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Chorale To Make Three Day Tour

Chorale Officers Chosen

Just recently, the chorale officers were chosen. Dave Albert will be the president. Garland Campbell will act as scribe and keeper-of-the-bag-his duty, secretary and treasurer. Dennis Pyle was slated as production manager. Cute co-ed Carol Judy was appointed as librarian.

Shouts and applause echoed through the Assembly Hall, November 14. Dave Albert, Chorale President, announced that the Chorale will take a three day tour of central California this December!

The singers will pour into busses Friday morning, December 7, and go



Dennis Pyle



Campbell



Carol Judy Letting Dave Albert to Oakland. There they will sing special music for the Sabbath services. That afternoon they will sing for the church (Continued on Page 7)



FIRST EDITION OF LA PURE VERITE

Mr. Dibar Apartian heads French work

An ever-growing mailing list - currently THREE THOUSAND STRONG demanded a monthly magazine to maintain sustained interest in listeners' minds. The bulk of the response has issued out

of France.

But recently, a new area of the globe - MARTINIQUE (population, 267,-000), the West Indies — has been bombarded with the French World Tomorrow Broadcast. The response has been phenomenal. In one week alone TWENTY NINE people wrote to the work. This included three Seventh Day MINISTERS!! Here is an excerpt from a letter one of them wrote to Mr. Dibar Apartian — the voice of Le Monde a Venir.

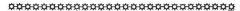
"After Having been a member of the Adventist Church for TWELVE YEARS, I have turned in my letter of resignation . . . the knowledge of this has passed quickly among the people

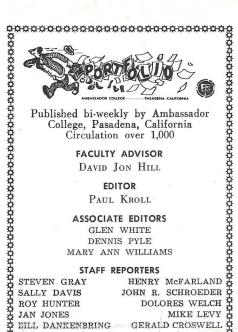
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Imperial Selects Student Council

For the first time in the history of Imperial Schools, Pasadena Imperial High School now has its own student body officers! This body convenes once a week to consider student problems and present them to the faculty, and to plan extra-curricular activities.

The officers are Randy Kobernat, president; Judd McCormick, vice-president; Melanie Harford, secretary; Otto Lochner and Pat Armstrong, upper class representatives; and Ronnie Dick and Karroll Thomas, lower class representatives.





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(Continued from Page 1) here . . . we are in need of any and all instruction necessary to strengthen

"The deception of the Seventh Day Adventists has greatly influenced our wives who are not yet able to understand the true Gospel, especially such is the case with my wife and children, but I am standing firm through the grace of God."

French Mailing List Grows

Some ONE HUNDRED and TWENTY FIVE people are currently on the mailing list in Martinique.

The French division of God's Work receives SEVENTY FIVE LETTERS each week! Response letters in from France, first of all - but many letters have been post-marked — Switzerland, Belgium, Luxembourg — and of course Martinique. Only in Canada has the interest been scanty and weak. Catholicism so dominates the French-Canadian mind that it cannot conceive of any church differing from Catholic tradition.

Background Work on La Pure Verite Begins

At present, Mr. Apartian is translating Dr. Hoeh's article on the "2300 days" prophecy in Daniel. This is a part of Adventist dogma that is confusing to Editorial

DO IT NOW! by Floyd O. Lochner

No matter who you are—what you are, or may have been. No matter how many preparatory advantages you may have enjoyed. No matter how blessed you may be so far as education, native intelligence, or money are concerned—you will have UPS and DOWNS!

Life involves stamina, courage, and technique. Trying to escape reality gets you nowhere.

Face facts and the realities of life as you find them! Learn how to adjust yourself to change! This doesn't appear to be difficult, yet how many of you strive to fulfill it? How many of you face a problem—when it rears its head?

The more often you become a fugitive from reality—on the run as it were—the more you will tend to run away from your problems in the future. At first you may think you are pretty smart, that you successfully avoided the issues involved and saved your skin. The escape route seems always the logical way out, the pleasant method of withdrawal. If you do this-you are heading for CHARACTER BANKRUPTCY!!!

Face facts, be realistic, and remain unafraid.

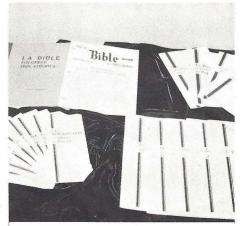
What about today's character test, can you pass it? Have you withstood the onslaught of your weaknesses! Have you stood your ground? Defeated your enemy? Or have you retreated in abject defeat—escaping into the sanctuary of the "I'll-do-it-tomorrow" attitude?

Learn to face your problems-now!

those coming out of that false church.

However, definite work has begun on the French PLAIN TRUTH. For example, the explanation concerning our ithas-already-been-paid-for literature policy is being translated.

Two volumes of the Child's Bible Story are now translated into French. A chapter from this bible story will be a must for every issue of LA PURE VERITE! Mr. Apartian will write one or two articles for each issue. These will be the jist of program transcriptions. Others will be translations of articles extant in English which have appeared



Our supply of French literature makes an impressive display.

in past issues of the PLAIN TRUTH.

The whole process of setting up headlines, typing and adjusting the margins, photographing, and printing will BE DONE RIGHT ON THE CAMPUS!!

Remember, that date — THIS JUNE! If all goes well - and according to God's will, over three thousand sample copies of the newest foreign language PLAIN TRUTH—LA PURE VERITE - will be mailed to the descendents of Reuben!!

Mr. Hammer Dies

We are sorrowed by the recent death of a very faithful servant of God -Mr. Roy Hammer.

Mr. Hammer was in a coma for many days. He experienced no pain as he died "in a good old age" of 64 - as is mentioned of David II Chron. 32.

As Abraham, Peter, and the Apostle Paul, who DIED — Mr. Hammer has the promise of his salvation and reward in just a few short years.

We know that death is an enemy! That a sudden separation from loved ones is a sorrowful experience. Our feelings and prayers are with the Hammer family - especially Mrs. Hammer.

"There is a time to dance..."



Showboat - Theme for the Sophomore Ball - sparked some top notch entertainment. And right out in front dances "Dirty Dan" Hunter himself - corsage, girl, black eyebrows and all.



"Dirty Dan" of Girl-Good Guy-Nasty Landlord soap opera days tries to woo away sweet young thing with much-ado-about-nothing spiel.



Freddie Gray and Band fill Glendale Moose Lodge with good dancin' music.



Larry Walker isn't walking and neither is Paula Hegvold losing her hold as they twirl at Moose Lodge.

MEET THE AMBASSADOR COLLEGE FRESHMEN

ARLENE MANBECK became interested in Ambassador College through her older sister, who led her to read the PLAIN TRUTH. She had the opportunity later to attend the Akron Church. Arlene gained much cooking experience as a food handler at Wright Patterson AFB at Dayton, Ohio. Writing letters and playing the clarinet are two of her main interests.



Arlene Manbeck

BEVERLY BOGART, a girl of many interests and talents, has come to Ambassador directly from a New Jersey high school. Her hobbies include sports, playing the trumpet, and cooking. In high school she was active in band, chorus, Drama Club, girl's sports, Girl's Leaders, Travel Club, the school newspaper, and the school yearbook.

In December 1960, Beverly's father first listened to the broadcast and soon she too became interested. She and her father were able to attend the New York Church before coming to Pasadena. Her father is now a math teacher in Imperial High School.

Henriette Nikolajew

Just before coming to Ambassador College, KAREN JOHNSON worked as a Comptometer operator and IBM keypuncher. In high school she was active in both Spanish Club and German Club, as well as the Nurses Club and the choir. Originally, Karen comes from Michigan, but because her father is in the Navy, she spent several years living in Newfoundland before coming to Pasadena.

Karen first heard of God's Truth in 1959 through another Ambasador student and has since been attending the Headquarters Church.



Originally from Eisfield, Germany, HENRIETTE NIKOLAJEW, has studied

four foreign languages - Russian,

French, German, and Latin. She was

also on the yearbook staff and in the

choir and history club in high school.

Among these other talents, she also

Henriette has been living in Passaic, New Jersey, where she heard the World

Tomorow and read the PLAIN TRUTH

plays the piano!

magazine.

Karen Johnson



Marjorie Eaton

Beverly Bogart

Sarah Bruns

Coming to us from the San Antonio Church of God is SARAH BRUNS. Sarah spent one year at the Schreiner Institute before coming to Ambassador. She enjoys practically everything including hiking and bicycle riding.

PHILLIS DAVEY hails from Bisbie, Arizona. She attended the Tucson-Phoenix Church after hearing the Broadcast five years ago. Among Phillis' extra activities, she plays the piano.

From way up north in Aurora, South Dakota comes MARJORIE ANN EAT-ON. Marjorie came in contact with the Truth through the Broadcast one year ago. She surely has done a great many things, but one stands out: she makes fancy deserts!



They told him it couldn't be done. With a smile, he went right to it. He tackled the thing that couldn't be done,

And he couldn't do it.



Phillis Davey

Brenda Jones

The girl with the soft Virginia accent is Miss BRENDA JONES. Brenda used to be a typist for the United States Continental Army Command. She first became acquainted with the broadcast over nine years ago through her grandfather.

MEET THE AMBASSADOR COLLEGE FRESHMI

DON EDWARD DAVIS, born in Carbondale, Illinois, July 2, 1938, participated in science club, band, photography club, and science fair projects while in high school. He attended Southern Illinois University before coming to Ambassador, receiving a B.A. in math, with a physics minor. Don first heard the World Tomorrow in 1959, became interested and went to the Dallas Church before coming to Pasadena.



Steve Komaransky

STEVE KOMARANSKY came into contact with God's Truth through The World Tomorrow program in September, 1959. Being a Canadian, he was avidly active in hockey, softball and soccer. Steve was a clerk with the Hudson Bay Company at Auden, Ontario before coming to Ambassador.



Sharon Couchman

SHARON COUCHMAN was a nursing enthusiast before coming to Ambassador College. She became acquainted with this Work in 1957 through her parents. Among her favorite activities are camping, sports, and sewing.

"It seems so easy to make an honest living—there's so little competition."



Robert Wann Don Davis Lawrence Carlson

Oklahoma born, BOB WANN acquired the love for the great outdoors and active sports which he still enjoys. Before coming to California, Bob graduated from Eastern Oklahoma AM Junior College. He heard the Broadcast at a very young age and proved the Truth for himself. Bob is eagerly looking forward to his college career.



Ken Martin AL PORTUNE is a graduate of our own Imperial High School in Pasadena. During high school Al was very active in sports - basketball, baseball, hunting and fishing. Al also developed an interest in building models. He first learned of the true church in 1956.

Cleveland, Ohio was the birthplace of KENNETH M. MARTIN. He was very active in high school as an audio-visual teacher, student variety show performer, and science lab assistant. One of his better known talents is playing the piano. Ken has spent his off-hours compiling a scrapbook of world events in the light of Bible prophecy. He was drawn into God's Work through the thundering World Tomorrow program.

Few people have received the college training and travel experience of MR. LAWRENCE A. CARLSON. Mr. Carlson attended the Lutheran Bible Institute and Theological Seminary, and later served five years in the South Pacific as a Lutheran minister.

After attending the Radio Church of God in Tacoma, Washington for two years, he received his acceptance into Ambassador College.



Oleh Karpówycz Noom

OLEH KARPOWYCZ became interested in this work through the radio in 1960. He was then an electronics designer for the Zenith Radio Corp. He came to us from the La Grange church of God, but he came to the La Grange church from Czerniwci, Ukraine.



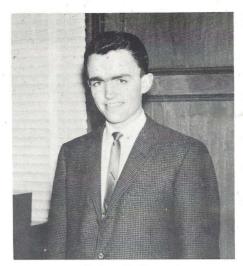
Dennis Schaefer

DENNIS W. SCHAEFER first read of God's Truth in an article in Capper's Farmer in 1958. Before coming to us, Dennis was a farmer in Tripp, South Dakota. His hobbies include hunting and horseback riding.

He that would have what he hath not should do what he doeth not.



Mr. Pestana, head of Portuguese Department.



Graham Davies, assistant

Eighty Million Listener Potential

Brazil Is Ripe!

The two gigantic doors of Radio and the printed page now used by God's Work will soon open up in many nations hithertofore not reached with the Gospel. The potential of this media of mass evangelism is inspiring yet sobering.

Notice for example, the potential and amount of work involved in reaching about eighty million people that speak Portuguese.

There are EIGHTY MILLION people that speak Portuguese! The first door—radio—can open up in the largest Latin American country—Brazil. This country has a total of 920 radio stations. Many of these allow religious broadcasting daily.

There are over 7,500,000 radio receivers in the country. With a rough estimate of four people per receiver—42% of the population can be reached through the door of radio. This percentage is bigger, of course, in the cities.

The potential of the printed page, through *The Reader's Digest*, is also very promising. *The Reader's Digest* circulation in Portuguese presently stands at 465,000 — almost HALF A MILLION!

As God's Work now leaps ahead in these 9 or so years that remain to finish this work, the part to be played by the language departments become increasingly more evident.



"Isolation booths, you say?"

Language Lab Moves

Ray Fisk has engineered another wonder! Those of you students who speak in foreign tongues know what it is. Mr. Fisk and his crew, in one fell swoop, MOVED the language lab from Murphy House to the CATACOMBS of Mayfair! If you wonder where the tapes went—try the Mayfair basement!

Mail Receivers Blast Press Men

"Whack!" "Boom!" "Take home, Jim, take home!"

Last Saturday night these sounds rang through the night air as the Mail Receiving softball team collided *head on* with another team from the confines of the Press Building!

What a game! Pulling an astounding comeback from previous defeats this year, the scrappy Mail Receiving Ten managed to torpedo, bomb, and sink their over-confident opponent! Behind steady, consistent pitching that held the Press men to nine meager runs, the rugged Mail Readers blasted the "socks" off the softball with everybody hitting! Flurries of Reader runs poured across home plate. The final score was TWENTY FOUR to nine!!

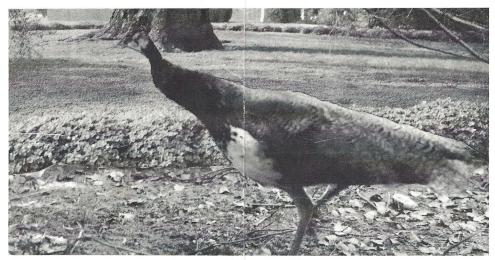
Library Adds New Volumes

Have you taken time lately just to browse through the library and note the ASTOUNDING expansion and changes that have taken place? Shelves are bulging with new and used books! In the past three years the number of volumes has soared from about four thousand to FOURTEEN THOUSAND!

One of the latest additions to the library is a modern display case in the hallway of the second floor. Rare and ancient manuscripts will be exhibited in this glass case. Not only those rare manuscripts, but also the first issues of The PLAIN TRUTH and other such valuable and interesting articles. Come and see them!



Students study under shadows of bulging bookshelves.



"Hmm . . . Home was never like this!"

Chorale Circuit

(Continued from Page 1) in Sacramento.

Sunday morning they will leave Sacramento and present a concert in Fresno that afternoon! The Fresno church will hear two sacred numbers and a cantata, followed by special selections from the 1962 spring concert.

This trip means more than just singing. Most of the brethren in these churches have not heard the Chorale for TWO YEARS — and many newer brethren, never!

This trip will be a real opportunity for Chorale members to let their lights *shine*! It will be a chance to bring *joy* into the hearts of God's people!

Rockford Shows Great Potential

This summer the Superintendent over the Chicago and Midwest area, Pastor Dean C. Blackwell, began holding Bible Studies in Rockford, Illinois for the scattered brethren around that area.

The first meeting, in a beautiful and comfortably air-conditioned hall, was attended by 83 people. By the third meeting, the attendance had grown to 88, which justified the belief that this area will grow quite rapidly.

Several members and Deacons from the Chicago and La Grange Churches have attended the Bible studies, held every other Sunday. It is indeed a blessing to see some of the scattered members of the body of Christ being fed.

Portfolio Office Finds New Home

At last the PORTFOLIO office has moved to the building at 261 Vernon Street. For many years the PORTFOLIO was produced in the basement of Mayfair. Recently, the office moved to the house adjoining the future handball court.

This last(?) move will greatly aid the publishing of the PORTFOLIO, your newspaper. For the first time, the staff of photographers will have an ample darkroom in which to work. A centralized filing system will, at last, be pos-



Kroll and Levy—blood, sweat and tears at midnight.

sible. All the paste-up work will be done in the same area. In fact, every phase of PORTFOLIO production, except the printing will be handled inside the same building!

College Campus Comes Alive With Peacocks

"Among the natural products of the land of Tarshish which Solomon's fleet brought home to Jerusalem mention is made of *peacocks*". (I Ki:10:22 and II Chr. 9:21).

"The Hebrew word is of foreign origin . . . Sir E. Tennent . . . says, 'It is very remarkable that the terms by which these articles (ivory, apes, and peacocks) are designated in the Hebrew Scriptures are identical with the Tamil names, by which some of them are called in *Ceylon* to the present day . . . '"

"Peacocks are called, 'Persian birds' by Aristophanes, Aves, 484."

"Peacocks were doubtless introduced into Persia from India or Ceylon; perhaps their first introduction dates from the time of Solomon; and they gradually extended into Greece, Rome, and Europe generally.

The ascription of the quality of vanity to the peacock is as old as the time of Aristotle, who says, (*Hist. An.* i. 1, p. 15), 'Some animals are *jealous* and *vain like the peacock!*'

And now, two new, year-old blue peacocks have been introduced to the Ambassador College campus! Although the birds are now "caged in" next to the gardening garage, they will be *liberated* within six to eight weeks to wander freely on the campus.

The male peacock will start making "noises" next summer. Both birds will feather out next year, and mature in two years.



BODY BANDIER spit type apparatus keeps bed thrasher from wearing out covers as well as himself.

DON'T TAKE IT EASY!

by Karen Curtis

The drone of an airplane engine woke me with a start. I jumped on my horse and rode to the middle of the meadow. The small mountain plane droned up the canyon and disappeared. Then, against the clear blue sky, I saw it circle a ridge and head back to town.

That circle was the clue I had been waiting for. It was a signal from my brother that there was a lost band of sheep on the top of that ridge. In two hours I was riding up a green draw, dotted with clumps of Quaker and Pine. The world lay before me as far as the eye could see into a hazy blue distance. The bright golden yellow, red, purple and green brought my eye back to the surrounding hills.

I knelt down and drank some sparkling water from a spring at the base of a rock. The day was about spent, and my little mare was getting tired. Duty called, so I rode on.

JINGLE, CLANG, CLANG. Quiben—my horse—bolted and I slapped leather. An old wooly ewe looked up lazily, wondering what all the commotion was. All she had done was shake the big tin bell hanging around her neck. Thirty-two head of ewes and lambs were ten miles from home and just as contented as ever.

If you have ever tried to tell a selfrighteous man he is wrong, you will understand the mind of a sheep. They had their minds made up that the feed was better in that draw, and they were not about to leave. But with the help of Harry, my dog, I got them down the first mountain by dark. (My patience was also five hours richer.)

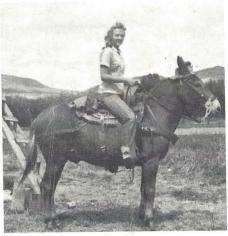
It was useless to try and make it home, so I gathered enough wood to keep me warm until morning, picketed Quiben and curled up in my saddle blanket for the night.

The mist from the creek filled the still air, and the coolness of fall set in. It was a clear night. The sky was dotted with stars. Looking up through the tall pines, and listening to a lonesome coyote

howl, I was sure thankful there was a God in heaven. At daylight the rumblings in my stomach told me it had not been fed since day light the morning before.

By two in the afternoon, we were going down the last draw. The sheep had finally decided it was easier to go home than to fight Harry and me.

That good home-made bread sure tasted delicious after a couple of days in the saddle. Life in the mountains can be rough! At times it becomes downright TOUGH! Having lived in this type of an area — and having experienced these things makes me appreciate how pleasant life is here at Ambassador College.



Karen kicks Quiben for College.



FALL FOOLER simple device for preventing absent-minded student from falling into open manholes.

Modern Critics Show That Adam & Eve Ate

_HOW MANY APPLES?

How many apples did Adam and Eve eat? Some say Eve 8 and Adam 2—a total of 10 only. Now we figure the thing out differently. Eve 8 and Adam 8 also—total 16.

And yet the above figures are entirely wrong. If Eve 8 and Adam 82, certainly the total would be 90. Scientific men, however, reason something like this: Eve 81 and Adam 82—total 163.

Wrong again; what could be clearer than, if Eve 81 and Adam 812, the total was 893.

If Eve 811st and Adam 812, would not the total be 1,623.

The following is another solution: Eve 814 Adam, Adam 8124 Eve—total 8,938.

Still another calculation is as follows: If Eve 814 Adam, Adam 81242 oblige Eve—total 82056. We think this however, not a sufficient quantity. For though we admit that Eve 814 Adam, Adam if he 818242 keep Eve company—total 8,182,056.

All wrong. Eve, when she 81812 many, and probably she felt sorry for it, but her companion, in order to relieve her grief, 812. Therefore, when Adam 8181424fy Eve's depressed spirit. Hence both ate 81,896,864 apples.

Ping Pong Champ !!

Ping pong balls streaked, rattled, and banged across the ping pong table down in Ambassador Hall! The tournament was on! All Sunday afternoon the contestants persevered. Finally experience and skill began to tell. The "Old Pro," Allan Bullock — after almost being put out of the tournament with an early defeat — came back, dusted off the last, beleaguered players, and copped the trophy. The last men to succumb to the "Bullock lightning ball" were Vincent Noga, Dick Ames, and Larry Neff! Congratulations to the new CHAMPION!

ARCHAIC —

We can't have ARCHAIC and eat it too.

LOQUACIOUS —

She bumped into me and I told her to LOQUACIOUS going.