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New Era of Good News Here



Stage two of Good News Rocket — assembling the loose ends.

Portfolio Reports

Personal Highlights From Recent European Voyage

A Portfolio reporter was able to directly interview Mr. Leslie McCullough—who had recently returned from Europe. Mr. McCullough had many astounding facts concerning Europe—and personal facts about Ambassador, UK!

"When a small man casts a long shadow, the sun is about to set. Britain is going down, you can't miss it", Mr. Leslie L. McCullough said. This was after he had returned with Mr. Garner Ted Armstrong from the two week trip to England and Continental Europe.

"The rising giant of Germany is making astounding gains both economically and militarily. Their immediate plans call for 1500 heavy armored vehicles with five inch rapid-fire artillery weapons. The German army is already over THREE-HUNDRED-FIFTY THOUSAND and could *easily* be quadrupled to almost ONE-MILLION FIVE-HUNDRED THOUSAND in six months if the Germans put a compulsory draft law into effect—which they are *definitely planning*.

"Unbelievable as it may seem, the Germans have in their Air Force, Starfire Jets which are *superior* to anything the U.S. has", continued Mr. McCullough.

"When Mr. Ted Armstrong and I were in Cologne, we saw a shrapnel-pitted, (Continued on Page 8)

Mr. Herbert W. Armstrong recently announced several important policy changes affecting the GOOD NEWS. Because of the many highly important jobs Dr. Hoeh must perform, he was only able to give The GOOD NEWS tenth or twelfth priority on his time.

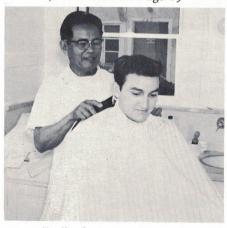
Therefore, Mr. Hill was appointed to the demanding job of Managing Editor of The GOOD NEWS, with the definite assignment of this job taking top priority on Mr. Hill's ever-increasing list of important responsibilities in God's Church.

Plans have been laid for the improved (Continued on Page 8)

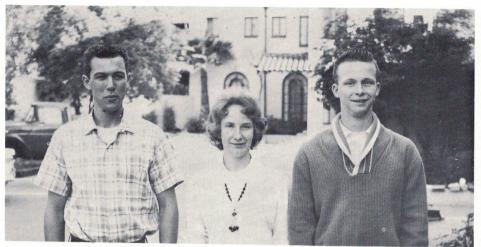
Eddy Koo-Hedge To Head Clipper

Are you men completely nonpulsed because you cannot find time in your schedule for a hair cut?

Mr. Eddie Koo, erstwhile barber of many years experience, is setting up (Continued on Page 8)



Mr. Koo begins cutting up.



Bill Bradford, Sarah Hanson, Kerry Cooper

"The Big Five" - Off To England

"What did I do right?" This was the perplexing question written on **Bill Bradford's** face when Mr. Herbert Armstrong belted him with "Englandbound!"

Two years ago a group of Imperial students had to talk their tongues into knots to coerce Bill to apply for Ambassador College. He didn't think his grades measured up. He wanted to join the Air Force instead!

Hailing from the cotton patches of Louisiana, Bill plans to bolster up his nostalgia by returning home for the Passover break.

Some students think it's a crying shame. The only good thing that ever came from New Orleans — and we send him to England!

"My mouth was agape!" was Sarah Hanson's reaction to the announcement by Mr. Herbert Armstrong that she was to go to England.

Sarah, an Imperial student for seven years, hails from Longview, Texas. Her mother, after listening to the broadcast for some time, was baptized in 1954. That year Sarah entered Imperial School in Gladewater.

When The WORLD TOMORROW broadcast was on television, Sarah received a Bible for having her question repeated over the air. She asked what would happen to little children in the kingdom if they sinned.

The trip to England will really broaden Sarah's experiences. "The farthest east I've ever been is Louisiana."

Having been given to understand that freshmen were never chosen as exchange students, **Kerry Cooper** had dismissed all thoughts of any such thing happening to him. Needless to say, he was shocked (pleasantly!) at the news that he, a freshman, was chosen to be one of the five Pasadena Ambassadors to study at Bricket Wood next year.

Originally from Decatur, Ill., Kerry first came in contact with the work of God through his brother Duane, in 1953. Five years later in 1958, he began four years at Imperial Schools in Pasadena. Among his activities was included a stint as editor of the Hi-Lites.

Among Kerry's other interests is track, especially the hi-jump and the pole vault.

"What a surprise! I'm so confused, awed, and surprised that I don't know what to do with myself!" Paula Hegvold bubbled over after hearing the news that she was among the chosen few to be sent to England. Never having ventured from home for longer than two weeks, Paula was stultified at the thought of this novel voyage.

Ever since seeing slides of England in the autumn, with leaves strewn picturesquely along the rustic country scenery, Paula yearned longingly to visit England.

Are there any misgivings? Yes — Paula says that her mother will literally "cry her head off" when she leaves. However, America's loss is England's gain.

Bob Dick arrived in Mrs. Swaney's office and sat down wondering why he was there.

The elevator door opened and in walked a bewildered Kerry with a look of anxiety. Moments passed. More anxiety. More tension . . . More people! Bill, Sarah and Paula added the strength that comes with numbers. By now Bob surmised that he was going to England.

Very soon after, Mr. Armstrong came in. He broke the news that the five would be drinking tea instead of coffee at college next year.

Later he telephoned his mother and said, "They—ah, ah . . . "



How To Be A Better Student

Due to much interest we are printing an article containing the basic points of Dr. Hoeh's recent assembly. In this assembly, Dr. Hoeh explained how to be a more effective student.

In a recent college assembly, Dr. Herman L. Hoeh gave the student body of Ambassador College some vital KEYS to being a successful *student*, academically.

Begin With Basics

Using illustrations from his own experience, Dr. Hoeh pointed out that we must begin with the basic requirements of any subject, and master the fundamentals first. After that, he declared, we should branch out and master the details and complexities of the subject.

Intellectual Curiosity

Another vital key mentioned was intellectual curiosity. However, Dr. Hoeh warned, we must learn to avoid extremes. We should not flippantly attach ourselves to any and every new idea that flitters about. On the other hand, we should not be oblivious to new concepts. Each student needs a balanced sense of academic curiosity!

Build Knowledge Step By Step

Another factor pointed out in the lecture was that knowledge is built up step by step. Environment and heredity are paramount factors in the ability of every individual to learn. Dr. Hoeh affirmed that we do not all progress at the same rate, intellectually, just as we do not all mature at the same rate. Neither is the learning progress, he declared, steady and continual. Rather, our level of learning progresses by sudden jumps, leaping from plateau to plateau. One such leap occurs at puberty and another occurs around the age of seventeen. Most men reach a further stage or peak after two or so years in college.

These factors in academic ability are vital to success at Ambassador College. Dr. Hoeh exhorted every student to analyze the *value* of what he is studying—and to remember these KEYS to academic success and APPLY them at Ambassador College!



Bob Fahey - Sixth Envoy to England

Bob Fahey Sixth Envoy

"Bob Fahey, stand up!" said Mr. Ted Armstrong. Then in the back of the auditorium, with trembling knees and heart flapping in his chest, Bob stood up. "YOU'RE GOING TO ENGLAND!" With those words all the students broke out in uproarious applause and Bob fumbled for his seat and sat down in a haze.

Everyone on campus congratulated Bob with gusto and were pleased to their toes that he had the opportunity before him. Not only will it be an asset to his own personal development and background, but it will be a TERRIFIC addition to the college in England.

Simon Maggot Resurrects Dead Spanish Club Member

Life stirred the Spanish Club, Wednesday, February 26, as over eighty members of the Club practised "la lengua espanola." Soon after club began, 'hombre' Darryl Henson rebelled against the President of the Club. Peace was restored as he was "cut down" by the Sergeant-at-Arms, pistol-packing Leo Robinson. It seemed the rebellion was nipped in the bud.

But Alas! SIMON MAGGOT (a la Pablo Kroll) stepped into the act! This ancient patriarch — complete with skull cap, brown—flowing toga, and unholy water, "resurrected" Darryl Henson and brought him back into the Club claiming he had repented of his abortive rebellion. Dubious, Club officials crowded threateningly around the pair to see if it could be true.

Had Darryl repented?

He was accepted back into the good graces of the Club, when it was discovered his dues were paid up.

Meanwhile "Simon" Kroll sprinkled "holy water" liberally around the Club, passing out benedictions freely with it. BUT WAIT!! A later check on the check book showed that Darryl Henson had NOT paid his dues! Pistols cracked and smoke billowed as once again the rebel was sent to tombstone territory —

this time accompanied by his sidekick Simple Simon!

Good riddance to two notorious hombres — the officials of the Spanish Club now hope for PEACE ("paz, paz, paz!") throughout the indefinite future!

God's Ministers As Students

Do you find your brain taxed to imagine how some of the leading men in God's Work appeared when they first arrived on the Ambassador College Campus as freshmen?

Think of Mr. Ron Kelly in the autumn of 1956:

"He is five feet ten inches tall and was an athlete while attending Pueblo High School last year. Besides his primary interest in athletics, Ron likes popular music."

For example, can you visualize the dashing figure of Mr. Bill McDowell as he arrived on the Ambassador College Campus in 1956? Straight from Texas with practically no knowledge of the Radio Church of God, the Portfolio of Oct. 26, 1956 says of him:

"What—another Texan! This was the (Continued on Page 7)



Dr. Bill Saltine

Dear Dr. Saltine: Most pictures of angels depict them as being women. Is there a scripture that disproves this theory?

MY ANSWER: Yes! We know angels are not women because there are no women in heaven. Revelation 8:1 says ". . . there was silence in heaven about the space of half an hour."

Dear Dr. Saltine: How can we know when the Last Days are here?

MY ANSWER: II Tim. 3:1-7 answers this question quite clearly: "This know also, that in the last days men shall be lovers of natural affection, lovers of those that are good, lovers of God, having godliness and power thereof. They will be ever learning, and come to the knowledge of the truth" (from New Modern Translation, by Higher Critics Society of Germany).

Dear Dr. Saltine: Who was the first woman farmer mentioned in the Bible?

MY ANSWER: Hagar was, for when she fled into the wilderness (Gen. 16:7), she planted crops. "The angel of the Lords said until her" (verse 10) "I will multiply thy *seed* exceedingly, that it shall not be numbered for multitude."

Dear Dr. Saltine: Who was the shortest man in the Bible?

MY ANSWER: Bildad the Shuhite (Job 8:1).

Dear Dr. Saltine: Yesterday my husband informed me that we are taking a hunting trip. Since killing is against God's law, I berated him. Realizing, that I should always be in subjection to him, I said I'd go, but would not enjoy the trip at all, nor would I enjoy watching poor little innocent deer being mercilessly shot to death. To this he replied "I'll make you eat your words." What should I say to him?

MY ANSWER: Job 6:3 gives you the Biblical example of what you should say: "... my words are swallowed up."

A reformer is a man who rides through a sewer in a glass-bottomed boat.



"Who says married life makes you soft?"

Married Students Day Out

God's Ministers As Students

(Continued from Page 5) general remark when Bill McDowell was introduced to the other students of Ambassador College . . .

"Bill, now 21 years old, has had two years of college and is classified as a Junior. His favorite sport is basketball in which he lettered four years in high school . . .

"Bill made one remark, which was in French, about the college, 'C'est Bon! (It's good!)"

In composing, as a general rule, run your pen through every other word you have written; you have no idea what vigor it will give your style.

Doctors pour drugs of which they know little, to cure diseases of which they know less, into human beings of whom they know nothing. Marriage — Ambassador's hottest dilemma — was a real advantage on Sunday March 3. Under the clear skies and white clouds of that weekend, the "old folks"—Ambassador's married students —made their way to Washington Park. It was *Picnic* time!

Soon the biggest collection of sandlot duds you've ever seen were powdering the horsehide on the softball diamond. Babe Ruth never saw such "pro's." The ball was in the bushes or over the fence more than it was on the field.

Not wanting to be out-done by the men, the wives were having a go at a brisk—ouch!—game of volleyball. The wee ones found the sand pile far more amusing!

And then the food — and what food! Barbecued hot dogs, potato salad (yes, Mr. Clark was there), fresh pumpkin pie, ice-cold apple cider, chocolate chip cookies!

It was a terrific day. The married students had come ready for fun. They left at four—still happy—but SORE!