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## NBC GRAD NOW ARMY CHAPLAIN



Rev. Richard W. Hartman, who graduated from Northwest Bible College in 1951, was sworn in as a first lieutenant in the United States Army Chaplain Branch in July. The commissioning ceremony was held in the Post Chapel at the Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

After graduating from NBC he served as a pastor in Buxton, Ore. In June 1954, Chaplain Hartman was commissioned a reserve second lieutenant under the Army Staff Specialist Branch Program, a program designed for seminarians to continue their studies, at no expense to the government, yet begin accumulating service time. Chaplain Hartman was the first seminarian in the Sixth Army area to serve under this program. He received his Bachelor of Divinity degree from Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary in Berkeley, Calif., this June, prior to being called to active duty.

He has been assigned to the 51st Field Hospital, Fort Lewis, Wash. His wife and four children will accompany him to Fort Lewis.

## College Begins New Year

The Northwest Bible College was a scene of intense activity as a flood of new students registered for classes which began Wednesday, September 11. The school year began with the same number of registered student as last year.

During the first week of school, the students enjoyed a time of getting acquainted at a picnic at Golden Gardens on Monday evening and at a faculty-student reception held on Friday evening

## CAMPUS COMMISSION REPORT

The Campus Commission reports that the drive for funds for the new NBC campus has progressed exceedingly well for the length of time that the program has been actively engaged in reaching individuals and churches. To date the following results have been obtained:

Church pledges .....	\$ 26,265.00
Alumni pledges .....	438.00
Student Council pledge....	5,000.00
Franklin Life Savings Pl.	81,302.79
Labor pledges .....	5,060.00
Individual cash gifts.....	2,854.32
Accounts receivable for campus fund .....	16,197.21

TOTAL .....	\$137,118.00
Cash on hand, campus drive .....	16,215.71
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However it must be noted that the Franklin Life Savings Plan and the church pledges are payable over a five year period.

The need is for \$100,000 cash to satisfy the government as to the fact that the college is financially able to complete the first units of its five year building program before a deed will be given.

There is a great need now that each church and each responsible person in the district give to enable the college to meet the requirement set by the government.

The Department of Health, Education, and Welfare has set a deadline of October 1, 1957, for these funds to be available for building, however, the Commission has asked for an extension of time of 90 days. You are earnestly requested to pray that this will be granted also to ask the Lord what part he would have you to do in this all-out effort to build a school for our youth and the future generations of pentecostal young people should He tarry.



1st Row. C. E. Butterfield, President; H. W. Crowder, Assistant to the President; A. D. Millard, Registrar; Mollie J. Perks, Dean of Women; R. W. Bishop, Dean; Donald Fee, Dean of Men.  
2nd Row. Dorothy Van Patten, Housemother; Minerva Crowder, Music; Ruth Howard, Music; Ruth Sims, Bursar; Dorothy Amundsen, Faculty; Jean Smith, Bookstore; Ann Brill, Librarian; Maxine Williams, Faculty.  
3rd Row. Arthur Petrie, Faculty; C. M. Bishop, Faculty; Harold Smith, Faculty; Willard Peirce, Faculty; Evert Tornfelt, Music; Howard Van Patten, Custodian; J. W. Simpson, Faculty. Bessie M. Guy, Assistant Registrar, was not present for the above picture.

## ALUMNI NEWS AND VIEWS

**Sam Vigna**, '57, and his wife are working on an Indian reservation near Fort Hall, Idaho. **Arvin and Luana Glandon**, '42, are teaching school in Barrow, Alaska. They will assist the Capners in the church also. **Ruth Sims**, '49, is the new accountant at the college, succeeding Brother Spradley, who is the new Northwest District Secretary-treasurer. The **Eddie Caldwell**, '47, are the new pastors at Caldwell, Idaho. They had been assistant pastors at Medford, Oregon. **Frank Schoonover**, '48, is the new pastor at Orchard Heights. **Robert Bashor**, '57, is the pastor at Mineral. **David and Barbara Womack**, '56, are new pastors at Union Gap.

**Lloyd and Marie Berry**, '49, are new pastors at Pomeroy. **Mrs. C. C. Beatty**, wife of the former **Dean Beatty** of N.B.C., went home to be with the Lord early Tuesday morning, August 20th, after a prolonged illness. She had just observed her 89th birthday in June. "Just a line to tell you that we sailed from San Francisco, July 29, for Honolulu," writes **Arlie**, '44, and **Jean** (nee Jean Munson, '45) **Bass**. **Georgia Paulson** (nee Georgia Carson, '47) writes that she is praying N.B.C. will have a very successful school year. **Mildred James**, '38, is teaching school in Takotna, Alaska. **Phil Ritter**, '56, is back in Seattle and engaged in evangelistic meetings. **Gordon and Marilyn Marker** (nee Marilyn Johnson, '47) write, "We are happy and thankful to be in Bolivia and engaged in the many activities under our supervision."

**Rev. Roland H. Buck**, '39, and his congregation have built a new church in Boise. **Rev. and Mrs. Gene Neeley**, '46, are pastoring in Shelley, Idaho. **Donald Gibbons**, '46, is a missionary with the Christian Missionary Alliance in New Guinea. **John**, '46, and **Phyllis** (nee Phyllis Glover, '43) **Gibbons** are in Cheyenne helping with the work in the Assembly of God Church. **Leonard and Mary Jane Lanphear**, '45, are busy in Indonesia with preaching and Bible school work. **Paul Fenton**, '42, serves as C.A. and Sunday School director for Montana district. **Norman Van Patten**, '52, is pastoring in Deer Lodge, Montana.

Signing his letters as Born again, comes word from **Eugene Born**, '38, of the blessing of God in the Missoula Assembly. **Melvin Veland**, '51, held meetings in Hungry Horse, Montana, recently. **William J. Sanders**, '49, is busy as presbyter and pastor in Poplar, Montana. **Charles Bauman**, f.s., is pastor at Fairview, Montana. **James File**, f.s. '52, and wife, '47, write from Aviak, Alaska. **Allan Berg**, '42, is district manager for Pioneer American Insurance Co., Portland, Oregon. **August**

and **Anna Gaub**, '47, pastoring in North Dakota the past ten years write, "Hello, to the alumni family." Names seen in the Southern Idaho District paper, **The Beacon**, include many N.B.C. alumni: **Marge Sell Stewart**, '46, **Duane and Loveta Buhler**, '52, **Martin Sumner**, '45, **Doris Knutter**, **Zelma Lontz Stellar**, '38, **Addy Lopas**, '51, all helping at the C.A. youth camp; **C. G. Kirsch**, '50, district C.A. president, **Charles A. Slaughter**, '38, district superintendent of Idaho.

The **Linfield Crowders**, '53, are going into evangelistic work. **L. I.**, '44, and **Sadie** (nee Hutchcroft, f.s.) **LeMance** write, "Since leaving school we have pastored continually in Montana and North Dakota and are presently pastoring in Sidney, Montana, as well as serving as presbyter. We welcome any former students passing through to stop and see us." **Elwood Irby**, '52, of Clatskanie, Oregon, was voted the outstanding C.A. representative of the Oregon district. **Wesley and Hazel Hansen**, '42, were appointed missionaries to Alaska. Alumni in the Oregon District Fellowship Monthly: **Russell Emerson**, '50, presbyter, **Don Smith**, '49, C. A. representative, **Albert Davis**, '50, pastor at McMinneville, **Evangelist Denny Davis**, '56, **Evangelist Johnny Hoskins**, '47, with **Lloyd Fosner**, '41, for a revival meeting, **R. L. Swope**, '50, Brooks pastor, **Don Triplett**, '56, new pastor at Weston, **Ward Woods**, '42, preached at a fellowship meeting, and **Richard Johnstons**, '41, missionaries to Japan. **John Brown**, '48, was seen at General Council. John is now living in Aaron, Ohio, where he is an engineer. He is married and has four children. **Lillian Mader**, '39, recently returned from a trip to Europe.

**Philip Gaglardi**, f.s. '40, minister of Hiways and Public Works, British Columbia and also a busy pastor in Kamloops, B. C., with a daily radio program and a Sunday School of 801 enrolled, has been chosen speaker for the Twin National Sunday School Conventions at Los Angeles, California, and Grand Rapids, Michigan, October 11-November 1. **Lester Cleveland**, '55, writes that he has completed a year of study at the University of Wisconsin last year and expects to enter Garrett Biblical Institute during the current year. He is pastoring three Methodist churches—at Elroy, Camp Douglas and Union Center, Wisconsin. **Linnea Erlandson**, '55, is back in the states after serving for one year as Registrar of the Aloha Bible Institute in Honolulu, Hawaii. She plans to take further schooling.

### ALUMNI DEATHS

Word has been received as to the passing away of two of our alumni—namely **Donna Huebacker**, '39, who died sometime during the summer, and **Maurine Moss Kvamme**, '39, who died sometime ago.

### NEW ARRIVALS

Another future C.A. has been added to the Northwest District C.A. Director's home. **Rev. and Mrs. Harris Lidstrand**, '47, announce the arrival of **Kathryn Joy** who was born August 27, weighing 6 lbs., 11 oz.

Born to **Rev. and Mrs. Dean Young**, '45, a boy, **Roger Morris**. Joins four brothers and one sister.

**Linda Marilon** came to bless the home of **Paul and Marylou Slaughter**, '56.

The **Pat Myricks**, '44, are parents of a new son born to them recently. They now have two sons and two daughters. Brother **Myrick** is currently employed by the Washington Temperance Association.

### WEDDING BELLS

**Melvin Peterson**, '45, was married to **Miss Pauline Burath** in the Lakeview Gospel Tabernacle on July 19th.

**Joe Filardo**, '47, was united in marriage to **Miss Eloise Maplethorpe** on June 20th. They are living in Hayward, California.

**Melvin Veland**, '51, was married recently to **Miss Marjorie Casper**. **Marjorie** attended N.B.C. during the 1956-57 school year.

**Bob Tague**, '57, and **Marian Kirsch**, '50, were recently united in marriage at **Calvary Temple** in Seattle. They have taken up pastoral duties at the **Lakebay Community Church** near Tacoma.

**Rev. John Green** and **Mildred Anderson**, '48, were recently married and are pioneering a new work in **Livermore, California**.

### THE TREASURES I'VE GATHERED IN N.B.I.

I had gathered some gems along Life's road,  
And had plucked a flower or two;  
I had wandered where quiet rivers flowed,  
And had gathered some sunshine, too.  
But sweeter by far, with a luster untold,  
And a beauty that thrills the eye;  
More dear to my heart than mountains of gold  
Are the treasures I've gathered in N.B.I.

Like a garden of glory in colors divine,  
And substance more precious than light;  
Like the fragrance of incense of cedar and pine,  
Like the stars in the azure of heaven  
For vessels to chart their course by,  
Are the treasures that Jesus has given  
To me in my sojourn in N.B.I.

And though I be far from this haven of rest  
And bounded by every foe;  
In trouble and trial, tribulation and test,  
And withersoever I go;  
In desert or valley, in sunshine or rain,  
Or up on a mountain so high,  
These will, forever, I know, remain;  
The treasures I've gathered in N.B.I.  
—Marvin Langford, Class of '49.

## NEW INSTRUCTORS AT NBC

Four new instructors have arrived at Northwest Bible College, one of which is Willard C. Peirce of Santa Cruz, Calif., well known teacher, evangelist and author. He attended the San Francisco State College where he graduated with a B.A. degree and pursued his graduate work at Los Angeles Baptist Seminary where he received a B.D. degree in theology and an honorary D.D. degree. Mr. Peirce has taught in the Southern California College, Los Angeles, and at Central Bible Institute; also, at Evangel Bible Institute, Toronto, and at Bethany Bible College, Santa Cruz, Calif. At Bethany he was dean of education. He will teach theological subjects at Northwest.

Another new faculty member at NBC is Arthur Petrie who took most of his theological training in England where he had Bible institute, seminary, and graduate work, graduating with B.A., M.A., Th.B., and Th.D. degrees. He is a contributing editor of the **Prophecy Monthly** and writes articles regularly for **The Sword of the Lord** and **The Sunday School Times**. Mr. Petrie has received first prize in the sermon of the year contest at least twice and several of his articles have appeared in pentecostal publications. Dr. Petrie served six years as a missionary in Japan as well as twenty years as an instructor for Simpson Bible Institute and at one time served as dean of a Bible Institute in Pittsburg. Besides his work with NBC, Dr. Petrie is also an instructor at the Seattle Bible Training School which is operated by the Philadelphia Church and is an instructor in Bible at King's Garden, also of Seattle.

John W. Simpson, Sr., has assumed his new duties as an instructor at NBC. Mr. Simpson is a member of Richmond Assembly, Seattle, where he as a layman helped to found and build the church to its present congregation. He is a graduate of Linfield College, where he received an A.B. degree and of the University of Washington and Seattle Pacific College where he received an M.A. degree in education. Mr. Simpson will teach general education subjects.

Miss Dorothea O. Amundsen also joined the faculty this year. Miss Amundsen is well known in our district, having been a licensed minister for many years. She graduated from Seattle Pacific College with a B.A. degree in education and has been working on her master's degree at the University of Washington. Miss Amundsen will teach general education subjects such as English and literature.

## New Dean of Education

Richard W. Bishop, the son of Dr. and Mrs. Crawford M. Bishop, was born in Summit, N. J. Shortly afterwards he went with his parents and two older brothers to China. He returned to the United States several years later, and then began his education in the public schools of Washington, D. C., and Chevy Chase, Maryland.



After graduation from high school, Brother Bishop entered Central Bible Institute. During his senior year he was business manager of the first yearbook in the Institute's history. From C.B.I. he went to Taylor University, where he majored in theology and history, graduating cum laude in 1941. While at Taylor Brother Bishop was named "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." He was also elected president of the senior class and twice elected Indiana State President of the Student Volunteers, a missionary organization for college students.

Brother Bishop has been a member of the Faculty of Northwest Bible College for the past ten years. He soon expects to receive his Ph.D. degree from the University of Washington.

He was saved and filled with the Spirit at an early age. In June, 1942, he married Miss Evelyn Olson, of Seattle, whom he met in Washington, D. C., where she was a secretary in the State Department. The Bishops have four children: Betty Lou, Dick, Cheryl Jean, and Bonnie Lynne.

He says, "If I have a hobby, I suppose it is books, especially English translations of the New Testament."

## Missionary Theme Featured

The annual matriculation and alumni homecoming service under the auspices of the alumni was held September 20, at 8 p.m. in the college auditorium. Rev. J. J. Clement, former instructor of N.B.C., was the guest speaker.

The service which especially emphasized foreign missions with a challenging message by Brother Clement, missionary to Japan, was under the leadership of the alumni association president, Leonard Philp, '39. Many alumni missionaries were present dressed in the costumes of the land where they have been ministering. Included were Robert Tangen, '39, China; Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Clement, Japan; Rev. and Mrs. Magnus Udd, '40, Africa; Rev. and Mrs. Earl Wilkie, '37, Bolivia; Rev. and Mrs. Gunder Olsen, '46, Philippines; Rev. Robert Frivold, '48, Japan; Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Busby, Indonesia; Rev. and Mrs.

Waldo Nicodemus, '44, Cuba; and Miss Lillian Bach, '38, Africa.

A welcome was given by the alumni president to the student body which includes members from twenty-five states and eleven foreign countries.

The meeting was well attended by students, faculty members, pastors, friends, and alumni. The spiritual impact of the service caused everyone to have a deeper appreciation for the work and calling of the missionaries.

A fellowship hour followed the service at which time the alumni served refreshments that were enjoyed by everyone.

## Alumni Campus Pledge Drive Reaches \$438

N.B.C. Alumni are responding to the campus drive with a project of their own. The executive committee has set a goal of \$10,000 per year for the next five years. Thus far the 1957-58 drive has reached a total of \$438 in its initial stages. Alumni subscribers to date include: Eugene Born, \$12; Pastor and Mrs. W. A. Buck, \$12; Paul Fenton, \$12; J. L. Jeffers, \$12; John Weaver, \$12; Melvin Veland, \$12; Norman Van Patten, \$12; R. H. Buck, \$12; Charles and Mrs. Slaughter, \$24; Leonard and Mrs. Philp, \$24; Clifford and Helen Hobson, \$12; Lillian Nelson, \$12; Myron Lindgren, \$12; Mrs. Gwen Lindgren, \$12; Paul Trulin, \$25, plus 40 hour work pledge; Mildred Nordberg, \$12; Dick and Harriet Johnston, \$20; Richard Bishop, \$50; Amos and Lorna Millard, \$25; Lillian Bach, \$20; Russell Emerson, \$10; Ruth Sims, \$12; John Cline, \$12, and Mildred King, \$10.

It is gratifying to note that in this list even two missionaries with limited financial resources have responded namely, Dick and Harriet Johnston and Lillian Bach with cash pledges of \$20 each. May God bless them and all who have responded to this need. If a little over 900 of the alumni's 2,500 members would respond to this drive as have these persons, the goal of \$10,000 annually could be easily met.

## SECOND GENERATION MILESTONE REACHED

With the enrollment of Merleen Glew a milestone was reached in N.B.C. history. Merleen's mother, Edithora (Owen) Glew, '37, was the first student to enroll in N.B.C. in October, 1934. Time marches on, and N.B.C. graduates' children are already marching to the alma mater of their parents.

## PERSONAL BRIEFS

An unusual number of N.B.C. alumni are home on furlough at present. Included are the Magnus Udds, the Waldo Nicodemuses, the Oliver Johnstons, the Robert Frivolds, Lillian Bach, the Earl Wilkies, the Busbys and the Clements (former faculty) and Rudy Esperanza, who is itinerating in the midwest. May God bless them and make them a blessing is our prayer.

## SPIRITUAL LIFE AT NORTHWEST BIBLE COLLEGE

It is usually assumed that a dean's chief interest is in the academic sphere of college life. This is not necessarily the case, however, in a Christian institution. Though recognizing the vital importance of high academic standards, I am even more concerned that Northwest Bible College maintain high spiritual standards. There are numerous colleges and universities that offer a sound educational program, but there are woefully few that provide a wholesome spiritual atmosphere in which the student can pursue his educational objectives. Furthermore, Northwest Bible College not only wants its students to be evangelical, but also Pentecostal. Therefore, one of its major objectives is to encourage all students to be filled with the Holy Spirit, according to Acts 2:4. We fully realize that unless they receive this endowment of divine power they can never adequately fulfill their calling.

How refreshing it has been during these first few weeks of the new school year to witness the mighty moving of God's Spirit! Again and again the spirit of spontaneous praise has swept over the student body and faculty as they have assembled together in the chapel to worship the Lord. It has been reminiscent of the words of John, found in Revelation 19:6, "And I heard as it were the voice of a great multitude, and the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thunderings, saying, Alleluia: for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth." There have been inspiring messages from God's word and frequent messages in tongues, with interpretations, and prophecy. It is our earnest desire that these same tokens of divine blessing and confirmation shall continue throughout the school year. With the Israelites of old we can say, "Hitherto hath the Lord helped us." But we look forward to still greater things to come. Dean of Education  
R. W. Bishop

## A Message From Our President... THE TEACHER

One of the most important ministries of mankind is the teaching ministry. This is true both in the secular field and in the Kingdom of God. The teaching



Rev. C. E. Butterfield

ministry belongs to the great commission of Christ to the church and is numbered among those gifts of Christ for the perfecting of the saints. The ministry of teaching in a Bible College is the most important phase of the work. Administration, finances, equipment and campus properties are all secondary things. The success of the school depends upon the excellence of the teaching ministry. From the standpoint of the Kingdom of God, the most important persons of the College are the teachers. In my opinion there are three important requirements for a successful Bible College teacher.

**The First Would Be Apt To Teach.** To be apt to teach involves the inclination and disposition. This would mean that a teacher feels the call to teach and has a heart for the work. It also means preparation, that is, the necessary background both academically and spiritually. A prepared teacher is never a bluffer, but he always has material well in hand to occupy every class session with a bountiful supply of information and truth.

**Second, a Good Teacher Must Have the Ability to Communicate.** A College education and the acquisition of graduate degrees are important, but do not necessarily mean that those things make a teacher. A teacher must possess both the inherent and acquired ability to convey simply and forcibly the facts of his area of interest to the minds of his pupils so that they leave his class with a firm grasp of the things which he

has taught.

**Third, Complete Objectivity Must Possess a Teacher.** He must have a goal to reach and moved by the high principles of his calling to inspire his students to achieve their goals in life. His objectivity must include a sincere loyalty to the doctrines and ideals of the school he represents and faithfulness to the principles of the Word of God, and so dedicated, his calling becomes a ministry of beauty and strength which has the breath of eternity in it.

I feel that the faculty of the Northwest Bible College this year closely identifies the ideals that I have set forth. We have one of the finest faculties this year that we have had in the history of the school. We sense a spirit of harmony and fellowship together. This unity is being felt throughout every phase of our school life and there is happiness in the Student Body and the work of all is a pleasurable experience. We appreciate the opportunity that God has given us to teach and train our young people the wonderful ways of the Lord.

"And daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ." ACTS 5:42.

## Local Alumni Chapters Organized

During the summer five local alumni chapters were organized. Officers elected in these five areas are: Western Washington, John Tappero, chairman; Bessie Guy, secretary; Central Washington, Myron Lindgren, chairman, Bernice Smith, secretary; Oregon, Dennis Davis, chairman, LaVerne Helmick, secretary; Southern Idaho, Roland Buck, chairman, Mrs. Duane Buhler, secretary; and Montana, Paul Fenton, chairman, and Mrs. Walter Buck, secretary.

Local chapters will sponsor alumni activities in each respective section and will make up local working teams for carrying out the overall program of the Alumni Association.

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