



From The President

Dr. D.V. Hurst

PROFESSOR DOROTHEA AMUNDSEN PASSES AWAY

Miss Dorothea O. Amundsen, former Assistant Professor of Music at Northwest College in Kirkland, passed away on January 13, 1975, after a lingering illness. Professor Amundsen, who had completed 16 years of service with the College, retired in May, 1973, and was honored with the Delta Tau Award for distinguished service by the College in May, 1974.

Miss Amundsen was born in Wahpaeton, North Dakota, on August 5, 1909. Her father, the late Rev. J.M. Amundsen, was a Presbyterian minister, evangelist, teacher, and author. She completed her work for her Bachelors Degree at Seattle Pacific College where she was graduated cum laude in 1957, and for her Masters Degree at the University of Washington in 1959, where she was accorded membership in the Pi Lamba Theta Honor Society.



A licensed minister in the Assemblies of God since 1942, Miss Amundsen has served extensively in Christian Education together with her co-worker, Miss Bessie M. Guy, who is Dean of Women at Northwest College. She taught in public education for nine years, served as a missionary to the Indians at Port Gamble, Washington, and served as Director of Music at Assemblies of God churches in Bremerton, Washington and Oakland, California. She came to Northwest College in 1957 where she served on faculty until 1973. In 1971, she toured in Europe directing the Northwest College concert choir.

She is survived by two brothers and one sister. They are Captain John Amundsen of Kirkland, the Reverend Ronald Amundsen, Missionary pilot with the Mission Covenant Church in Alaska, Mrs. Will Priebe of Whittier, California, and ten nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted in the C. E. Butterfield Chapel on the campus of Northwest College in Kirkland on Thursday, January 16, at 1:00 p.m. Participating in the service was the concert choir, which she once directed for many years and now under the direction of Dr. Robert Swaffield. Officiating at the service were Dr. D.V. Hurst, College President, and Dr. C. E. Butterfield, President Emeritus of the College, with Pastors Albert Knudsen and Willis Holmgren of Kirkland.

In paying tribute to her service at the College, President Hurst said,

"In her ministry with the College, Miss Amundsen touched many lives for Christ! Gospel music was her life and she planned and developed her sermons in song long in advance of each choir season. They were filled with heart and spirit, each conveying a message of Biblical truth. As a result, the ministry of the choir was sought by many churches throughout the Northwest year after year.

Miss Amundsen had a great sense of the **ministry** of music and sought to instill this in all her choir members and students. As a result there are hundreds of 'alumni' of the concert choir serving throughout the Northwest in various ministries who carry this same sense.''

A memorial fund in honor of her ministry has been established in the music department of the College. Those interested in participating may send their contributions to the College designated Dorothea Amundsen Memorial.

ATION TURKEY DOES IT AGAIN!

The familiar adage, "actions speak louder than words" only begins to tell the story of Operation Turkey which is now in its seventh year as a Thanksgiving time Northwest safari. Five student groups totaling approximately fifty collegians boarded college buses for such places as West Yellowstone, Montana, Chemainus, Vancouver Island, Sheridan, Oregon, and Potlatch, Washington.

'I had them canvas our small community, where we a building for services." said



have just recently begun a Bryan Ashpole (Hawaii) and Harold Riach (Alaska) team up new work. . . they cleaned, to dig (almost to China?) doing foundation work on parsonage painted, etc. to help us ready in the Indian Mission at Chemainus, B.C. on Vancouver Island.

Pastor Wayne Snyder of the Assembly of God, Ennis, Montana. "Everyone enjoyed the students' ministry on Sunday, too," the pastor added.

In West Yellowstone, one group worked on a coffeehouse. In Sheridan, Oregon, another group gave a helping hand to a home missions project. Another group worked on a parsonage in the Indian mission at Nanaimo, British Columbia. The latter ministered in a rest home, in a youth service and in the Chemainus Sunday School. In a letter of appreciation, Pastor Larry Steller of the Assembly of God in Sheridan, Oregon wrote, "In my few years of ministry. I have had the privilege of working with a number of college groups through Youth Camps. However, without a doubt, this is the finest group I have ever worked with. I believe these students really felt the 'heartbeat' of the ministry here in Sheridan, and it was an honor for us to have them."

Every year dozens of students at Northwest College happily forego Thanksgiving at home to be a blessing in a practical way to some needy mission station. The annual tradition has grown in popularity, resulting in more requests for groups than can be filled.



The blue waters of the SEA OF GALILEE, celebrated by the Gospels and by song writers, will be among the many inspirational and instructional itinerary points to be covered by the College's Sixth Flying Seminar, March 11-22. This scene taken at Capernaum on the northern shore of the sea, shows a scene that Jesus and the Disciples would have seen often. College President Dr. D.V. Hurst said there is still time to get in on the Seminar tour up through February 7th. Telephone (206) 822-8266 Ext. 26 for information.

Salute to an Alumnus

A film release recounting the story of a thirteen-year ordeal experienced by NC alumnus Merrill P. Womach of Spokane, was recently featured in that city at Thanksgiving time. The thirty-minute color biographical film entitled, "He Restoreth My Soul," had a premiere showing in Spokane's Fourth Memorial Church, of which Merrill is a member.

The film tells the story of a fiery plane crash in southern Oregon on Thanksgiving day thirteen years ago (Nov. 23, 1961) from which Merrill miraculously escaped death but suffered severe burns.

Mr. Womach remains active in Christian service both in his own church and in a broader circle of ministry that takes him around the country. He continues as president of the National Music Service in Spokane and again, flies his own plane. He graduated from Northwest College in 1947 and was a member of a prominent singing group during his college days, known as the Harvesters Quartet.

GOD WORKS MIRACLES FOR STUDENTS, TOO!



Financial Aids Officer Lyle Spradley shows sophomore Debbi Payne how easy it is to hold a \$500 check, granted to her as a special scholarship. Debbi had applied for a scholarship of \$250. She received the surprising "double portion" from Washington's Senator Henry Jackson. The grant enabled Debbi to cover her college expenses for the autumn quarter.

1975 Placement Profiles Published



Professional review is given the copy of the important 1975 Placement Profiles publication by Dr. Frank R. Rice, Academic Dean and by Amos D. Millard, Registrar and Dean of Admissions.

The Northwest College Placement service announces publication of its 1975 Placement Profiles. The publication is a "closed circuit" publication designed to assist district officers, pastors, presbyters, church officers, and others in identifying graduates who might be considered for ministry.

College President D.V. Hurst explained that the function of the Service is primarily in the area of communications, seeking first to communicate with the constituency concerning the preparations, plans, and ministry aspirations of graduates, and to also communicate to the graduates descriptions of needs in the churches in other ministry outreaches.

Pastors who might desire information about the backgrounds, training, and preparations of members of the 1975 graduating class at the college are invited to contact the college for a copy of the new profile directory.



Martin Dormier, Superintendent of Grounds at NC, lays another block on the campus' new 3200 square feet maintenance garage located on the north portion of the college campus. The new maintenance building will contain four stalls for college vehicles including a maintenance area. (The pleased expression on Mr. Dormier's face may be due to the fact that the new structure will make his work a lot easier!)

CAMPUS CALENDAR

January

20-24 Spiritual Emphasis Week Dr. Cho Yonggi February 1 ECE Conference on campus

- ECE Conference on campus
 Cultural Series
- Fred Nelson (Skiing) 8:00 p.m. 7 Alumni Chapel 9:30 a.m.
- Homecoming Game 8:00 p.m.
- 15 ECE Conference at Tigard, Oregon
- March
 - 27 Spring Quarter Begins
- April
 - 4 Campus Day



Shown above are Dr. Frank Rice, Academic Dean, Miss Shirley Newton, Professor of Early Childhood Education, and Dr. D.V. Hurst, President of the College, examining a letter of award from Dr. Landrum R. Bolling, Executive Vice President of the Lilly Endowment, Inc. The \$25,000 award was granted to "expand and strengthen the program for training under-graduates for work in the field of early childhood education." The new program, inaugurated in the winter quarter of last year, has shown some positive indications of productivity, Dr. Hurst said.

Plan Now for Campus Day-75

April 4!

President Emeritus Visits Campus

President Emeritus C. E. Butterfield was chapel guest speaker November 25. Dr. Butterfield, who has visited some 77 countries in the world for ministry, told faculty and students that he is encouraged and optimistic about the future of the Church in the world. He cited the strength and growth of the Church in Nigeria as an example, pointing to the remarkable resurgence of the Christian churches among all denominations after a bloody civil war there a few years ago.

At a fellowship lunch with members of the faculty, Dr. Butterfield indicated that he has not finalized plans for further ministry yet, but anticipates another trip during the coming year. College President, Dr. D. V. Hurst, told faculty and students that Dr. Butterfield has maintained a rigorous and busy schedule of ministry around the world since his retirement from the presidency of the College 8^{1/2} years ago, is in high demand as a conference speaker and frequently addresses ministers' institutes in missionary fields around the world. Dr. Butterfield served as president of the College from 1949 to 1966.

Evening Classes at NC

- Sig Weedman, **Ministry in Crisis Situations**, 7-9 p.m. Thursdays in Room L-101. (2 credits)
- A. Millard, Flying Seminar, 7-8 p.m. Mondays in Room C-2 (3 credits if trip to Near East is taken)
- Bill Randolph, **Speed Reading**, 7-9 p.m. Jan. 16, 28, Feb. 4, in Room C-2. (No credit)
- Don Tarno, **Radio Production**, 6:30-9:00 p.m. Thursdays in Room L-103. (3 credits)
- Maxine Williams, **Bible Geography**, 7-8:45 p.m. Tuesdays in Room C-4. (2 credits)
- Shirley Newton, Administration of Early Childhood Education, 6:30-9:00 p.m. Tuesdays in Room L-101. (3 credits)

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LATELY: Chris & Jan Thomas and 2 sons are in Pasadena, Calif. since Sept. where Chris is working on a doctoral program at Fuller Theol. Sem. They are missionaries to Malaysia. **Jack & Leanna Buck** and son, Jackson, are in Santa Cruz, Calif. where Jack is Youth Pastor while also attending at BBC.

Paul & Janice Hale and family are in business with Paul's brother, Phil, operating Home Town Bakery, Cordova, Alaska. The **Byron Dittys** are at Enumclaw, Wn. where Byron is A/G Pastor. He was Asst. Pastor at Anacortes, Wn. Larry & Joy Meissner plus Daniel, Deonne and Dominick are at Doty, Wash. where Larry is A/G Pastor. Tim & Kay Devoe and son, Timothy Charles (4 months) reside in Astoria, Ore. Tim works in Assesor's office and has charge of church bus ministry.

Pastor Rollin Carlson (Arlington, Wn.) was a recent chapel hour guest on campus and brought his local church musical group whose superb singing was enthusiastically received by the students and faculty. They're a mixed quartet who for two consecutive years have been award winners in national singing competition. Rollin's brother, Joe, is now enrolled at NC. They are sons of Pastor & Mrs. Reuben Carlson (Wenatchee, Wn.) Past N.W. Dist. Supt. Dr. & Mrs. C. E. Butterfield (Pres. Emeritus) were recent visitors. Dr. Butterfield, in his characteristic style, brought one of thos inimitable messages which will long be remembered. Far from being an idle "retiree," Dr. Butterfield has been continually involved in worldwide ministry . . . and is sometimes accompanied abroad by Mrs. Butterfield.

New pastor of Seattle's First Methodist Church is former NC Dean of Education, Dr. David L. Aasen. He has served in pastorates in Pateros, Edmonds, and Boise's Cathedral of the Rockies prior to coming back to Seattle. Interestingly, another NC Dean, the late Rev. E. V. Bronson, also once served as pastor of the Edmonds Methodist Church.

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Sharon Portin, who was quoted in **Time** (Sept. 2) magazine, is a TV personality with her own program on Cablevision Channel 3, reaching Snohomish County with a potential viewing audience of 100,000 viewers. She is station manager and conducts a daily feature program known as Studio 3. Among persons featured recently was **Lorna Gunnarson Millard**, wife of NC Registrar **Amos Millard**. The telecast, a special feature interview on candlecraft, was released December 4.

ON FURLOUGH FROM THE FIELD: Featured

at the Nov. Missionary Convention in Evergreen Chr. Center (Olympia) were the following four NC missionaries on furlough: **Dan Secrist**, Director of YWAM in Spain since '71; The **Calvin Whites**, Director of Ecuador Bible School and transferring to Panajachel Dist. of Guatemala, C.A. as director of Indian Bib. Sch.; The **Paul Pomerville** Family, involved in ministerial training in Indonesian Bible School, the **David Harrison** Family, working with ICI in Brazil where more than 100,000 are enrolled in the program.