michigan. **Ron Keyser**, pastor, Harbor, Ore. **Byron & Margery Personous**, Bella Coola, B.C., pastoring, have adopted baby girl. **Terri Dodge** married George Graf, Dec. '70. **Joyce Teeter** became Mrs. Larry Blake on June 20, 1970. **Margaret Goodwin** is now Mrs. Aaron Wetterling. **Peter Ahlstrom**, Librarian, Idaho Falls, Idaho, (former N.C. Librarian) named in "Who's Who in the West" (for '72). **Duane & Sylvia (Furman) Stewart**, missionaries on way to E. Africa. **Mollie Perks** (former N.C. Dean of Women, now 86) has had a stroke but is recovering. She sends greetings. **Rev. & Mrs. P. S. Jones**, both 96, (former instructor) celebrated 68th wedding ann., Vancouver, B.C. **Chas & Barbara (Brown) Benterud** are most appreciative of the prayers and gifts given by N.C. students, faculty-staff. Deans B. Guy and M. Flistram made a visit to see them at Vancouver, B.C. The family sustained serious injuries and personal losses, yet they were full of praise for God's miraculous help through their recent missionary boat accident. **Lillian Bach** (Nigeria) shares truths (in "pidgin" English)

from S.S. class taught by Nigerian woman." "God get pawa when He go mek stone pwase Him. Some lik stones, not fit do anything, Me? I fit do anything but God get pawa." **Lillian Bach** stated: "Some Hausa women when giving an offering use both hands to put it in and make a little curtsy as sign of respect."  
**CORRECTION:** **Jas & Eileen File**, North Pole, Alaska, are staff members of radio KJNP, not directors.

**STORK LINES:** **Laurel Beth Beardsley** joined the **Frank Beardsley** family Jan. 22nd. **Jay & Linda Littlefield** have a baby girl. **Wil & Denelda Metcalf** welcomed a son. Congratulations to **Henry & Linda Green**. It's a girl! On Feb. 20, **Sherman & Gail Bennett** received a son. **Ginger Lynn** has arrived to bless **Herb & Gail Christenson's** home. **Chuck & Judy Swanson** have a baby boy. **Paul & Fern Robertson** have a baby girl (Laura). She joined Steve and Colleen. **Hervel & Ida Hensley** have a new son (4th child). **Wallie & Alta Brown** have a new son. (This baby joined 8 brothers and 4 sisters. Is this our largest Alumni brood?) **Wallie Jr.**, is currently enrolled at N.C., and **Kathy** came last year.

## On Campus . . .

May 18 - PR Teams in Concert

May 20 - Music Dept. Spring Concert

King's Choralons

- Public Invited to Attend -

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