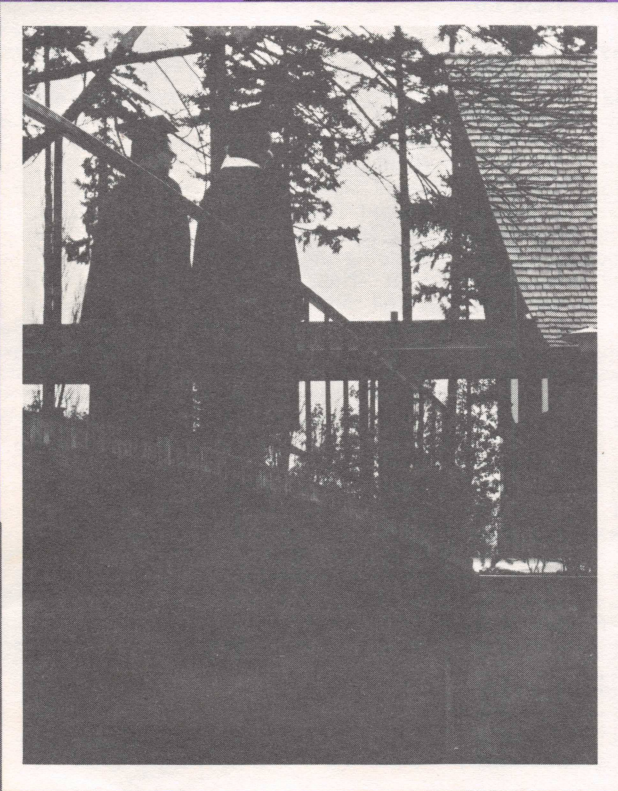


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From the President

'ON TOP OF THE WORLD'

Last week I was privileged to share the Alaska District Council in Barrow— on "top of the world." It was some experience, believe me!

Here we have a thriving church made up primarily of Eskimos. Pastor Darrell Redfearn is doing one magnificent job. There is a genuine revival spirit. It all started several years ago when in one revival meeting about forty were filled with the Spirit. That revival continues til this day, marked by the old-time lingering after the service until midnight and even 2:00 in the morning. After this they sometimes go to their homes and sing and worship until 4:00 in the morning. There are cassette recorders everywhere. Individuals record the services and then play them back over their loud speakers at home the next day.

There was an alumni gathering. A special dinner arranged by Doris Fellows. What was on the menu? You could take your pick—moose, caribou, or beef! I couldn't decide, so I had some of each. It was great.

There are Northwest College alumni scattered all over Alaska—in the bush and in the cities. Some of them graduated many years ago, and some of them are new graduates and fresh recruits.

It is heartwarming to see them in their dedication, especially those who minister in the villages....away....to a small population of 75 or 100, but faithful to the call. It is a rugged life which calls for the best.

One asks himself, "Could I do that?" He answers the questions with a different answer—but I was not called to do that. **His grace enables the fulfillment of the call wherever or whatever.**

We salute the alumni of Northwest College serving in Alaska. May God's grace be with them.

COLLEGE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING TO MEMORIALIZE DR. NESS

The ministry of the late Dr. Henry H. Ness, will be memorialized in the naming of the Northwest College Administration Building in his honor at ceremonies scheduled during the 35th Annual Commencement at the College, 3:00 p.m., on May 30. Dr. Ness, who was instrumental in the beginning of the college 37 years ago, was also the first college president. The building, which symbolizes the role he fulfilled in the early administration of the college, will henceforth be known as the Henry H. Ness Administration Building.

Dr. Ness served as president of the college from the day of its founding on October 1, 1934, until his retirement from the presidency in 1949, when he accepted an appointment by Washington State Governor Arthur B. Langlie, to be chairman of the Washington Board of Prison terms and paroles. Pursuant to Dr. Ness' service in state government, he returned to full-time pulpit work, assuming the pastorate of the First Assembly of God Church of Oakland. Following his pastoral work in Oakland, he retired from full-time ministry and resided in Hayward, California. He continued a part-time pulpit ministry and engaged in a ministry of writing. His latest book was **Dunamis in the Church**. It was published by the Gospel Publishing House in Springfield, Missouri, in 1968. After moving back to Seattle, Dr. Ness passed away, on January 27, 1970. He and Mrs. Ness had just commemorated their golden wedding anniversary before returning to Seattle.

Dr. Ness is remembered for a dynamic pulpit ministry and for the qualities of leadership needed in the establishment of the College. Under his leadership the College grew from an enrollment of 18 students on the first day its doors were opened in 1934 to an enrollment approaching 400 following World War II.

The Reverend R. J. Carlson, retiring superintendent of the Northwest District of the Assemblies of God, and long-time member of the College Board of Directors, will be bringing a tribute to the late Dr. Ness. Acting Dean of Education, Amos D. Millard, will offer the prayer of dedication. Present will be Mrs. Ness, as well as members and friends of the family.

The newly named hall will be opened to visitors following the commencement exercises.



Graduation Weekend-May 29-30

TEXAS COLLEGE PRESIDENT TO SPEAK AT COMMENCEMENT



Dr. Blake L. Farmer, president of Southwestern Assemblies of God College in Waxahachie, Texas, will address the 35th graduating class during Commencement Exercises at Northwest College, 3:00 p.m., Sunday, May 30.

Dr. Farmer has the somewhat unique experience of having graduated from all four divisions of the institution he now heads as president. These include the high school, the junior college, the three-year Bible Institute and the Bible College. He received his Master's Degree at the University of Houston, and his Doctor of Education Degree at Baylor University in 1965. He has served as both vice-president and president of the Texas Junior College Association. He is also vice-president of the Texas Council of Church-related colleges. While serving as a public school teacher in Jacinto City, Texas, he pioneered the First Assembly of God Church in the living room of his home and saw it grow into an ultra-modern \$50,000 edifice within six years. Among other positions, he is a fellow member of the President's Council and advisory board to the President of the United States.

Being honored at the 35th Commencement, which will be held in the Pavilion on the college campus, will be 24 candidates for the Associate in Arts degree; 21 candidates for the Bachelor of Arts degree; and 6 candidates

for the Bachelor of Science degree. Two members of the graduating class and two alumni will be inducted into membership of the Delta Epsilon Chi Honor Society.

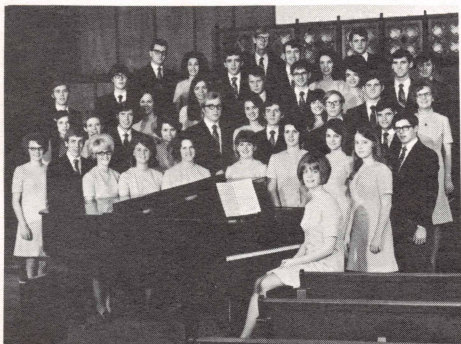
RETIRING CHURCH OFFICIAL TO BRING BACCALAUREATE MESSAGE



The Reverend Lyle B. Spradley, of Kirkland, will bring the baccalaureate address to the 35th Graduating Class at Northwest College on Saturday, May 29. The traditional service will commence at 7:00 p.m., with a processional of the 51-member graduating class.

Reverend Spradley, who served on the college staff as business manager before being elected as Secretary-Treasurer of the Northwest District Council of the Assemblies of God, will have completed 14 years of service to the District in that capacity. Prior to coming to the Northwest he served as District Secretary-Treasurer in the state of Montana. His pastoral career started in Washington State, from whence he originated. He has also served pastorates in Montana.

Special music will be provided by the College Music Department. Several minister-parents of the graduates will also participate in the service.

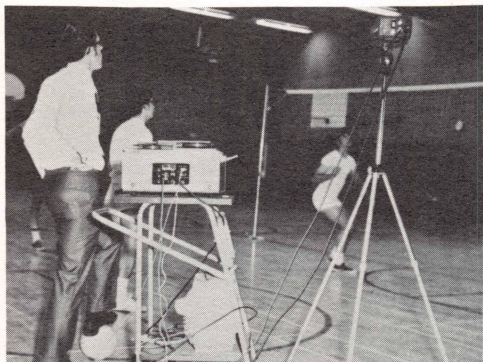


KING'S CHORALONS SCANDINAVIAN TOUR

A tour packed with variety and excitement has been specially planned for Northwest College King's Choralons Concert Choir. The Choralons depart Seattle via Scandinavian Airlines, Monday, June 21, 1971 and will return Monday, July 5. They will be ministering in the countries of Denmark, Sweden, and Finland. Highlights of this tour will include singing in the 3500 member Smyrna Church, and participating in the great Pentecostal Mid-Summer Conference in Finland. The choir will sing at the Hameenlinna Conference Youth Service in Finland and share in the services.

Pekka Ahonen, former student and alumni of Northwest College will be the Choralons personal guide while in Finland. Parents and friends are also invited to participate in this tour to the Scandinavian countries.

VIDEO-TAPE EQUIPMENT ACQUIRED



A new step into the electronic world of education was realized at Northwest College with the acquisition of a new General Electric Video-tape recorder and TV play-back combination, it was announced at the College today. The new equipment, which offers the capability of live-recording or TV program recording, opens up new learning possibilities, it was pointed out. The equipment is already being pressed into service by departments of instruction involving public speaking, physical education, and Christian Education. The three-piece package includes a TV camera, a video recorder unit, and a TV play-back unit. The \$800 purchase was acquired by a combination of gift funds and by equipment grant funds through the U.S. Office of Education.

NORTHWEST COLLEGE SPEECH DEPARTMENT EXPANDS OFFERINGS

Communications skill is increasing in importance both in the world and at Northwest College. Several new Communications courses have been included in the Speech Department. Radio production, Discussion and Conference, Journalism, and the History of America's Public Address are among the new offerings. During the current academic year the department has opened the College radio station, KNCC.

Speech tournaments are an important part of the total communications instruction as well. NC students have profitably competed in speech tournaments in Missoula, Montana (Big Sky Tournament), Christian College Tournament (Eugene, Oregon), and at Seattle Pacific College. Communicating effectively is a vital goal for students who are studying at Northwest College.

SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS WEEK

The spring Spiritual Emphasis Week was held on campus April 5-7 and featured Pastor Fulton Buntain of First Assembly of God in Tacoma, Washington. His messages centered on practical Christian living. His sense of humor and rapport with youth made the week a spiritual highlight of the quarter. Reverend Buntain carries on an extensive ministry with the college youth in his own church.

Each evening was accentuated with times of spiritual renewal and dedication by members of the congregation.

OPERATION EASTER



Operation Easter proved to be a huge success. This unusual "happening" took place in the Kirkland area during a recent holiday weekend. Special scripture portions were placed in 5,000 homes in Kirkland by Northwest College students. At the same time, a "Bible Reading Marathon" was carried in the downtown business area. The entire New Testament from Matthew to Revelation was read, starting on Friday and continuing into the next day. Douglas Shaw, World Outreach Ministries chairman, read the final chapter at the community sunrise service on Easter Sunday morning.

Many unusual testimonies of favorable response to this weekend of witness have been received.

N. C. HOSTS REGIONAL DEANS CONFERENCE



The Northwest Regional Chapter of Christian Association of Deans of Women held its annual conference for deans, counselors and other school personnel, both men and women at Northwest College May 4. The keynote speaker was Dean Jack Rozell on the subject: "Being and Doing as Leaders". There were 50 registrants representing 12 different schools from Washington, Oregon and Western Canada. Mrs. Mary Ellen Boll of Seattle is Regional Chairman.

SEVENTH ANNUAL LAY COUNCIL



Recently on April 16 and 17, a number of pastors, laymen and their wives, participated in the Seventh Annual Northwest College Lay Council. The Council was highlighted by the deep sense of responsibility and personal commitment toward the college, which was expressed by those who were in attendance.

Reverend Kenneth Schmidt was the featured speaker again this year. His messages highlighted the need for responsible commitment to Christ and His Work in this world.

Sessions in the Council included an administrative panel discussion, skits, music from various musical organizations on campus, a style show for the ladies, and the Master Plan Partners banquet on Saturday evening.

This year was a year of change in leadership as old officers retired and new personnel were elected:

President - Don Skidmore
 Vice President - John Johnson
 Secretary - Esther Dine
 Treasurer - Ruth Elenbaas
 President (Ladies Auxiliary) - Mrs. Stan Beckman

At the close of the Council \$8,000 was pledged by Council members toward the development of plans that will bring the proposed college library into the "drawing board" stages. While the actual construction of the building is not envisioned for some time, early planning is felt vital and important and will hasten the day that a full college facility can be erected.

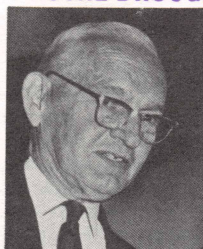
NORTHWEST COLLEGE WINTER QUARTER DEAN'S LIST

The following students have made the Dean's List of the 1971 Winter Quarter:

NAME	G.P.A.	NAME	G. P. A.
ANDERSON, Gene Missoula, Montana	3.813	BENNETT, Darilyn Ellensburg, Wash.	3.500
ANDERSON, Judith Crosby, N. Dakota	4.000	BOYCE, Heather Wenatchee, Wash.	4.000
BACHMAN, LeAnn Cavalier, N. Dakota	3.138	CARPENTER, Emily Newport, Oregon	3.412
BALLENGER, Bonita Kalispell, Montana	3.500	CASPER, Karen Idaho Falls, Idaho	3.938

CHESBRO, Chester Kirkland, Wash.	3.250	O'BRIEN, Deborah Butte Falls, Ore.	3.462
CHILGREN, Candace Puyallup, Wash.	3.533	OVERTURF, Blair Farmington, N. Mex.	3.643
COGGINS, Judy Mt. Vernon, Wash.	4.000	PRATT, Cecil Kirkland, Wash.	3.250
CURL, Robert Bellingham, Wash.	3.500	PRAY, Linda Seattle, Wash.	3.429
DYCK, Caroline Longview, Wash.	4.000	REEK, Carl Kirkland, Wash.	3.750
DYCK, Dale Clayton, Wash.	3.813	REIDT, Susan Kennewick, Wash.	3.385
GAMLEN, John Hood River, Oregon	3.688	RODLI, David Anchorage, Alaska	3.833
GANGWISH, Bonnie Redmond, Wash.	4.000	SAVAGE, Diana Sedro Woolley, Wa.	3.667
GILLATT, Linda Nampa, Idaho	3.250	SCHEFFER, Steven Renton, Wash.	3.625
GREER, Calvin Bend, Oregon	3.353	SCHLEPPY, Steven Renton, Wash.	4.000
HAMAR, Paul Hebo, Oregon	3.857	SCHROEDER, Sallee Mt. Vernon, Wash.	3.667
HARTSFIELD, Janet San Leandro, Calif.	4.000	SELSTAD, Ann Cutbank, Mont.	4.000
HULSE, Richard Chehalis, Wash.	3.400	SMITH, Evelyn Louise Mt. Vernon, Wash.	4.000
ISRAEL, Richard Alcester, S. Dakota	3.400	SWANK, Rosemary Cheney, Wash.	3.813
JACOBSON, Claris Mt. Vernon, Wash.	3.800	THOMAS, Bruce Enumclaw, Wash.	3.625
JAQUITH, Philip Newberg, Oregon	3.313	THOMAS, Londa Portland, Ore.	3.500
KIBBY, Patricia Mercer Island, Wa.	3.375	TOBIN, John Josephy Seattle, Wash.	3.294
KLEIN, Cynthia Edwall, Wash.	3.313	TOUT, Larry Kirkland, Wash.	3.813
KRUGER, Wendell Davenport, Wash.	3.400	UHLES, Edward Honolulu, Hawaii	3.250
LARSON, David Glenn Marysville, Wash.	3.750	WANGEN, Margaret Seattle, Wash.	3.917
MARSHALL, Cheryl Redmond, Wash.	3.294	WARNEKE, Barbara Lewiston, Mont.	3.500
MILLARD, Daniel Kirkland, Wash.	3.647	WILSON, Rose Woodland, Wash.	3.500
MCCLERY, Maxine Claremont, Calif.	3.571	WOOD, Dianne Kirkland, Wash.	3.688
NICKELL, Connie Seattle, Wash.	3.583	WORDEN, Bradley Kirkland, Wash.	3.500
NYBERG, Nancy Yakima, Wash.	3.706		

ROYAL BROUGHAM, CHAPEL GUEST



On May 11, Royal Brougham, the associate editor of the Post Intelligencer and an outstanding speaker, was special chapel guest at NC. Mr. Brougham, who has traveled 500,000 miles on news stories, has appeared in "Who's Who in America". He has an honorary Doctor's degree in Literature from Biola College and was elected first citizen of Seattle. He is now associate editor with 50 years of experience with the Post-Intelligencer newspaper in Seattle, and has been a Sunday School teacher for 40 years. **Time Magazine** called him the "Only sportswriter in America who doesn't drink, smoke, gamble or swear, who lived with one wife fifty years and is an outstanding Christian leader."

DIDJA KNO? Bryan & Charm Arneson - at Memphis, Tenn., Youth Pastor. **Pierre Selstad, Nad.,** Glynco, Georgia. **David Cawston,** new missionary Holland. The **Dan Masers'** to El Tigre, Venezuela, next term. Missionaries **Frank, Pam Davis & Genhi,** now in Nairobi. **Jas. Flasher,** pastoring, Sulton, Wash. **Leroy Hunt,** Pinehurst, Ida. **Robt. Johnston,** Snoqualmie, Wash. **Stanley Jacobson** (Lakewood) Tacoma, Wash. **Ed Jacobson,** Plymouth, Mass. **Bob Stone,** Asst. Pastor, and **Mary Stohr,** Church Secretary at 1st Assembly, Spokane. **Geo. Kallappa,** Pastor, Lower Elwha, Wash. **Jas. & Eunice (Teuber) Nicholson's** son, Dick is Associate Pastor, Auburn, Wash. **Melinda Frivold** - Hostess for Japan Airlines. **Gayle White** - Tacoma Sec. Missionette Rep. **Lynn & Gloria Runnion** Pastor, Twisp, Wn., **Wm. Collingwood** - New parsonage coming - Rochester, Wash. Where's **Ben Birkeland** been? He's been Chaplain - Seattle Men's Social Center - been a blessing too! **Mrs. Stan Moe & Howard Fuller** joined N.C. Flying Seminar to the Holy Land in March. **Kathy Younglund** was also a four group member at the same time.

SAD NUZ: Myrna (Young) Laney went to be with her Lord, March 11th. Condolences to her husband, **Bill Laney** and parents, **Pastor and Mrs. Dan Young.**

ALUMNI RECENTLY ORDAINED: Wm. Long, Lloyd Eaton, Raymond Hull, Wesley Knopp, John Nordby, Robt. Stone, Owen Wilkie, Roger Wolff, Raymond Sparre, Gary Randall, Elvin Huston. Bryan Arneson.

NEW ALUMNI OFFICERS: Darlene (Miller) Russell, Secretary, Byron Newby, Treasurer. **N.W. DISTRICT OFFICIALS WHO ARE ALUMNI:** Clifford Hobson, Dist. Secretary-Treasurer. **Al Baunsgard** - D-CAP, Phil Wayman - Chr. Ed. Director.

PRESBYTERS: Kenneth Woll, Alfred Olsen, Burton Pearson, John Tappero.

BAD NUZ: Dave & Sherry Harrison (Rio de Janeiro) write: "Our Mission house damaged by severe storm. Estimated damage \$1,000. 80 lives lost, many homeless." **Ken & Esther Wooten** lost their belongings when a barge capsized enroute to Ft. Yukon, Alaska.

NU BAYBEES: "Happiness is having a baby daughter." So say **Rich & Linda (Kuch) Dymond.** Lynann arrived April 21. Benjamin Christin Johnson came Feb. 12 to **Pastor & Mrs. Geo. Johnston.** The **Dale Pratts** have a son, Jeffrey Leroy, born Dec. 30, 1970. Anna Maria, new daughter of **Lynn & Gloria Runnion** is now 7 months old.

NAVY CHAPLAIN RON DEBOCK RETIRES on disability because of inner ear injuries sustained during combat operations. He served twice with U.S. Marines in Vietnam, was selected N.C.'s Alumnus of the Year. ('66). Son, Gary, at N.Chicago High ranks 2nd in 217 graduating class. The DeBock's, with Gary 18 and Janice 16, will reside in Puyallup, Wash. Rev. DeBock is available for pulpit ministry in June.

PLAN TO ATTEND

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE
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