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# Auditions WELCOME MINISTERS

Exciting new developments in God's work may be just around the corner! With the approaching ministerial conference, and the many phases of this great work to be considered and studied--new plans for expansion, growth and development ahead --a new TV program has recently been completed.

Mr. Garner Ted Armstrong made the program, the first expected to be of actual broadcast quality, in our own studios, with our own camera and lighting crews. Two 16mm cameras were running simultaneously, and Mr. Armstrong shifted from one camera to the other as signaled by the director, Mr. Norman Smith. Ken Mowat and Bill Myers, assisted by Leroy Hershberger made up the production staff.

It is possible the new program will be ready for preview in the near future! In the meantime, this is just one more giant stride forward in an ever expanding, growing work!

## ONE HUNDRED HOMELESS

The El Paso, Illinois, Church of God was held in a small community "church" building. There was no indoor plumbing it was becoming crowded. About the only advantage was that the rent was free.

Plans are now under way for establishing the Church of God in that area in Bloomington. Why? Because, since it was a community building in El Paso, the churches of the world were also able to use it. The last use of the building was the celebration of a Christmas party by one of the local denominations, then: IT BURNED TO THE GROUND!

LOST: Six hours of sleep. Whaddyagunadoabouttathinlikethathuh?

FOR SALE: One huge college debt. Will sacrifice at half-price!

## PARKING BONANZA

This year the money received for selling parking space to the Rose Parade was a peak \$3204. 50! Using some fifteen lots, the college was able to sell space for 1189 cars at \$2.50 apiece. An additional \$232 was picked up by alert parking attendants by selling extra space during the parade to late-comers.

This money, or at least most of it, will be added to the student-body fund. The recreation court on Camden Street was donated to the high school for their activity fund. This lot parked 50 cars and earned \$125 for Imperial fun!

Each year the college depends on the Fun Show at the Feast of Tabernacles and the parade parking to support the many fine activities we enjoy. The trip to Disneyland last year, Marineland, the dances and other outings are all made possible by this fund.

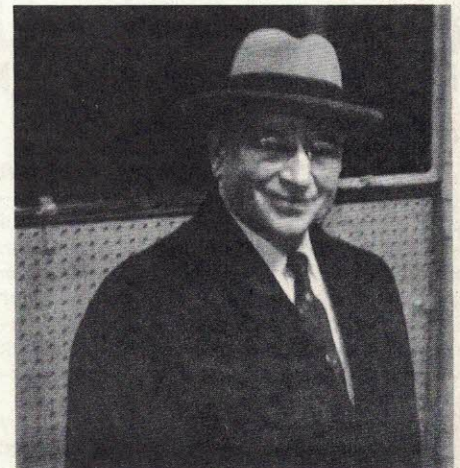
It is also necessary to look to the future six years when the parade day will fall on a Sabbath. This means no parking.

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## H. W. Armstrong - In New Series

Beginning the first day of his arrival back in Pasadena, Mr. Herbert W. Armstrong started a dynamic new series of broadcast on the book of Hebrews! Having been so occupied with the building of a new institution in England (and it is a Job), Mr. Armstrong had not been on the air "live" for some months. After four taped programs made in our own new studios on the campus in England, Mr. Armstrong began a new series here!

Hundreds of thousands of listeners are going to be really cheered to hear Mr. Armstrong regularly again!



Perhaps the only Apostle to circle the earth, Mr. H. W. Armstrong... home!

## Summit Conference

Home from the far flung corners of the United States and the WORLD come the delegates to the most important summit conference held on Earth. The servants of the Living God, the Ministers of Jesus Christ and their wives are more than welcomed by all here at Headquarters!

Now that Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Armstrong have returned from their long stay in England; now that Mr. Meredith is again on campus, Mr. Raymond McNair to be here after so long an absence, Mr. Waterhouse from the other side of the world, and all the Ministers in from the field... we're all looking forward to momentous, decision-filled days to come as the conference gets under way!

Don't forget to ask God's guidance for His Ministers in the next all-important weeks of the Ministerial Conference!



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## NOT WHERE BUT WHEN

By Sherwin McMichael

God is eagerly waiting for men who will step out and take responsibility! Responsible positions can not be dolled out like employment in a WPA project. The man must prove himself BEFORE he is given tasks involving the salvation of another human being. These men must be exerting extra time and effort in the Work with unfeigned motives, not seeking personal recognition.

Some have lost the chance to serve by forgetting their goal. They confused "position" with "service." And then sought that position carnally. Ambassador is not four years of competition and vying for the praise of fellow students. Nor is it a personality contest. Others have made the mistake of "work the angles," e.g. setting up every situation to flatter the self.

It is time to quit kidding yourself! Some of US here today are actively doing this very thing! There is no profit in catering to men--wanting to impress them. God knows your heart, and He alone provides the laborers. Do not be rudely awakened in two or three years; get started NOW!

Live day by day! Quit looking for that "big opportunity." Plod along with dogged determination. The Work does not need a flash-in-the-pan, but solid, dependable men and women who are reliable. Real growth is steady, not erratic or up and down.

**VOLUNTEER**--for any and everything. Gain experience in learning HOW to serve. As soon as you have learned how you will be used to greater and greater advantage.

God has called YOU to serve! Mr. Arm-

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## Have You Written?

Have you written your parents this week, this month, this semester, **THIS YEAR?** To some this may be a foolish question, but some haven't written to their parents this year! There is a commandment that says "honor your parents."

Even though your parents may be antagonistic, in their own way they love you and thrill to hear from you. So come on, let's make this "write my parents week" and show them how much we appreciate them.

## Music To Type By

The Ambassador Press is growing in culture. To accompany the singing of the typewriters, the song of the press and the other machines is the sweet and soothing sound of music. Mr. Mauck said that it was just being tried out. The music is from a Seeburg background music system.

This is the same type instrument used in all the first class restaurants and progressive corporations. The music blends with other sounds and lessens their effect yet relaxes the mind. Tests show that this improves work performance and stills tension. The music can be played at intervals; ten minutes of playing and ten of silence. Any interval can be used. The music will be piped to the entire Press Building.

Never try to reason prejudice out of a man. It was not reasoned into him and cannot be reasoned out.

Anyone who is comforted by the thought that only a lunatic would start another war doesn't realize how many lunatics there are.

strong has repeated this time and again, but have we learned to really believe it? The Work desperately needs laborers. Ambassador College was established to answer that need. Still it has not been filled!

Church brethren all across this land and in foreign countries are praying that God will send more men to carry this vital, end-age message to a dying world. That prayer has been answered! You are here!

But the same old attitude of, "But where do I fit in," is apparent. Why should this ever enter our mind?

"WHERE" we fit in the Work is not our problem! It confronts the ministry. And it is not a question of where anyway, but WHEN! Positions of service are wide open. There are no limitations of opportunity--this gospel must go to the ENTIRE world.

## World Watch

While the U. S. counts its dead from the Christmas season and nurses its hangover from celebrating on New Year's Eve, the world continues on its course toward "tohu and bohu." Belgium is torn by riots, which interrupted the honeymoon of its King, causing him to return from Spain to see what was wrong. No white man is safe in Katanga province, where two hundred people die daily from starvation. Laos is raging with civil war, and Russia is facing poor food crops and China is adding up the toll of the worst drought in 100 years!

In this country, while the F. B. I. is learning that crime rose 11% during the first nine months of this year, a court of appeals is busy releasing twenty members of a crime syndicate who had previously been convicted of conspiring to obstruct justice.

The Mid-western and Eastern sections of the country dig themselves out of blizzards, only to hear that the Weather Bureau is predicting more of the same. Even the deserts in California receive up to two inches of snow.

But one hesitates to go very far south to spend the winter. Castro--on the verge of being overthrown--continues his rumblings. Anti-American riots erupt in Venezuela and Equador. You get the impression that the U. S. isn't so popular.

One of the recent moves to curb the outflow of U. S. gold: U. S. military exchanges abroad were ordered to stop buying foreign liquors. . . So now that our troops can only get drunk on American whiskey some of our "lovers" are getting sober enough to see they don't really need us after all!

## PRIMROSE LANE

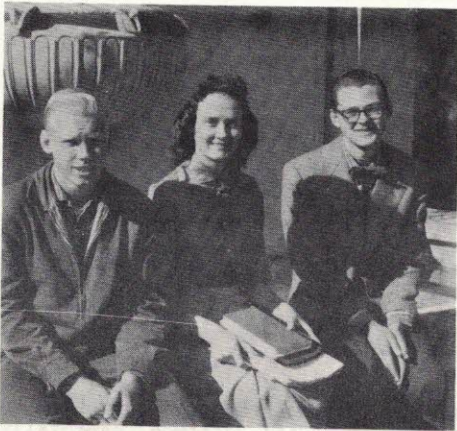
Pedestrians beware! You are now legal game between Mayfair and the Library if you don't tread the Primrose Path! Special rose-colored (installed on an experimental basis) gravel pathway has been laid to keep you from going either to the right or to the left. Use it...and don't laf.

Another recent campus addition has been an artificial mound at the summit of the artificial stream, strewn with real rocks to look natural, artificially. And to make it look more as if the stream were coming out of a real hillside. With plants scattered among the rocks Terrace Villa Mound will be both beautiful and useful. . . it also serves as an erosion deterrant.





Jim Ewing, of Seattle, Washington, has attended the church in that city since July 1959. He came to Ambassador to learn how to best serve God. His past desire to be a space pilot perhaps precipitated his interest in science and mathematics.



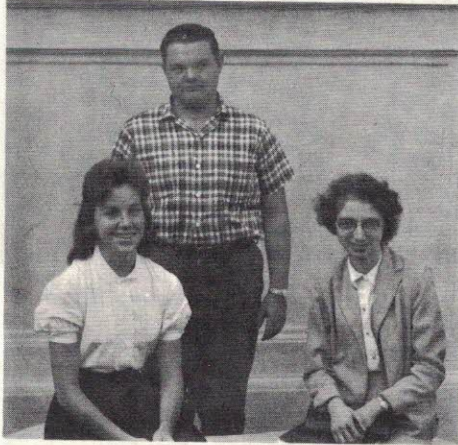
Four years of being New Jersey's state golf champion highlighted Gary Demarest's early life. He went to high school in Demarest, New Jersey with his major courses being mathematics and science. Gary can fly small aircraft, pick the guitar and play the drums.

The great outdoors, pack trips in the mountains, and horse breaking are all part of the background of Jean Counts. The mountains near Livingston, Montana, provided ample opportunity for trout fishing, and deer, moose, bear, and bird hunting. For eight years she has done the cooking for her family. She sings too!

Coming from a farm near Anoka, Minnesota, Albert Sweezo loves the outdoors, wildlife, plants and hard work. He was active in 4-H and F.F.A. and had his own greenhouse to raise many varieties of flowers and other plants.

Young wife to husband on streetcar: "If we miss two payments on the washing machine and one on the refrigerator, we'll have enough for a down payment on a television set."

Although Lucretia Leonard considers herself a Texan, she was born in Tennessee. She has spent the last thirteen years in Longview with her family of four brothers and two sisters. Lucretia has attended Imperial School in Gladewater for three years.



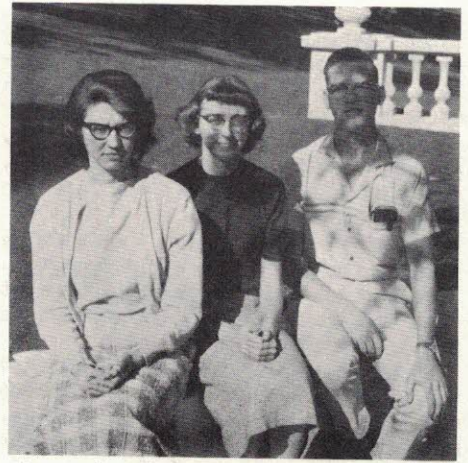
Born 1942 in Baltimore, Maryland, Ron McNeil migrated to High Point, North Carolina. During his junior year in high school, he earned a pilot license. Later, Ron worked as a DJ and radio announcer. His interests lie in mathematics, science, eating, and Spanish.

The Province of Nova Scotia, Canada bequeaths Margaret Silver to Ambassador College. Nursing, teaching, and civil service work are included in her varied occupational experiences. Margaret has received training in commercial business through a vocational school. She has also had training in the art of ballroom dancing for a space of three years from the Maritime Conservatory of music.



Charlotte Shepard, from Modesto, California, enjoys cooking and sewing. The first time she attended one of God's churches, she was impressed that there was no collection and no Sunday school.

A washing machine manufacturer insists that its product is a very handy instrument to use as a cocktail shaker when 100 or more guests unexpectedly show up.



Pennsylvania sends us Jeraldine (Jerry) Jones. In addition to raising and selling collies, she has taught herself how to play poker, knit and drive. Higher achievements in high school were awards for library service and journalism.

From the cool Province of Manitoba to the sunshine of Pasadena comes Eileen McKinley. She misses her former farming activities. At Branden College, Eileen studied psychology and natural science for three years. She enjoys drawing, reading, camping and driving tractors.

After his birth in Mississippi in 1942, Larry lived in all corners of the nation, from Oregon to Maryland, New Mexico to Alaska. Settling in, California, he finished high school at Imperial. He likes to design, swim, and has worked in a radio station editing tapes. Presently he is taking a course in engineering drafting.



MARJORIE EVANOW, twenty-four years a Chicagoan, has now joined the Ambassador family. She is a graduate of Northern Illinois University at Dekalb where she majored in physical education and art. After graduating she taught gym for a year at a grammar school in Fox Lake, Illinois.



As he finished "public" school (which actually is a private school) Anthony Buzzard of Guildford, Surrey, England, received a language scholarship to Oxford.

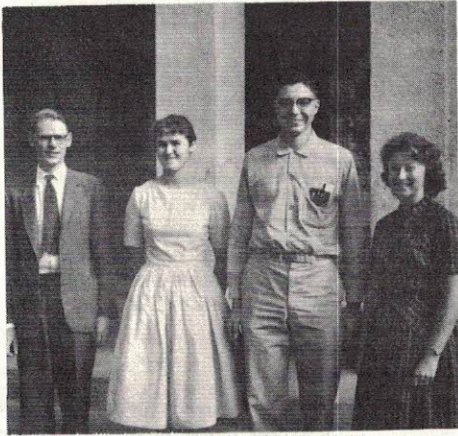
After spending time in the Navy, Anthony attended Oxford for a year, studying law. Then he was off to London to study music.

In 1957, just before re-entering Oxford, he heard the World Tomorrow. Because he believed the Bible meant what it said, he was pronounced a schizophrenic.

He spent three more years at Oxford studying French and German. Then he decided to enter Ambassador College. Mr. Armstrong suggested that he attend college in the U. S.

On her father's dairy farm in Albert, Kansas, Sandra Jo Bird grew up driving John Deere tractors and milking cows.

Sandra, iconoclast that she is, has no great affection for Elvis Presley. She does, however, like chesse cake, peanut butter, and semi-classical and good popular music.



If you chance upon a stray bridge on the Campus, you will know that Garland (mechanical engineer) Campbell was at work.

He comes to us from Marion, Virginia and two years at the University of Virginia. He liked to play Casey Jones by building model railroads.

Madeleine, born in Sussex, Wisconsin, 1941, helped in her father's restaurant in Clam Lake. During high school, she won awards for the accordion and piano. She dislikes interviews!!

Ina's Home Economics exam question: How do you test the temperature of a baby's bath?

Rita Butler: You fill the tub with water and put the baby in it. If the baby turns red, it's too hot. If the baby turns purple, it's too cold; and if the baby turns white, you know it needed a bath!

A METAL PLAQUE on the crest of California's 12-million ton Shasta Dam reads: "U. S. Government property. Do not remove!"

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Out of Kenosha, Wisconsin, home of the Nash Ambassador, comes Ambassador GARY ERVIN. From his birth in 1941, he was a winner. In second grade he won a turtle, in high school he won a county-wide essay contest, and last January he won his beautiful wife Linda.

JUDY GUNTER is one of the good things that has come from Las Vegas. Her earlier life was spent in Kennewick, Washington. In her more youthful days she had the opportunity of petting Roy Rogers' horse. Judy enjoys cooking, dancing, and pinochle.



BOB STEPHENS comes to us with a degree from Southern Illinois University and two children. He taught high school science for six years--and was head of his department for two. He attended the El Paso Church for one year.

Barbara Ann Ochs didn't plan to enter Ambassador until after her sister had completed a year. But after receiving a few letters from her sister telling how wonderful Ambassador is, Barbara remarked to Mr. Blackwell that she would come to Ambassador tomorrow if she had the chance. Mr. Blackwell said maybe something could be done about this. Soon after the Feast, Barbara along with her talent for playing the trumpet, French horn, and accordion, came to Ambassador College.

The beer capital of the world gives us GEORGE KEMNITZ. In high school he was at the top of his class, on the varsity track and wrestling teams and editor of his high school year book. George is the originator of the current fad of eating peanut-butter on raw cabbage.



Hard-riding Barbara Tisch, lover of horses and school work, comes to Ambassador with the second prize in a horse show and first prize in school attendance--no absences, no tardinesses! Her interests embrace boating and dancing, while her dislikes are cottage cheese and late dates.

Before learning about God's true church, David Locke attended church only once--to enter a contest. The contest was to see who could get the largest number of people to go to church. He won the contest.

David grew up in Oregon and northern California. He is interested in mathematics and science, especially electronics.



When she graduated from high school Dorothy Ochs had no intention of going to college. Then last winter she started attending the Milwaukee Church. Hearing of Ambassador, Dorothy began making plans for college.

Intoxication: feeling sophisticated without being able to spell it.



# Messiah - Grand Success



New IBM equipment in action!



Ambassador Chorale at its finest!

## IBM Installed

A tremendous converting process is now under way at the Press Building. With the installation of a new IBM system, gigantic strides toward more efficient and speedier work have been achieved.

Here is the step-by-step process. If you have ever belonged to a book of the month club, you know what an IBM card looks like. A special electric machine types pertinent information on the card.

Each city and state has a code number. This, together with the name, is indicated on the card by perforations on the card.

The card is then processed by a "verifier" which flashes on a red light if the code on the card doesn't agree with the proper address.

Next, the electronic printer goes into action. This machine duplicates the information found on the cards. The duplication is imprinted on a seemingly endless tape. On this tape is the name, address and status.

Then comes the final astonishing step. The clattering Address-o-Graph has been replaced by "Magnacraft," part of the IBM equipment.

Now we can run EIGHTEEN-THOUSAND PLAIN TRUTHS per hour--10,000 more than with the old machine! Each minute in operation, "Maggie"--as the machine has been dubbed, can label 300 addresses.

There will be less noise, fewer mechanical breakdowns and almost no torn or ripped P. T.'s. "Maggie" will also be able to handle the P. T. when a hard cover is added.

## Smirno Slushiate

Next semester a new language club will be added to the existing triumvirate. SMIRNOFF CLUB, as the Russian club has been affectionately dubbed.

GOSPODIN IAKOV LICHTENSTEIN, is slated to be the first CZAR. Besides him, there will be eleven other members to fill out the Russian round table.

This zealous group plans to assemble around the vodka bottle every Monday at Mayfair in the south west room.

Russian songs, some rollicking, some with a twinge of melancholy, will boom forth. Conversation will probably be staggered with long silences and short word breaks.

Not to be outdone by other clubs, the Russian club will have its own banner, the flag of the Russian Czars. It has three bands of color the length of the flag--white, blue, and red.

Our hats are off to the pioneer students of the Russian Club. TWO-HUNDRED MILLION RUSSIAN SPEAKING PEOPLE are waiting on you.

The finest and most inspiring rendition of the "Messiah" yet offered by the Ambassador Chorale was heard in Shakespeare Club Auditorium December 18th. Under the able direction of Mr. Leon Ettinger and accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Williams, the Chorale did its finest job ever!

The audience was more appreciative than any other audience listening to the "Messiah" at this season, because the spiritual meaning of the scriptural choruses and anthems was understood. Among the finest of the solo parts was Mr. Portune's moving narration, giving meaning and feeling and understanding to the words.

All are looking forward to the next time with eagerness...perhaps the Feast of Trumpets or the Feast of Tabernacles"

## Good Lux Time

Right at this time Radio Luxembourg is DONATING TIME FREE to the World Tomorrow Broadcast! Now, that is not sound business acumen. Why is this happening?

We are also on before the commencement of the official log! The significance of this is that no religious bigot can look at the log and know we are on Radio Luxembourg.

The announcer on Radio Luxembourg will state, "Now we have reached the end of our religious broadcasting time." THEN THE WORLD TOMORROW COMES ON THE AIR!

**Bigot, n.,** A person who is obstinately and zealously attached to an opinion different from your own.

Now is the time for all good men to come to!

## New Prospectus

Mr. Hunting and the Art Department are working on a new prospectus designed to illustrate the scope of the WORLD TOMORROW broadcast. More complete than the present one, the new prospectus will be self-explanatory.

From a radio station manager's point of view, the prospectus will explain the size of the work, the number of stations and watts used, and the personalities involved. It will show how the mail is handled and that the latest electronic office equipment is used. The character and educational value of the broadcast will be demonstrated.

The facilities in Gladewater, London, Sydney, and Pasadena will be shown. As well as picturing the campuses and student activities, the prospectus will explain that the colleges are solidly backed by the Radio Church of God.

Designed to be left with station managers, the prospectus will be printed by our own offset printing department at a nominal cost.





## Simon Settled

Just minutes before plane time, Lorelle rushed from the Administration Building, jumped into the car and was rushed to the airport.

At 9:20 A. M., December 15, she arrived in Australia for another portion of her life in God's Work. She will live with the Hammer's and be there to help with the new baby.

Some people will do anything to get out of finals.

## CONFERENCE

Should we go on T. V. soon? What about a new college in Gladewater? How can we afford to build the new tabernacle?

These and numerous other VITALLY important questions will be asked at the forthcoming ministerial conference.

Each year the ministers gather to discuss questions such as these and to make decisions which will ultimately effect the lives of every individual on the earth.

This year the conference will be even BIGGER than before. Ministers and their wives from ALL OVER THE WORLD will soon begin to arrive on campus. Australia, the Philippines, and perhaps even Africa will be represented.

Some of the questions discussed will involve MILLIONS of dollars while others will center around the lives and welfare of some of you who are reading this PORTFOLIO.

God's guidance is essential for the success of the meeting this year. Be sure YOU DO YOUR PART by asking for His direction in every thing that is said and done during the next ten days.

IT TOOK a lot of will power, but I've finally given up trying to give up smoking.

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## BULLETIN MAIL

Word has just been received from the mailing office in England of a record day of incoming mail--1,000 letters. The average has been 130 per day!

Most of this is response to the annual bulletin; nevertheless, this could be ONLY THE BEGINNING of an even greater rapidity of growth than we have at Headquarters.

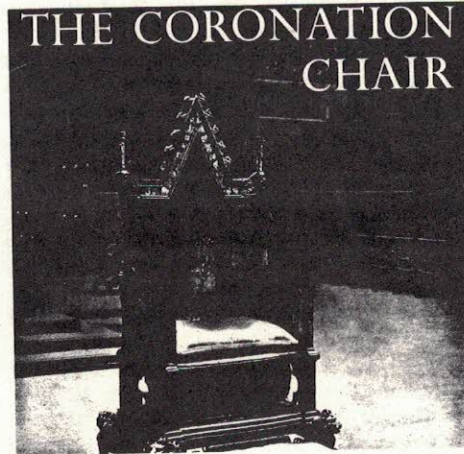
## Lain-Grabbe Union

Mr. Edward Lain and Miss Ina Lou Grabbe were married in the Lower Gardens on the first day of 1961 at ten o'clock in the morning.

Mr. Jon Hill officiated at the ceremony, asking God to bind them.

Jessie Emmett sang for the wedded pair as Mrs. Martin accompanied on the organ.

The best man was Richard Sedliacik and the maid of honor, Darlene Longwill.



In Westminster Abbey is an intriguing stone more important than all the crown jewels! This rock is not beautiful. It is steel gray in color, mixed with red veins, twenty-two inches long, thirteen inches broad and eleven inches deep. On it Elizabeth II was crowned.

Notice, appalling as it may seem, this disrespectful generation has carved its initials on this chair!

### Parking Bonanza Continued

To insure an activity fund for that year, the college is starting this winter to set aside \$300 from the parking receipts. This will insure the year of 65-66 of an \$1800 fund.

Egotist, n., A person of very low taste who is more interested in himself than me.

## SATANOCRACY

By Charles V. Dorothy

"The question is no longer 'Is the Bible true?' --but 'How much of the Bible is myth?'" So said a teacher of the teachers --a chief satanocrat, setting policy for "ministers of Christianity"!!

This type of "theology" typified the convention of the Society of Biblical Literature and Exegesis, which Mr. Hoeh and I attended in New York City, December 28-30. These meetings were dynamic fulfillments of prophecy, showing the corruption of God's Truth into Satan's myth! "They that handle the law HAVE FORGOTTEN ME."

The purpose of our trip was threefold: 1) to learn the newest trends of modern theology; 2) to personally meet and question leading scholars of our day; 3) to mine the resources of the fine New York libraries and obtain inter-library loan privileges. All goals were fulfilled to overflowing!

The opening address was given by Dr. Scott of Princeton, while the cigar and cigarette smoke was still clearing from the halls. He concluded that somehow we must come to know God, but not expect to understand how we know Him; hence we certainly CANNOT UNDERSTAND God Himself!! Truth is, after all, he concluded, only the accumulated wisdom of the race (human experience), the social order (human cosmos), and the ASPIRATIONS of the PEOPLE (vanity)!! This theme was admirably carried out--by halting, listless readers to a distracted audience--to its inevitable conclusion: CHAOS OF THOUGHT!

Subjects ranged from speculation about the most recent philosophy to exposing Matthew for deliberately twisting the scriptures! Truly, "Ye have PERVERTED the Words of the Living God" (Jer. 28:36).

As one leader put it, "We must be more vocal in training ministers and rabbis to teach their people not to believe in the inspiration of the Bible!"

Yes, SATAN RULES IN THEOLOGY! His ministers are furiously at work demythologizing the Bible--undermining the foundation of Truth. Are you furiously at work proving, uncovering and restoring the Truth?? For you, is it Satanocracy, or Theocracy?

A Jew couldn't untie his camel on the Sabbath unless he used only one hand!

The Jews couldn't eat an egg that was laid on the Sabbath.