

Volume 13, Number 5

December 30, 1963

Third Press Due In February

A THIRD new press is to be added to the ever-growing resources of the Ambassador College Press. Primarily it is to be used with the new web press to print the cover of *The* PLAIN TRUTH.

The capabilities of this new press are astounding. It will print EIGHT full nine-by-twelve pages on one large 25½ by 38 inch sheet of paper. This means that four separate covers for The PLAIN TRUTH can be printed with two colors of ink on one sheet of paper. The press runs 7,000 impressions an hour. With four covers on one sheet, this means it will print 28,000 PLAIN TRUTH covers in ONE HOUR.

With this new offset, no longer will two runs though the press be required in order to achieve a two-color page. This two-color printing is possible be-

(Continued on page 8)



Pasadena — Headquarters of the Work of God

Headquarters Welcomes Ministers

From all around the face of the earth—AUSTRALIA, ENGLAND, CANADA, and all parts of the United States, God's ministers gather for the annual MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE.

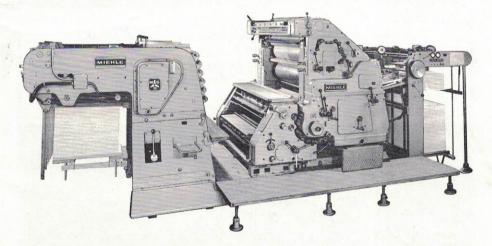
The broadcast with over 22 million watts of power weekly, continues to boom like thunder across the face of the globe. Millions of people's

lives are effected daily. Decisions and plans made during the ministerial conference will change lives!

The work continues to grow, with offices in Geneva, Switzerland; Lon-(Continue on page 8)

Spanish Club To Mexico

South of the border, down Mexico way is *Tijuana town*. The SPANISH CLUB invites *ALL* Ambassador College students to a one-day tour of that border city. You needn't feel stymied (Continued on page 8)



Proposed new Press



Published bi-weekly by Ambassador College, Pasadena, California Circulation over 1,000

> FACULTY ADVISOR DAVID JON HILL

FDITOR

DENNIS E. PYLE

ASSOCIATE EDITORS STEVEN J. GRAY DARRYL HENSON

STAFF REPORTERS

ARTHUR LANDING
BENJAMIN LEONARD
HENRY McFARLAND
LARRY NEFF
CHARLES VORHES JOE BAUER SARAH BRUNS GARY DEMAREST CHARLENE DIEM T CHARLES ROGER WEST JOHN HESKET

CIRCULATION MANAGER

ROY HUNTER

The PORTFOLIO is a limited circulation publication. It is for the student bodies of Ambassador College. It is not to be sent home to friends and relatives.

© 1963 by Ambassador College All Rights Reserved



Old today, new tomorrow!

Annex Renewed

Don't look now, but the demolition team has visited The Press Building Annex (the former mortuary).

Dark, dusty rooms reflect the anxiety of the eager-beaver demolition squad. Darkness pervades most of the building as a result of the rewiring of light fixtures. Electrical wires protrude where light switches and incandescent lamps used to be. Dormant dust blankets the entire building.

The efficient demolition team will soon be finished. Building will start soon and the Annex will burgeon into an attractive modern office building.

Editorial

"To Shine As The Stars"

by Dennis Pyle

Far out in the infinity of the universe, at the edge of space, millions of mysterious objects are streaking toward the earth-and YOU-with the speed of light!

They are neutrinos. Fortunately they are so small that they will not touch a single atom of your body as they shoot through you and head to the eternity of space.

That sounds amazing! IT IS AMAZING!! It demonstrates above all else the POWER, WISDOM, and OMNIPOTENCE of THE CREATOR OF THIS UNIVERSE!

WHY SAY THAT? Because so many times you and I dwell on the negative side of our lives. WE FAIL TO SEE THE MAJESTY AND GLORY THAT LIES AHEAD OF US! We are TEMPORAL creatures and we look to temporal things. The physical, material pleasures hold our fascination and admiration—what we're going to do on our next date, the big dance, the semester break, or a show Saturday night. We look to these things because we as human beings just do not comprehend the power that is soon to be vested in US! YOU AND I ARE TO BE CREATORS!

We will have the power to create a neutrino, the smallest particle of matter known to man. Our minds will be able to look inside a neutrino, as if it were as big as a 14 room house. Yet, that little neutrino is so small that as it slips out into space it passes right through any stars it happens to hit. It could zip through 100 million million miles of solid lead, like a rifle bullet through a thin mist, and NEVER BUMP INTO A SINGLE PARTI-CLE OF MATTER! They are so small that a stream of neutrinos could pass through 10 billion earths without colliding with any other form of matter!

YOU, as a CREATOR, will be able to dissect a neutrino chunk by chunk!

Your bodily presence is going to be brilliant! As brilliant as the stars of the firmament! Take for example the sun. Can you look at it in its full strength? No you can't. You would be looking at the equivalent of 1 billion hydrogen bombs being set off per second! Multiply that figure by 100 billion and you have the equivalent of energy being detonated in our galaxy. Yet scientists have just recently discovered five new stars. They lie at infinity, 36 billion billion miles across infinite incomprehensible miles of space. EACH ONE of these stars is 100 TIMES BRIGHTER THAN OUR ENTIRE GALAXY!!

YOU AND I ARE TO SHINE AS THE STARS OF THE FIRMAMENT!!

Can you imagine what it would be like to have in your control the explosive force of 1 trillion hydrogen bombs per second?? That is only the dust on the balances compared to what WE ARE TO HAVE! Because you and I are to be GOD!



The Force of 5,000,000 Exploding Suns

Minister's Ball

According to Ken Westby, emcee for the soon-coming Ministerial Ball, "If you can't laugh at the entertainment we have planned, you're in a bad attitude!"

One reason for this is that the ministers are not only going to watch, they are going to PARTICIPATE in the acts. Dialogue, dramatic humor, and intelligent humor, even slapstick will all be included in the tremendous variety of the program. Everything will be NEW and DIFFERENT.

We plan to treat the ministers to the best talent from each of Ambassador's four classes.

Men, don't forget to order your flowers! This is THE dance of the year. REMEMBER—January 9 at the Los Angeles Breakfast Club. BE THERE!!

Co-Eds Plan Annnal Women's Club Tea

A rare opportunity for women only is slated for Monday afternoon, January 13. This is the scheduled date of the annual Women's Club Tea. Ambassador coeds will have a chance to become acquainted with the ministers' wives and wives of college employees.

The atmosphere at Murphy House will be one of formality and simplicity, and those attending will be bedecked in their best afternoon apparel. This year the tea will be open-house style, with the guests arriving between 2 and 4 p.m. Background music is to be provided by a chamber group.

The thinner the ice, the more anxious is everyone to see whether it will bear him.

The fence around a cemetery is foolish—those inside can't come out and those outside don't want to get in.

The trouble with most folk isn't so much their ignorance, as knowing so many things that *aren't* so.

Of all the home remedies, a good wife is the best.



Herr Jebens elucidates scientific pump principle.

German Club Dance

Herr Praesident Werner Jebens called the meeting to order as the German Club convened Wednesday night December 18. After a meal accompanied with lively German background music and lusty German Lieder, the Club reconvened in the assembly hall for an evening of German Kultur in the form of the dance.

Anthony Buzzard, a French import, led in a demonstration of the famous German *Rheinlander*, a dance where the only requirements are an ability to count to three, and the memory to hop at the end of each count! Later in the evening Herr Robert MacDonald forsook his camera and taught the German

Paul Stupnagel I think he said!).

And as the evening progressed the famous beverage of the Burgermeister made its entrance to help the dancers' feet (note the usage of the brand

name)! Cookies and pretzels added to

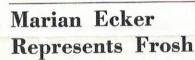
the refreshments which provided a wel-

version of the "John Paul Jones" (Hans

come respite for the rather lively calesthenics the Germans have inculcated into their dances (note the pictures)!

even a touch of Schottish filled the air, the German Club all agreed—this part of the German culture must be repeated sometime soon at Ambassador College!

As the music of polka, waltz and



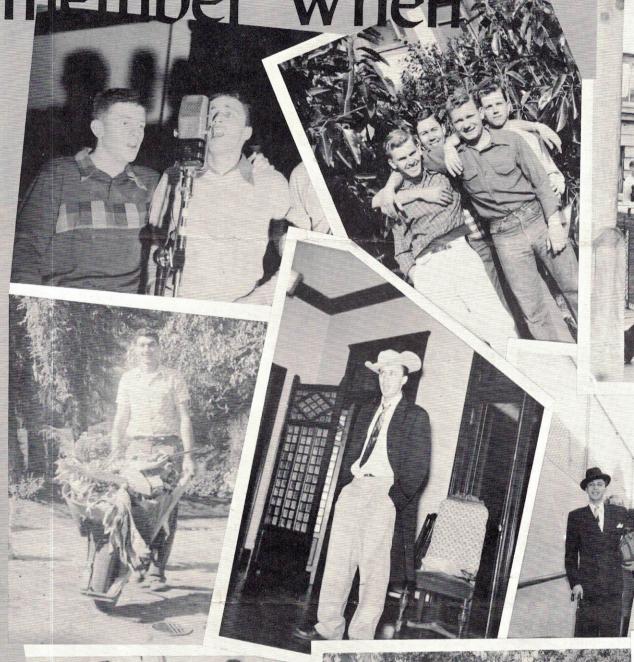
Amidst the brilliance of flash bulbs, Marian Ecker received the happy announcement that she will be the Freshman representative for the Womens' Club Executive Committee. This surprise announcement opened the second combined meeting for the first semester, Tuesday night, December 17.

A panel discussion on femininity was the focal point of the evening. The panel consisted of seven men, among whom were Paul Flatt, Walt Sharp, Dale Shurter, and Mr. Bill Glover. Personal and candid views from these men will prove very helpful to the women.



One, Two, Three, Hop!

Remember When





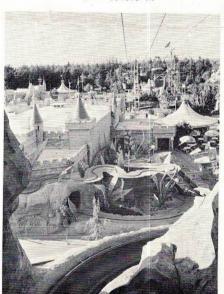




I've got our tickets, Shiela!



I can't believe it!



Fantasyland

Disneyland In Review

Disneyland—the target of Ambassador College-December 11, 1963! This Ambassador field trip proved to be excitingly different. Imagine spending five hours in Adventureland, Tomorrowland, or Fantasyland-plus having a book of fifteen tickets, good for any ride or sight-seeing tour.

Whether the Matterhorn bobsled, America The Beautiful Circa-rama, or Sluefoot Lou's Saloon was your favorite. You must agree - Disneyland was different!



How do you stop this thing?





The proposed "Tomorrowland"



Hm-m-m-m!



Ambassadors take break for meal time

Southland Facilities Welcome You!

Take a refreshing mid-year break this year by visiting points of interest in and around Los Angeles!

Los Angeles citizens by countless thousands have yet to view choice *local* sights. Don't let this be said of a "true value" student.

California Institute of Technology and Pasadena City College, or other short tours to the Rose Bowl, Brookside Golf Course or Pasadena Playhouse offer varied recreation.

Following is a partial list of interesting places to visit—time permitting. Outlying areas contain valuable sights such as:

Huntington Library and Art Gallery: Stratford and Oxford Drives in San Marino. Many original paintings and manuscripts. Open daily from 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Closed in October. For group reservations call MUrray 1-6601. Admission Free.

Jungle Land, Inc.:

Thousand Oaks, Ventura Freeway. Zoo and Amusement park. Picnic Tables. Ample Parking. Open daily 9-6. Wild Animal Show daily 2 p.m. \$1.00 Adults, 50 cents children. Group rates.

Pacific Ocean Park:

America's newest family entertainment center located on the beach at Santa Monica. Open daily 10 to 10. Saturday and Sunday only from September to June. Admissions \$1.75.

Marineland of the Pacific:

Palos Verdes Drive South, midway between Redondo Beach and San Pedro. Site of world's largest Oceanarium. Special events throughout the day. Admission: \$2.50 adults, 90 cents juniors, 50 cents 7 to 12 years, free under 6 years. Open daily 10 a.m. to sunset.

Knott Ghost Town:

Assembled authentically, building by building, from the Old West towns of California and Arizona. Old-fashioned train ride, complete with train robbery. Open daily from 10 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Mount Wilson Observatory:

35 miles north of Los Angeles, via the Angeles Crest Highway. Visitors hours to the telescope, Monday through Friday, 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sunday and holidays, 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Grounds are open at all times.

California Museum of Science and Industry:

Exposition Park at Exposition Boulevard and Figueroa Street. Exhibit of California's scenic, industrial, agricultural and recreational facilities. Open daily 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission Free.

Griffith Park Planetarium:

Hall of Science open Tuesday to Friday: 2 p.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, 1:00 to 10 p.m. Admission free. Planitarium shows: Tuesday to Friday 3:00 to 8:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, 1:30, 4:30 and 8:30 p.m. Admission 75 cents adults, 30 cents children (under 5 not admitted).

Los Angeles County Museum of History, Science and Art:

Notable collection of art, early California his-

tory, habitat groups, and fossil remains of prehistoric animals from La Brea Pits. Museum is located in Exposition Park, Exposition Boulevard between Vermont and Figueroa Street. Open daily, except Monday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed on Thanksgiving and Christmas. Admission Free.

Angels Flight:

The shortest railroad in the world; in operation since 1901 at the southwest corner of Third and Hill Streets in downtown Los Angeles. Open 6 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.

La Brea Pits:

On Wilshire Boulevard near Fairfax Avenue in Hancock Park lie the tar pits, world's richest source of Pleistocene or glacial epoch remains. Admission free. Main building closed Monday.

Santa Anita Race Track:

Situated against the colorful Sierra Madre Mountains. Racing from late December to mid-March. Harness Racing March and April.

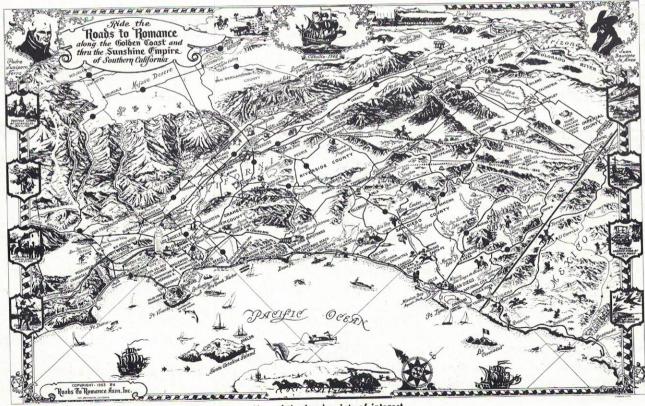
Santa Catalina Island:

25 miles offshore. Water and air service daily. Famous for its submarine gardens, bird park, hunting and fishing. A winter and summer resort.

City Hall:

200 North Spring Street. Tallest building in Southern California. A trip to the tower commands unusual view of Los Angeles, ocean and harbor.

These interesting facilities are available for your entertainment and relaxation. They present stimulating events while broadening your horizons.



Map of the local points of interest

Mexico

(Continued from page 1)

by not having a grasp of the Spanish language. Many non-Spanish-speaking Americans have successfully spent their savings without uttering a word—just simple, painless extraction. The only pre-requisites are desire, time-off, and a little *dinero* (money), and you can share this enlightening, enjoyable, and educational visit with our neighbors to the south.

An interesting itinerary is planned. Busses will leave the campus at 7:00 a.m. (Flatt), on January 5th. Arrival in Tijuana will be approximately 10:00 a.m. Time will be allotted for seeing the sights, the locations of old Spanish missions, and the sites of ancient Spanish bars.

HORSE RACING is on the afternoon agenda. Dinner will be at "Caesar's" (pronounced "Caesar's"), the Spanish Club taking the tab for entertainment. "Jai-Lai" games are scheduled for the evening.

Bus fare will be three dollars "cheap" per person, and three dollars should be allowed for the evening meal. Individuals should take expense pesos for the Horse races, Jai-Lai (Hi-Li) games and souvenir-shopping—and an extra beer!

The "bus-o-cade" will leave Tijuana at 10:00 p.m., arriving at Pasadena one minute later—after you have slept four intervening hours en route.

Chorale Plans Arizona Tour

Another tour for the Ambassador Chorale is fast approaching!

Chorale members will board busses in late January bound for Tucson, Arizona. After spending the night there in a motel, they will present selections from the "Messiah" in the Tucson church. After services, they will journey to Phoenix to sing in the afternoon and stay in that city Saturday night—possibly with various church members.

Chorale members will be homeward-bound on Sunday.



A rose is a rose as a rose is a rose!

Thar's a rose in Pasadena, I'm goin' thar to please, nobody else could love her, she's got awful knobby knees! You can talk about your Texas rose, and sing of Liza Jane, but the rose of Pasadena, has me on a ball and chain! I remember when I met her, it was at the rose parade, I told her she was pretty, and she kicked me in the haid! We walked around the campus, on a quiet summer night, I told her she was pretty, but she wasn't very bright! I smiled so when I kissed her, but found it was my dog, you don't know what you're kissing, in this cottin-pickin smog! You can talk about your Texas rose, and sing of Liza Jane, but the rose of Pasadena, has me on a ball and chain!

New Press

(Continued from page 1)

cause the Miehle is actually two presses in one. It has two separate units designed so one prints right after the other on the same side of the page. When full four-color pictures are run—since it prints two colors at once—only two printings per page will be required. Presently four printings are used to make The GOOD NEWS cover full color on the single color Miehle 29.

This new press, expected in February, will print *The* PLAIN TRUTH cover, *The* GOOD NEWS with *more color* and the majority of the large 6 x 9 booklets. Ambassador's *million-dollar print shop* is fast becoming a reality!

Ministers Confer

(Continued from page 1)

don, England; Dusseldorf, Germany; Johannesburg, South Africa; Manila, Philippines; Sydney, Australia; Vancouver, Canada, and all around the world. There is a greater need than ever before to have *unity!* Policies must be the same in every phase of God's work.

We here at HEADQUARTERS and Ambassador College have the privilege of hosting the ministers during the conference.

GREETINGS! WELCOME HOME!

I'll say this for adversity: people seem to be able to stand it, and that's more than I can say for prosperity.