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## English campus may reopen this fall

70 percent" chance that Ambassador College at Bricket Wood, England, will be reopened this fall, said Garner Ted Armstrong in a surprise an-nouncement in his "Personal" for this issue of *The Worldwide News*. He said he wanted to take the brethren into his confidence "at the earliest planning stages," but he said the decision was not definite.

Mr. Armstrong is presently studying the feasibility of reopening the Bricket Wood campus "with a streamlined curriculum aimed primarily at developing the ministry and leaders who would go into the Inter-national Division." He asked the He asked the Business Office in Pasadena to conduct a thorough study of the financial feasibility of the campus' reopening.

"Meanwhile, I am conducting far-reaching meetings with many of our leading ministers concerning the necessary personnel changes which would be required, selection of faculty, and all of the dozens of related subjects which would need thorough discussion prior to reopening the Bricket Wood campus," Mr. Armstrong said.

#### 120 Students

Mr. Armstrong said he was proposing the college reopen with "around 120 students" rather than "the full complement of 250" students, which was the previous en-

(Other details of the campus' potential reopening are in Mr. Armstrong's "Personal," beginning on this page, which is devoted en-tirely to the subject.)

eslie McCullough, director of the International Division, said, "The possibility of reopening the campus is great, and all kinds of things can come out of the decision.

Leon Walker, chairman of the Theology Department in Big Sandy and former dean of students in England, said he was "thrilled pink to see it open again. I think there's a lot to be said for a small, intimate campus of that nature where everybody knows everybody. I would be very thrilled if it would open again."

Dr. David Wainwright, who was dean of faculty in Bricket Wood when the college closed and currently on vacation here, said:

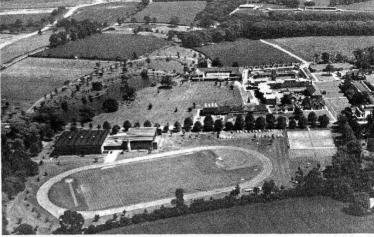
"One tends to think the International Division will increase in responsibility and will need a lot more manpower. With the smaller setup in Bricket Wood, it is ideal for special-ized training."

Dr. Wainwright, who has a B.A. and an M.A. from Oxford University in England, said the "theological section in the library is good and would need very little tooling up if we have a ministerial-training pro-

#### 23 Nationalities

He said the college there had 35 countries represented in the student body, with 23 nationalities present at one time. He feels the campus is also "useful from the proximity point of view." He said students can go to Europe during school breaks to work in the Duesseldorf or Geneva offices and come back to campus with better perspectives.

Ian Hufton, 1975 Big Sandy graduate who was slated to be Bricket Wood student-body president the year the college closed, thinks the announcement is a "fabulous" de-



CAMPUS MAY REOPEN — The Bricket Wood campus of Ambassador College, above, may reopen to students this fall. Garner Ted Armstrong feels there is a 60 to 70 percent chance the campus will reopen. [Photo by lan

velopment. "It is great for the British Work, international students and many students who attend there for the European flavor. With the empathy Phave for the British people, I feel there is a real need for Ambassador graduates to fill the manpower needs there as well as the needs of the Work in Europe."

He said the announcement is "re-ally explosive," comparable to the time when it was announced the campus was closing in Bricket (See ENGLISH CAMPUS, page 7)

# A Personal Letter

Dear brethren in Christ:

Greetings! I have SENSATIONAL NEWS I want to share with you.

I have been having top-level conferences with several of our leading evangelists and other ministers coning a wonderful development in God's Work which I know would have soon leaked out and be put on the grapevine. As I have frequently done in the past in my "Personal" in the WN, I want to take all of you brethren into my confidence at the earliest PLANNING STAGES in order to avoid any rumors or distorted ver-sions reaching you which may not be

Now the news:

I am studying the feasibility of reopening Ambassador College,

I have asked our Business Office

to conduct a thorough financial feasibility study. Meanwhile, I am conducting far-reaching meetings with many of our leading ministers concerning the necessary personnel changes which would be required, selection of faculty and all of the dozens of related subjects which would need thorough discussion prior to reopening the Bricket Wood campus.

Brethren, that beautiful, fabulous campus has been simply closed up, with only a token maintenance crew keeping its buildings intact, and we had even allowed the college proper-ties to be listed with one of the leading estate agents in England. I have in my possession their brochure which was published for the purpose of advertising the college as being

#### Blood, Sweat and Tears

Here is a complete college campus, representing YEARS of develop-ment and the blood, sweat and tears of hundreds of lives, including that of my father, Mr. Herbert Armstrong, who devoted so much of his personal time and energy to the development of the campus in its very early years after he and I together had seen the wonderful possibility of the original grounds of Hanstead House clear back in 1959.

From the time of its closure one (See PERSONAL, page 7)

#### -ATTENTION

This issue of The Worldwide News is the last copy that will be mailed to you if you have not renewed your

For renewal instructions, see our ad on page 16.

### 'profitable' Conference in England

BIG SANDY -Leslie L. McCullough, director of the International Division, returned to the United States after conducting, along with C. Wayne Cole, director of the U.S. Church Administration Division (CAD), a ministerial conference in England, visiting four Scandinavian services and Bible studies and holding talks with regional directors of the International Division during the three weeks from June 21 to July 13. Brian Knowles, managing editor of The Good News, and Steve Martin,

assistant to Mr. McCullough, were also on hand for the conference.

Mr. McCullough said the "working" ministerial conference, held in Bricket Wood for all ordained men in the British Isles as well as all English-speaking ministers in Europe, was "very profitable." He said doctrinal and procedural

matters were discussed over the four days of meetings, which were held from 10 to 12 in the morning and 2 to

Mr. McCullough said further

meetings with ministers were held over dinner in the evenings.

. Mr. Knowles, who toured En-gland and Scotland for a week by car after the conference, said he felt the conference was a unifying influence for the ministry there. "The prime benefit was for the unification which it gave in philosophy, approach and

The only non-European minister attending the meetings was Bob

Fahey, director of the South African (See CONFERENCE, page 7)

MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE — English-speaking ministers from the British Isles and Europe, shown outside Benjamin Rea Hall in Bricket Wood, England, were part of a four-day conference there June 23 to 26.

## **Buck Owens, Charley Pride** to perform at Festival sites

BIG SANDY - Country-western singer Charley Pride will perform at Niagara Falls, N.Y., and Buck Owens and the Buckaroos, the country-western singing group and principal performers on the U.S. television series *Hee Haw*, will perform at each of the four Churchowned Festival sites in the United States during the Feast of Taberna-

cles in September.
According to Festival director Bill McDowell, Buck Owens and his group will perform at Big Sandy; ake of the Ozarks, Mo.; Wisconsin Dells, Wis.; and Mount Pocono, Pa., on dates yet to be determined.

Mr. McDowell said Garner Ted Armstrong had "asked me to inves-

tigate the possibilities of signing quality, name entertainers for some special performances during the Fes-

Tickets for the Buck Owens performances will sell for \$5 each.

#### **Charley Pride Show**

The International Convention Center at Niagara Falls has booked Charley Pride's show for an evening during the Feast, according to Gary Antion, Festival coordinator for that site. He said the convention center would give Church members "first shot" at tickets for the show.

The program will be at 8 pm. Thursday, Sept. 25. Tickets are \$4, (See BUCK OWENS, page 7)

### TEEN WRITING CONTEST

The Worldwide News, in concert with Youth Opportunities United (YOU), the Church-sponsored youth program, is conducting a feature-article-writing contest for teenagers (ages 13 through 19) who subscribe or whose parents or legal guardians subscribe

To be entered, a feature must be from three to five 8½-by-11-inch typewritten pages, double spaced, with margins of 1½ inches on all sides. The article must be about a member or members of the Worldwide Church of God or be about a nonmember of any age who has attended church regularly for the past year. For exam-



ples of feature-article style, see the executive interviews from 1973 and 1974 issues of the WN, the interview with Mrs. Garner Ted Armstrong (April 28, 1975), "Minister Wins \$23,000 on Game Show" (May 26), the feature on announcer Art Gilmore (May 12) and "9-Year-Old Prodigious on the Piano" (page 3,

On a separate cover sheet, contestants must provide a five- to 10-sentence autobiographical sketch, including age, parents' names, education, hobbies interests, etc., plus the writer's address and telephone number. All entries must be submitted to "Feature Writing Contest," The Worldwide News, Box 111, Big Sandy. Tex.. 75755. U.S.A. Each entry must be accompanied by a WW label and be postmarked by Mon-day, Sept. 15. Judges for the contest will be the WN editorial staff. Prizes are \$150 for first place, \$100 for second place and \$50 for third place. Winning entries will be printed in the WN.

The contest sponsors also encourage that photographs be submitted to illustrate entered articles. Special consideration will be given entries accompanied by photographs. All photos must be no smaller than 5 by 7 inches and no larger than 8 by 10 inches. Other sizes will be disqualified. Only black-and-white prints may be submitted. Color photos will be rejected.

Photos must illustrate an article submitted for the contest and be mailed in the same envelope. The photographer and feature writer may be the same person, or two persons may work as a team. For this contest only, a \$10 cash award will be given for each photograph printed with a winning feature.

## YOU PHOTO CONTEST

PASADENA - Youth Opportunities United (YOU), the new organization for all youths 12 to 19 regularly attending church, announced a photography contest for all interested U.S. teens in the Church. Awards will be given in each of the following areas for both black-and-white and full-color photography. Categories are best human-interest photo, best nature photo, most humorous photo, best sports photo, most unusual photo, best portrait, best action shot and best all-around photo.

Photos must be submitted to the YOU director's office at 300 W. Green St., Pasadena, Calif., 91123, by Aug. 20 to be eligible.

First, second and third prizes will be awarded in each category. All entries should state name, age and address of entrant, as well as category entered. Negatives should accompany all photos entered, but will be returned. Winners will be notified by mail. Their names will be run in The Worldwide News, and winning photographs will be on display at YOU booths at all U.S. Feast sites.

### etters TO THE EDITOR

Thank you [Herbert W. Armstrong] and God, of course, for the inspiring, informative campaign-article update in the WN, June 9, 1975. This is truly the Work in which God Almighty is directly ou [Herbert W. Armstrong] involved in!!!!!

involved in!!!!!

... I must say that I am rejuvenated as I read all of the articles pertaining, in particular, to the "as-of-the-moment" status of the Work.

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Donald L. Webster Anchorage, Alaska

Mr. Cole's discussion
I have finished reading the discussion I have finished reading the discussion by Mr. Wayne Cole reprinted in the WN [June 9]. I want to be involved in this! Even though I have my problems in spending time in reading, I know that Human Potential will not hold me back in any way. In fact, it will keep me abreast of the very item that I know will be read by heads of nations.

Vasart Ran Vishny Chaguanas, Trinidad

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Receiving the news

Hopefully some of the people who have shunned receiving the PT because it was free of charge will now receive the goodnews message through the new Human Potential magazine.

Glen Ellyn, Ill.

200 after all?

I want to take issue with the article concerning the upcoming American bi-centennial ["Will the U.S. Really Be centennial ["Will the U.S. Keany be 200?"] which appeared in the June 23 issue of the WN. The framers of the American nation preserved their intent as to what they had in mind in their writings, and especially in their official documents

and especially in their official documents. First of all, Jefferson was appointed by representatives of all 13 colonies to draft the Declaration of Independence. Its sub-tile was "The unanimous declaration of the thirteen United States of America." quote segments from the last paragraph of the Declaration: "We, therefore, the rep-resentatives of the United States of Amerresentatives of the United States of America . . . solemnly publish and declare, that these united colonies are . . free and independent states . . ." The Continental Congress further declared: "Resolved that it be proclaimed in each of the United States at the head of the army." The 13 States at the head of the army. "The 13 colonies, now states, unitedly fought and won the war for their independence. In a speech given on July 4, 1831, John Q. Adams (our seventh President) spoke on the Declaration of Independence. His main thrust was to impress on people's minds that the founding fathers had launched a new and unified nation with the Declaration. He was countering arguments concerning a state's right to secede. He said: "The Declaration of Independence announced the severance of the thirteen United Colonies from the rest the thirteen United Colonies from the rest of the British Empire, and the existence of their people from that day forth as an independent nation. The people of all the colonies, speaking by their representa-tives, constituted themselves one moral

federation. It was a type of treaty between independent powers, but all 13 states agreed to abide by the decisions of a "Unit-ed States in Congress." The states were very jealous of their sovereignty, which was an issue that stirred violent contro-versy until it was finally laid to rest when Lee offered his sword to Grant at Appo-mattox. Article I of the "Articles of Conmattox. Article I of the "Articles of Con-federation of Perpetual Union" reads: "The style of this confederacy shall be 'United States of America.' "Article XIII ends with: "Done at Philadelphia, in the state of Pennsylvania, the 9th day of July, in the year of our Lord 1778, and in third year of the Independence of

America. The Articles of Confederation as a regulating framework failed to efficiently govern the new nation. As a result a convention was called to amend the articles. The articles were subsequently dropped, and the Constitution was written and finally adopted by the necessary quota of states in 1788. The preamble to the Con-stitution reads in part: "We the people of the United States . . . do ordain and estab-

lish this constitution for the United State: of America." It is evident from this and the above that what was established was not a new nation, but a new government for a nation that was clearly already in

existence.

John Adams, second President and a signer of the Declaration, stated that: "the 2nd day of July will be the most memorable epoch in the history of America. I am apt to believe that it will be celebrated by succeeding connections." apt to believe that it will be electrated by succeeding generations as the great anni-versary festival. It ought to be commem-orated, as the day of deliverance, by sol-emn acts of devotion to Almighty God. It emn acts or devotion to Aimigniy Gool. it ought to be solemnized with pomp and parade, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires, and illuminations, from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forth and forevermore." I don't know why he thought the day would be July 2, unless it was because Jefferson began drafting the Declaration on that day.

Bobby Odom Gonzales, La.

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"Will the U.S. Really Be 200?", by John L. Dunkin, *The Worldwide News*, p. 3, Vol. III, No. 13, June 23, 1975. Well, thanks to Mr. Dunkin we have had a session in American history, which

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"IN CONGRESS, July 4, 1776.
"THE UNANIMOUS DECLARA

"THE UNANIMOUS DECLARATION of the thirteen united STATES OF
AMERICA."
The last paragraph of the Declaration of
Independence states: "WE, THEREFORE, the Representatives of the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, in General ED STATES OF AMERICA, in General Congress, Assembled, appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the recti-tude of our intentions, do, in the Name, and by Authority of the good People of these Colonies, be FREE AND INDEthese Colonies, be FREE AND INDE-PENDENT STATES; that they are Ab-solved from all Allegiance to the British Crown, and that all political connection between them and the State of Great Brit-ain, is and ought to be totally dissolved; and that as Free and Independent States, they have full Power to levy War, con-clude Peace, contract Alliance, establish Companies, and to do all other Acts and clude Peace, contract Alliance, establish Commerce, and to do all other Acts and Things which Independent States may of right do. — And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence, we

nutually pledge to each other our Lives, our Fortunes and our sacred Honor." The article on the Declaration of Independence (p. 158, Vol. 7, of Encyclopae diaBritannica) continues: "Declarational Independence, in the history of the Unite independence, in the instory of the office of the continental congress on July 4, 1776, which announced the separation of the 13 colonies from Great Britain and officed a justification therefore. It explained why the congress on July 2 'unanimously' by the votes of the land of the congress on July 2 'unanimously' by the votes of twelve colonies, with Nev the votes of twelve colonies, with New York abstaining, resolved that 'these United Colonies are, and of right out to be Free and Independent States.' Accord-ingly, the day on which final separation was officially voted was July 2, although the 4th, the day on which the Declaration the 4th, the day on which the Dectaration of Independence was adopted, has always been celebrated in the United States as the great national holiday — the Fourth of July or Independence Day."

This article further comments: "It must remain a great historical landmark in that items the fore formed acception have been supported by the comments of the comments of the comments."

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it contained the first formal assertion of a whole people of their right to a govern-ment of their own choice."

Mr. Dunkin has stressed that the Con-stitutional Congress on Sept. 13, 1788, proclaimed the ratification of the Consti-tution and ordered the convening of the United States of America on March 4, United States of America on March 4, 1789, and that was the real birthday of Uncle Sam. He is perfectly correct, but the July 4, 1776, date is not set aside as "Constitution Day." but rather as "Independence Day," which is exactly what it was — we declared our independence (as a united 13 colonies) from the British crown as a United States of America (refer to the actual document itself and those are the exact words used).

"Articles of Confederation," p. 525,

"Articles of Confederation," p. 523, Vol. 2, 1970 copyright, Encyclopacida Britannica: "The Articles of Confederation, the first constitution of the United States, were written in 1776-77, ratified March 1, 1781, and served until they were replaced by the constitution of 1787 on March 4, 1789.

'The leaders of the American Revolu-

tion were thoroughly familiar with a cen-tral government: that of Great Britain. tool were that of Great Britain. They were familiar too with the idea of a central government in America, since many plans for one had been proposed during the 18th century. Most of the plans had been for frontier defense and none had been adopted, so they offered little guidance in 1776.

"When Americans declared their independence they agreed that the new nation must have a common government, but they disagreed then, as they continued to disagree for generations, about the kind of government it should be and, above all, about the amount of power it should

The last paragraph of this article states:
"Despite the lack of coercive authority over the states and their citizens, the Articles of Confederation had many of the important provisions later incorporated in the constitution of 1787."

the constitution of 1787."

Mr. Dunkin has pointed out the confusion surrounding the meaning of the word state in conjunction with the words nation or country. Ireferyou again to the original document — the Declaration of Independence. Of course, each state had its own constitution. I believe each state today is considered "sovereign," isn't if? Of course, we are much less sovereign or course, we are much less sovereign today than they were in 1776, but in the original document those 13 (the numbe 13 appears in the very heading itself) col

(See LETTERS, page 10)

#### Corrections

In the July 7 issue of The Worldwide News, the Dallas, Tex., date-line for an article on page 2 headlined "Dallas Seminar Draws 200 Mem-bers," about an Ambassador College-sponsored Continuing Education seminar, was misleading. The seminar was held at the Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Airport, which is be-tween Dallas and Fort Worth.

In the same article a paragraph was inadvertently deleted. The paragraph

"Most people who attended here were from Dallas and Fort Worth. About 25 attended from the Sherman and Big Sandy churches. Several others attended from as far away as Huntsville and Austin, Tex., 180 miles away, and Houston, Tex., 250 miles away.

An article in The Worldwide News of July 7 entitled "World's Jews Destruction of Temple," by Mark Kaplan, stated that three weeks before the Jewish fast of the 9th of Ab is a minor day of fasting in the month of Tammuz. The article, thanks to a typographical error, stated that the day is Tammuz 7. It should have read the 17th of Tammuz.

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## 9-year-old prodigious on the piano

By John Robinson
PASADENA — Nine-year-old
Debbie Wofford is a musical prodi-

In case you haven't checked your dictionary recently, one definition of prodigy is "a person endowed with extraordinary gifts."

There can be no doubt Debbie is

such a person. Her specialty is the piano, and she's been playing it since she was 3 years old. Her mother says she was humming before she could

Debbie, the daughter of longtime Worldwide Church of God members Don and Floy Wofford, has progressed with her musical talent to the point that in recent months she has memorized all three movements of Mozart's Concerto in A Major. In the three months it took her to commit that equivalent of 82 pages of sheet music to memory, she also learned many new popular tunes for her regular performances.

How many hours a day does she

rhow many hours a day does she practice?

"Debbie averages 30 to 45 minutes a day practicing," explains her mother. "She practices a few minutes here and there or whenever she

Mrs. Wofford says she is not sure how many tunes her daughter has committed to memory, but she suspects it may be as many as 100.

"You see, it's hard to say how many songs she knows, since she is always learning new ones," Mrs. Wofford says. "She's continually Wofford says. "She's continually picking up additional popular tunes off the radio or from records.

#### Months of Blackness

Even more remarkable is that racts covered both eyes. Mrs. Wofford says she feels all her daughter saw for the first nine months of her life was blackness. She was anointed for her condition by evangelist Herman L. Hoeh.

"Her condition remained the same for quite a while," Mrs. Wofford says. "Then one day at church Dr. Hoeh asked how she was. I told him she was still the same and he said he would pray about it that night. I guess he did because a few days later she was seeing well enough to crawl

Mr. Wofford says he and his wife later took Debbie to an ophthalmolo-gist who wanted to know when Debbie had had the "cataract operation." When Mr. Wofford told him there had been no operation, he replied. "Well, then it was a miracle.

Though she still has limited sight, her vision has progressed steadily since age 9 months, and she can read-ily read her regular schoolbooks. She even reads on a sixth-grade level, though she has just completed the third grade. She learns all school-

ork as readily as she learns music.

Mr. Wofford says dozens of people who are not members of the Church have said God has given Debbie the gift of a photographic memory and perfect pitch and rhythm to make up for what He has not given her visually.

Debbie, who doesn't read music learns songs by listening to a record or a tape recording. Ray Turner, a Hollywood music director and pianist for productions such as The planist for productions such as *The*Sound of Music, Dr. Zhivago and

Carousel, will play a piece and make

a recording of it. Debbie then will

listen to the piece several times and commit it to memory.

With more difficult arrangements, Pasadena music teacher, Marne Laidig, who studied with one of Franz Liszt's students, will help Debbie with the fingering and make tapes of pieces for her. But Debbie requires no help with many pieces, especially popular tunes, and learns after only listening to the tune on the radio a time or two.

#### 'Fun With Debbie

Debbie has appeared on television

WOFFORD FAMILY — Standing, from left (in the photo below), are Floy Wofford, Don Wofford and son Sam, 15. Sitting and kneeling, from left, are daughters Donna, 5; Debbie, 9; and Sharon, 11. Mr. Wofford is holding son David, 2. Other photographs are of Debbie playing the piano in the course of a WW interview in a dornitory lounge on the Pasadena campus of Ambassador College. [Photos by John Robinson]





several times. She played recently for an annual telethon sponsored by the Variety Club, an international fund-raising group similar to the March of Dimes that raises money for handicapped children.

For more than two years Debbie has performed for private and public audiences in Hollywood and the greater Los Angeles area. Her most recent concert was a program called The Fun With Debbie Show at the Wilshire Ebel Theatre in Los An-

(Elva Sedliacik, a close friend of the Woffords, called The Worldwide News shortly before press time to say Will Ahem, emcee for The Fun With Debbie Show, a longtime show-business personality who danced with Barbra Streisand in Hello, Dolly!, publicly said Debbie's performance was tremendous and paled his 65 years of show business to nothing.)

Included on the program for her concerts are Mozart's Concerto No. 23 in A Major. Olsen's Serenade and such popular numbers as "Moon River," "Edelweiss," the theme from Exodus, "The Entertainer," "Raindrops Keep Fallin' on My Head," "Bridge Over Troubled Wa-Rainorops Keep Falin on My Head," "Bridge Over Troubled Wa-ters," "Yesterme, Yesteryou, Yes-terday" and "I'd Like to Teach the World to Sing." She also plays Ha-waiian and inspirational music. Deb-bie can also play most of the hymns



#### No Strings Attached

Mr. Wofford says everyone who has heard his daughter says she has a great future in music. But Debbie has had to pass up some "opportuni-

"Some have tried to use Debbie's abilities dishonestly," Mr. Wofford says. "For example, one individual who had just met Debbie wanted to promote her and claim he had taught her for years and his special teaching methods had made Debbie what sh

The Woffords are not opposed to seeing Debbie make it big, but "we want to guide her life as parents and not turn her over to managers to run every detail of her life. This does not mean we are opposed to the help of competent managers. We seek and receive counsel from the top people in the music and entertainment field and make every effort to give Debbie every opportunity to develop and use her God-given talents."

Mr. Wofford says many who have heard Debbie tell others about her:

'Debbie has even been introduced to congressmen and has an invitation to play in Washington. Her abilities have been praised to musical dignitaries throughout Europe."

So far she has primarily performed

at benefits, and her earnings have been minimal, but what she has earned has been placed in a special

savings account.

Debbie says she is saving up to buy a piano. What kind of piano? "I want to buy a Steinway grand,"

she says. Isn't that too large? Doesn't she

mean a baby grand?
"Yeah, that's right, a baby grand.

But I do want a big one."

She says her family might have to move some furniture around to make room for the piano, but she does have her heart set on a good piano. Stein way is her favorite and she has opinions about the touch of a piano. Debbie says the hardest piece she has ever learned to play was one called "Dizzy Fingers"; her favorite is "Skater's Waltz."

What does she do for fun? "Play the piano.

How about eating ice cream? "Oh, I forgot about that," she beams, as her parents throw in camp-ing, swimming, riding her bicycle and several other things that she quickly agrees with and adds to list of fun things.

When she grows up she wants to be a music teacher "like Mrs. Laidig," who teaches her piano, get married and have "five or three chil-

She says her classmates at school aren't envious of her musical talent. Her mother says Debbie plays the piano at school while the children sing, so they appreciate Debbie's talents all the more.

#### The Rest of the Family

Debbie has two brothers and two sisters: Sam, 15; David, 2; Sharon, 11; and Donna, 5. Sam plays the clarinet and the piano with equal pro-ficiency, while Sharon plays the clarinet a little better than the piano.

Mr. Wofford, 40, works in engi-neering and construction as a consultant for the Ralph M. Parsons Co. in Pasadena. He is an Ambassador Col-lege graduate who was employed by llege here from 1955 to 1965, including five years as a faculty

Mrs. Wofford was baptized by Herbert W. Armstrong in Big Sandy shortly before Passover in 1952. Most of her time is spent as a house wife and mother of five, but she also finds time to involve herself heavily with Debbie's activities.





#### By Paul Meek

HRIC Assistant Director
PASADENA — The cost of operating an automobile is constantly going up. Rising fuel and auto prices are the two main reasons.

Let's say you bought a new car in 1974 and intended to keep it three years and drive it no more than 10,000 miles a year. How much would the cost of operating it be for

the three years?

If the car were midsize, your cost would be 24 cents a mile; if it were a subcompact, 19 cents; and if a standard-size model, 29 cents.

In other words, an owner of a mid-size car would pay \$2,400 a year, the owner of a subcompact \$1,900 and the owner of a standard-size \$2,900.

#### Keep or Trade?

After figuring the costs for operating a car for a given year, the in-evitable question is, "Should I keep the car or sell it?"

Sooner or later every owner has to get rid of his car, either by selling it as junk or trading it for another. When to keep a car or trade it is a matter of economic timing.

One factor is important. New cars are shifting downward in size. Too, new cars will be emphasizing more miles per gallon. Owners of midsize or larger cars may feel they should not trade now because of higher values presently placed on used cars. But larger cars won't continue to be in demand if the present economic trend continues. In fact, predictions are that by 1980 compacts and subcompacts will comprise 50 percent of all

Due to problems in the economy, used cars are in big demand. That is, cars that are in good

If a car isn't in good condition, the cost of repairs must be compared with its trade-in value.

#### Critical List

Here are some symptoms that indicate that a car may soon need costly service repairs:

The car uses large amounts of oil.

- It emits bluish-white exhaust
- The engine runs roughly and a tune-up doesn't help.

  The transmission shifts roughly, grinds or clicks after routine adjust-
- . Tire-tread depth is nearing one-16th inch.
- The brake pedal goes almost to the floor on the first push or resists at first, then slowly sinks to the floor under pressure.
- The front end bobs or dips ex-
- cessively on braking.

  There's too much play or tight-
- ness in the steering wheel.

   The starter cranks slowly
- There's a clanking or similar pise underneath the back seat.

At any rate, a thorough checkup is dollars in the pocket. New diagnostic

and inspection services are available throughout the United States. A rule of thumb: If repairs cost more than half the value of the car,

your money may be better spent in investing in a newer and more reliable one. The Federal Highway Administra-

tion claims the accepted life expec-tancy of a car is 10 years and 100,000 miles. This is a general guide only; well-treated cars can provide owners with 150,000 miles of service or

An article outlining the preceding information further reveals a typical

1974 model compact car's repair and maintenance costs in the next 10 years will mount from \$108.48 the first year to \$319.78 in the fifth year up to \$499.65 in the sever

#### Insurance Economy

If after determining it's more economical to keep an older car, an owner should consider insurance

For instance, if your car turns into its fifth year, it may pay you to drop collision and, perhaps, comprehen-

sive coverage.

Another bit of advice that insurance experts pass along is to take the highest deductible you can afford. If, by chance, you have \$50 deductible a car two to four years old, you might want to raise it to \$150.

What can you do to protect your-self against uninsured motorists if you own a car five years old or older? According to Peter Weaver of the Los Angeles Times, car owners can get "uninsured-motorist" coverage in many states that only costs \$3 to \$6 a year. This coverage protects you if you're hit by an uninsured motorist. Some states, however, only allow uninsured-motorist coverage for bod-ily injury, not property damage.

#### Now you know

MAIDSTONE, England - Chris Barnes, a member of the Maidstone church, escaped unhurt but with a new nickname from an accident re

Mr. Barnes, who plays piano for church services, drives extensively over southern England in connection with his work. Once, while returning to his home in the county of Kent, he fell asleep at the wheel late at night.

Mr. Barnes swerved off the road and plunged several feet down an nbankment, rolling the car over. He suffered no broken bones, and

he wasn't bruised.

However, emerging from the car, he fell into some cow manure. The police, who arrived at the scene within minutes, took details from 15



SUMMER IN GERMANY — These students are among 17 from Ambassador College spending the summer in Germany working and studying in Bad Oeynhausen. [Photo by Walter Rupp]

## AC students spending '75 summer working, studying in German resort

By Harlan Brown

BAD OEYNHAUSEN, West Germany — For the fifth consecutive year students from Ambassador Colege are spending the summer here. This year 17 are working and studying in this health-resort community in a valley about 40 miles southwest

Walter Rupp, chairman of Ambassador College's Foreign Language Department in Pasadena, the program's resident director, is teaching three classes: German civiliza-tion, advanced German and an undergraduate seminar.

Fifteen of the students, together with an Ambassador student who is now in Switzerland and another who is working this summer in the Bonn office of the Work, flew from Los Angeles to Frankfurt and were met there by Frank Schnee, director of the German Work, and others from the Bonn office. The 15 then traveled from Frankfurt to Bad Oeynhausen via chartered bus and were met at the Koenigshof Hotel by Mr. Rupp and the families the students are living

This summer the students are working in a greenhouse, flower shop, cafe, diabetes clinic, grocery store and other businesses. Overall the group is happy and enjoying the contact with people of another culture and tongue

The program began in 1971 when four Ambassador College German students — Paul Kieffer, Rita Math-wig, Shirley Hegvold and Jon Rogers responded to employment ads in an newspapers. The only reply to their inquiries came from the Wohnbau, a Bad Oeynhausen ar-chitectural and construction firm that agreed to hire one student. In addition, however, Wohnbau voluntarily placed an advertisement in a local newspaper and found jobs for the her three Ambassador students. In 1972 Mr. Rupp organized a

program for 12 students. The college hired Wolfgang Linnebruegge, a bilingual employee of Wohnbau, to teach a German-history class.

The program was repeated in 1973 and reached its peak enrollment with 20 students — 10 from Pasadena, nine from Big Sandy and one from Bricket Wood, England — during the day and attending class one evening a week. Graduate Paul Kieffer taught a German-grammar class for the lower-level students, and Mr. Linnebruegge taught German history in German for the more advanced. A number of students received scholarships paying for plane fare and Eurail passes (two months of unlimited train travel in Europe).

## New building to bring nature to employees

By R.J. Bennett BURLEIGH HEADS, Australia

- The new administration building for the Australian headquarters of Ambassador College and the Worldwide Church of God is taking shape as construction enters its fourth

The 14,000-square-foot building is being built on a six-acre bush-land site here as a part of a decentraliza-tion project, first planned in 1972.

reduce the effects of congestion and upward-spiraling costs on the Work and its staff, the administrative

departments of Ambassador College and the Worldwide Church of God were moved from Sydney in early 1974 to the rural area of Burleigh Heads, 570 miles north of Sydney and just south of Brisbane.

This new location offers close ac-

cess to big-city communications and shipping facilities and has the added advantages of less congestion, less air pollution, an opportunity for the Work here to own its own facilities, and lower-cost housing for employ-

Since the move, relocated depart-

ments (Mail Processing, Accounting, Data Processing and Church Administration) have been temporar-ily housed in offices in downtown Burleigh Heads but should be in the new facilities by February of next

The new building is of a singlelevel, rustic design, with mottled clinker brickwork and cedar paneling and roofing. This is to blend with the building's subtropical bush-land set-

Around the building will be native Australian flora, requiring minimum maintenance and insuring that wildlife remains in the area.

The front wall follows the contours of the site and is almost totally of glass; this is to create a feeling that employees are working among the native trees and flowers on the site. This approach also allows natural light into most of the office area, reducing eye strain and power con-

The office staff expects the building to be completed in December, 1975.



BUILDING SITE - Construction of the new administration building of the Work in Australia in Burleigh Heads is in its fourth month. Left photo: Construction progresses at the main reception area and church-



administration offices. Right photo: Bricks are laid in the accounting clerks' area. The sloping buttresses will project from the front of the

## Three years, 24,000 miles later

By Gary Hopkins BONN — The Work's office here on June 9 celebrated the debut of Willi and Hella Frostl as man and

The celebration marked the end of an arduous ordeal for this couple with

the East German bureaucracy.
The Frostls were married April 5 in Zwickau, East Germany (The Worldwide News, May 12). Two months later, on June 8, Mrs. Willi Frostl, formerly Hella Pistorius, legally drove across the communist border with her husband. After a long battle of disappointments mixed with miraculous turns in events, permission to leave East Germany was granted on June 1, exactly three years after their first meeting in Zwickau. When Austrian Willi Frostl

received the news June 5 that his East German wife had been granted per-mission to join him in the West, he immediately set out on the last of many such trips. Willi's latest 630-mile trip con-

cluded his monthly visits to Hella and brought an end to their letter writing. Over the last three years Willi's travels to and from, and throughout, East Germany amounted to 24,000 miles, once around the world.

The real breakthrough for them in their long quest to marry came on April 1. After many dashed hopes, they finally received government permission to marry. Frank Schnee, director of the German Work, mar-ried the patient pair April 5 in Zwickau. after a 33-month engagement. A few close relatives and friends were

Then, May 11, a celebration was held to enable 100 Church members and relatives to honor the Frostls. (This coincided with the wedding of Gotthard Behnisch, the German Plain Truth's managing editor, and Brigitte Ortloff, secretary for the of-fice here, in East Berlin's Opera Cafe )

The May 11 celebration was also the first opportunity since 1971, when Hella's brother married in East Berlin, that the 10 East German Church members could participate in a social with their brethren from the West German churches of Hamburg, Hannover, Duesseldorf, Frankfurt





LOVE MELTS IRON CURTAIN -The Willi Frostls, above, were honored in East Berlin by relatives and Church members after their wedding, which followed three years of East German red tape. The celebration coincided with the wedding of Gotthard Behnisch and Brigitte Ortloff, left photo. [Photos by Cristl Wilson]

## The heat wave of the future: 30 degrees won't chill you

By Gary E. Antion
WEST HILL, Ont. — Skis
strapped to the car with all the proper
winter gear are not uncommon as

U.S. vacationers seeking winter fun cross over into Ontario during the summer months

Unfortunately, in summer Canada does have summer weather.

But you might read of a "30-degree heat wave" in Toronto before the summer's over. That's because Canada is converting to the metric system and the reading is Celsius (centigrade). Zero is freezing in-stead of 32 degrees, as on the Fahrenheit scale.

Larry Chanasyk, a member of To-ronto West, is the chairman of Toronto's Metric Committee. He says 96 percent of the world is al-ready on the metric system.

ready on the metric system.

The metric conversion has now begun and is supposed to peak in 1978, with gradual changes until then. The temperature is given on radio and television news in Celsius, so 30 degrees is really a heat wave.

To figure the Fahrenheit scale from Celsius, a simple approximation can be made by doubling the figure and adding 32. So, 30 degrees Celsius is about 92 degrees Fahrenheit (30 times 2 plus 32). It may seem funny to hear readings in the 20s for springtime, but that's 72 degrees Fahrenheit and above.

Distances are now being posted in kilometers as well as miles to acquaint the public with the metric

The United States is also going metric, but that country is a few years behind Canada in the changeover.

Mr. Chanasyk sums up the metric conversion with a poem

Metric is making my life more mun-

And round about my backside it gives me a pain.

I like my miles, my hands and my

The liters and meters, they just have me beat!

And Celsius, oh, it gives me a chill, So just a bit slower, please, if you

will. Grant me the time to learn gallons from liters,

And also my distance from miles to

And then in the end I'll accept it too, But I don't have to like it, and neither do you!

### Now you know

OLD TAPPAN, N.J. - According to Mrs. Clifton Demarest of Old Tappan, an inexpensive hair spray can be made from lemon- or orangeflavored gelatin.

To make it, she says, dissolve

one-half teaspoon lemon- or orange-flavored gelatin in one-fourth cup of hot water. Add three-fourths cup cold water.

#### A STORY FOR CHILDREN By Shirley King Johnson

Major was sick. Jim Wilson knew something was wrong when he called to the beagle to come upstairs when he got up Sunday morning. Going down to investigate, he saw Major was still lying in

his basket-bed.
"Oh-h-h," Major moaned, his eyes rolling up to look at Jim. He seemed to say, "My tummy aches."

Jim saw he had been sick during the

night. He cleaned up the place and ran upstairs to his father.

Mr. Wilson had just sat down at the breakfast table with Jim's mother and little sister Susan.

"Major's sick," Jim announced.

"Oh? What's the matter?" asked his

#### Something He Ate

Mr. Wilson went down to look Major over. "Let's get him some fresh, cool water and keep him quiet down here today," he said. "If he's not better by tomorrow I'll take him to the vet. It's probably something he ate."

At noon company came to dinner. They were a family that was new in church with two boys nearly Jim's age. Jim had a good time playing ball in the backyard them. But he missed Major. Major liked to chase fly balls.

After their company went home Jim tromped downstairs to check on Major. He was lying beside the washing machine. His eyes opened. "My tummy!" he moaned.

Jim refilled the water dish and went to find his father. Mr. Wilson sat at his desk in the den, working on a speech for Spokesman Club. He looked up as Jim entered. "Is Major any better?"

"No, sir. I'm worried. What if he

Mr. Wilson gave Jim's shoulder a reassuring pat. "He's going to be all right.

"Would you ask our minister to anoint him?

"I know how concerned you are son, but we wouldn't want our Lord to have to take that terrible beating for just a dog's

healing, would we? Or for any other pet

a cat or parakeet, for instance?"

"No, sir, I suppose not." Jim was quiet
for a moment. "There isn't any

## A MAJOR TUMMY ACHE



heaven for dogs, is there?"

Mr. Wilson put both arms around Jim and drew him close. "People don't go to heaven when they die; neither do animals."

"They sleep in the ground," Jim said, remembering what he had learned when Aunt Jessie had died.

"Yes. And everybody who has ever lived will be resurrected at one time or

"Only people will be resurrected?"
"That's right. Do you know why
they'll be resurrected and animals

won't?"

"It's because there's a spirit in man. God keeps a kind of a record of man's character, and He uses that spirit to resur-rect him. But the Bible doesn't mention any animals being in a resurrection at all. They don't have a spirit. And it's a good thing; think how crowded the earth would

Jim's teeth pressed his lower lip as he pondered the subject. "But God can do anything, can't He?"

Sure. He can.

"Then couldn't He resurrect just Major if I asked?"

'Jim, God has a great big plan for this world. It just happens that no animal is included in His resurrection plans. But wasn't it nice that He made pets for us to enjoy? He knew little boys and girls

would need dogs to love."

Jim smiled. "I sure do love Major."

#### Any Kind of Dogs

"That's fine. When you get to be a member of the God Family you can create all the beagle dogs you want. Or any kind of dogs and any number.'

Jim's world brightened. "St. Bernards? A great, big brown-and-white St. Bernard?" He had wanted that kind when they bought Major, but Mr. Wilson had said those dogs were too big for city liv-

ing.
"Sure. Two of them," replied his father,
"Or even three?"

"Four."
"Say! That'll be something!"

Jim changed Major's water before he went to bed. In the morning he hoped the beagle would come up the stairs to meet him, but there was no little clicking paw sound at the basement door. He went to his father's bedroom. Mr. Wilson was almost ready to leave for the office.

"Good morning, Jim. You slept late."
"Good morning. I'm afraid Major's

"Oh? Is he still in his bed?"

"I don't know. I'm afraid to look."

#### "I'll go down with you."

#### 'Naughty Doggie'

As they left the bedroom Jim heard the basement door slam and little Susie began wailing in the kitchen. "Naughty dog-

Jim hurried fast to the kitchen. "Sue, you didn't go downstairs, did you?"

She turned blue eyes on him, tears trembling on her lashes. "Naughty Major ate my breakfus' beef," she wailed. "He did? What'd you give it to him

for? You know he's not well."

Susie shook her head, and blond curls danced on her shoulders. "I was going to

danced on ner shoulders. "I was going to pet him. He ate my breakfus' beef," "It's your own fault for taking it down there," Jim scolded. "Wait a second," said their father. "If Major's eating again he's all right." Jim turned to the basement door. "He must be better."

As he reached for the doorknob a clicking sound came low on the other side of the door. He opened it and Major bounded through, smiling, tail wagging, ready for

Dropping to his knees, Jim hugged him to his chest. "Good old Major! Those St. Bernards are going to have to go some to be nice as you.

## AC students cut second all-original record

By Perry R. Hoag BIG SANDY — The Ambassador College Band and New World Sing-ers have produced their second stereo record album, Look the World in the Eye. The album contains the best of the music from the 1974 Big Sandy Feast show, Skool Daze, an original musical comedy that portrayed the lighter side of life at Ambassador.

Big Sandy Dean of Students Ronald Kelly said of Look the World in the Eye:
"The opportunity to produce a

record and be able to make it avail-able to members of the Church is a tremendous privilege enjoyed by Ambassador College students.

"This second album is even more exciting and of higher quality than the first, which was enjoyed by so many. We are very happy to be able to share this small part of college life with members of the Church and hope it will bring many hours of enjoyable listening to those who pur-chase the record.

"Early releases of the record have been played on various radio stations with many enthusiastic comments coming from local East Texans who have received their copies already. We know you will enjoy yours.'

#### **Utilizing Principles**

The music in the album was writ-

ten, arranged and performed entirely by Ambassador students and staffers

Gary Briggs, music instructor and band director, stressed the educational value of the album

"It gives the students of our arranging, songwriting and music-theory classes an excellent opportunity to utilize the principles they have learned in a practical context, while affording those who purchase the album quality music," he said.

The music is designed to suit a

wide array of tastes, ranging from "Isn't It Just Like a Loving which is performed for special music at Sabbath services and in Garner Ted Armstrong's campaigns, to

"Daddy Always Used to Tell Me," for country fans, to "New Plans, up-tempo number also used in Mr. Armstrong's campaigns.

While on tour with Skool Daze at Feast sites in Big Sandy; Niagara Falls, N.Y.; Mount Pocono, Pa.; Jekyll Island, Ga.; and St. Petersburg, Fla., Feast-show performers heard many requests from Church members that a record of music from the show be produced. The first album, Spread Some Sunshine, was so successful, selling more than 8,000 copies, that a second record-making venture was decided upon.

#### 16 Tracks

The latest album was recorded last January during and after the college semester break. The recording ses-sions were in four stages. The solo-

Band director Briggs added, "Helen Reddy, Merle Haggard and a lot of the big names" have recorded at Sumet-Bernet Sound Studios, where the record was produced.

#### Available in Record Time

Look the World in the Eve is now available by mail (see coupon at the

Last year those processing the or-ders for Spread Some Sunshine had some difficulty because of the unexpected large number of orders.

Record-sales coordinator Jan Gully, a senior student, apologized on behalf of the student body to those whose orders were delayed

But this time, Mr. Gully said, plenty of records are on hand and ready to be mailed out. He said a new



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(Continued from year ago, the campus has remained completely intact.

All of the required equipment -

including dormitories, wardrobes, furniture, beds, dressers, sheets and linens, silverware, dishes, etc. exactly where it was carefully put away and stored, ready for use!

The big, beautiful gymnasium and natatorium are ready for use (the gymnasium is still used as the meeting site for the local church each Sabbath).

The library has each volume it con-tained at the time of its closure!

What I am proposing is reopening Bricket Wood with a streamlined curriculum aimed primarily at developing the ministry and leaders who would go into the International Division (which we previously re ferred to as the Foreign Work).

I cannot announce at this time the officials who would be selected for each responsibility, since I am still in the very early stages of conferring with many of our top men concerning some of these decisions

However, I wanted to announce this exciting news to you in the very initial planning stages, because I know how quickly information of this kind can leak out, perhaps be coming somewhat distorted and mis-understood. And I wanted to share it with you personally before that could

#### 'How Much Will It Cost?'

The big question will be, "How much will it cost?'

Brethren, believe it or not, we are striving to find ways to continue with our stated policy of having the Work in Britain placed on indigenous in-

come beginning in January, 1976.
At the present time only a remain ing small monthly allocation is being t to Bricket Wood during the pro cess of phasing out the campus and the retirement of existing overdraft debt and the conducting of the Work in England.

With income from our British members, coworkers and donors, however, the Work in England still has viability and strength.

Because of international monetary laws, it is virtually impossible to utilize moneys accumulated in foreign offices for the Work in the Unit. ed States, even though they may represent a slight excess from time to

time.

To make it easily understood, that merely means that if, for example, our brethren in New Zealand are very willing and generous and are giving offerings at a rate which builds up a surplus over and about surplus over and above what is resurplus over and above what is re-quired to conduct the Work in New Zealand, that money must REMAIN in New Zealand; it cannot be sent out of the country. MOST countries have laws which prohibit the export of their money to other nations! This is particularly true in countries such as South Africa, Australia, Canada and others.

HOWEVER, we are investigating the possibility of scholarships for international students which may be able to help pay the education of students from many foreign countries. utilizing moneys which would otherwise not be available for any purpose, save the Work conducted rithin the borders of that specific country.

As you can understand, there is much to be researched and there are many decisions to be made.

However, I am announcing at this time that we are in the beginning feasibility study concerning the pos-sibility of reopening the Bricket Wood campus, and we are all hoping d praying that we can find the ways and means to do so even by this coming fall term

#### Begin With 120 Students

I am proposing that we begin with only around 120 students and appropriate faculty and staff, and not re-open with the full complement of open with the 250, initially.

Some of the existing facilities, no tably the dining hall, had already become very much overcrowded at the capacity 250-student level. It is my intention to select a top group of our international students for the Bricket Wood campus and design the curric ulum to offer a streamlined college program aimed directly at training future ministers and other leaders for Christ's Work in nations all around the world

Well, that's it! I wanted you to share the excitement and enthusiasm with the rest of us as we are busily making the plans for reopening Bricket Wood. I hope you will pray that God will provide a way whereby we may do so even this coming au

If for some reason our many feasibility studies indicate it would not be wise to reopen this soon — or some completely unforeseen international emergency or national economic emergency comes along to prevent it - then of course we would have to make the decision based on all the factors and might have to abandon the program to reopen that campus. However, I know that it will be

met with a great deal of excitement and enthusiasm throughout the entirety of God's Church and the colleges to know that we may again be able to reactivate the fabulously beautiful and well-equipped grounds of our Bricket Wood campus and once again know that a dynamic once again know that a dynamic group of bright and happy young stu-dents is living, working, studying and developing for use in Christ's Work on the lovely campus grounds just outside London!

As I have any further decisions to nce, I will place them here in my "Personal" column. There may be some far-reaching personnel changes involving the International Work, but I do not wish to create speculation and would prefer to withhold any proposed alterations in individual responsibility until the decisions have become final and you can read them as an accomplished act, rather than initial speculation.

Brethren, I am going to simply trust in your good judgment as I use my "Personal" column to discuss some of the far-ranging top-level decisions which must be made in God's Work!

I remind you again this is a feasibility study, and there are so many factors which will need to be weighed that it is not outside the realm of possibility that we will have to delay the reopening of the Bricket Wood campus or, as I have explained, abandon the idea all to-

However, I am at the present about 60 to 70 percent sure that we will reopen the Bricket Wood campus this

Until next time, Garner Ted Armstrong

## Buck Owens

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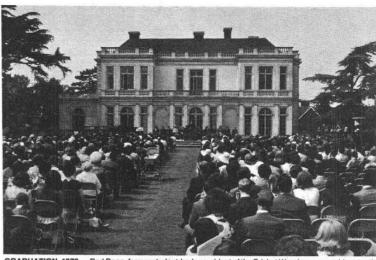
\$5 and \$6.

Mr. Antion said Charley Pride's concerts are always sellouts, and the center will soon open ticket sales to the general public. He advised those interested in attending to mail their requests immediately.

#### Where to Write

Send ticket requests, accompanied by a certified check or money order, to: Ticket Manager, Niagara Falls International Convention Center, Box 1018, Niagara Falls, N.Y., 14302.

Those requesting tickets should state they are Worldwide Church of God Convention delegates



GRADUATION, 1973 - Rod Dean, former student-body president of the Bricket Wood campus, addresses the graduating class of 1973 in front of Richard D. Armstrong Memorial Hall a year before the closing of the campus. Garner Ted Armstrong says there is a 60 to 70 percent chance that the campus will be reopened. [Photo by lan

## English campus may reopen

Wood, on June 21, 1974, and that it

will take time for it to sink in.

Martin Regtien, 1975 Big Sandy graduate, who would have been a senior in Bricket Wood for the 1974-75 school year, said the announcement is "splendid," but "it will take so much to set it up again.'

#### 'Thrilled and Overwhelmed'

Jeannette van Pelt, a senior at Big Sandy, who also would have been a 1975 graduate from Bricket Wood if

## Blind woman wins gold medal in competition for disabled

By Jack Kost
LONDON, Ont. — "I never
dreamed I'd win!" exclaimed an
elated Kerry Winsch after winning
two gold medals. "I was just so
thrilled at the prospect of even participating in athletic competition, let
alone winning. Being handicapped
as I am, it fulfilled a deep craving
I've had as long as I can remember. I've had as long as I can remember. Now I feel more like a normal human being than ever before.'

ss Winsch, a 22-year-old resident of London, has been blind since birth. She began attending services of the Worldwide Church of God in November, 1974.

Participating in the Ontario Games for the Physically Disabled for the first time June 19 to 21, Miss Winsch won gold medals in the 60-meter run and discus competition and bronze medals in the shot-put and walkingrace events

More than 160 handicapped people (some of whom were wheelchair amputees) took part. The three-day event was sponsored by the Ministry of Culture and Recreation of the Canadian government. Plans are for national competition next June to se-lect a Canadian team that would compete in Olympic competition for the disabled. Toronto will be the host of these international games in August, 1976.

"Over 1,700 athletes from about 55 nations will be there," Miss Winsch said. "I'm going to give it my best. I sure would like to be a part

She plans to start training soon in hopes of representing Canada for that international event

## Two brothers will compete for Teenage Mr. America

By Dee Dee Morgan MADISON, Ind. — Danny and Tommy Wingham of the Louisville, Ky., church will compete in the Teenage Mr. America contest in New York Sept. 7. Danny is 19; his brother Tommy is

The boys are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wingham of Madison, members of the Louisville

Danny finished fourth in the contest finals last year in New York Perhaps his strongest competitor for the title this fall will be Tommy. Both boys have been in training for several years, Danny starting at age 15 and Tommy at 12.

They used a home gymnasium, and their father provided equipment

and encouragement.
They lifted weights and did sit-ups and leg-extension exercises. They also used a reclining bench press to build up the chest and a rolling machine for the back.

At their high school here, 255 pounds is listed as the school record for the bench press. Danny, after a full day of construction work, can bench-press this amount 13 times. Tommy can perform this feat four times, also after a day's work. Tommy interrupted his body-

building workouts for a while to take karate classes last year, but now he is back to weight training every day. His weight is 170 now, but he plans to be at 180 by contest time.

Both boys will cut back on carbo-hydrates and eat lots of liver and steak a few weeks before the contest.

Danny has been a member of the World Body Builders Guild since last year, when he competed against 40 teenagers with the best physiques in the United States.

This year will be Danny's last shot at the title; the age limit is 19.

the campus had remained open, said she "was thrilled and over-whelmed." Miss van Pelt, who was employed at Bricket Wood until she had to leave because of passport problems two months ago, said, "The people there were always hopeful, but it looked kind of doubt-

She said she was surprised that the campus may reopen so soon, but that

she 'can see how it is possible.'

She said, 'The dormitories are like they were when students moved out of them last summer, the dining hall and kitchen facilities are still intact, classrooms are sitting there, the library is completely stocked with books, and the gymnasium and swimming pool are still functioning.

## Conference

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office. Mr. McCullough said Mr. Fahey was in Nairobi, Kenya, doing a follow-up lecture for Herbert W. Armstrong's campaign there and that he came to England to discuss the opening of a Kenyan office.

Mr. McCullough said details of the opening of a Kenyan office are not final.

After the conference Mr. McCullough went to Brussels and Copenhagen. He held services or Bible studies in Aarhus, Denmark; Oslo, Norway; and Stockholm, Sweden.

After the tour of Scandinavia he went to Bonn for meetings with members of the German office and then to London, where he held sever-al meetings with Charles Hunting, director of the Work in Britain.

One item Mr. McCullough dis-cussed with Mr. Hunting was transfers of ministers and ministerial assistants. Ministerial assistant Colin Sutcliffe and local elder Peter Mc-Lean will be transferred to Australia. Pastor Bob Morton will go to Pasadena for the fall semester of classes, then be reassigned. Local elder David Stirk and local elder Ron Stoddart will go to South Africa, as will minis-terial assistant David Hulme, who will work in the newsstand area with the Plain Truth.

Preaching elder Stuart Powell will move to Oslo by the first of the year in his capacity as coordinator of the Scandinavian Work.

Mr. McCullough said the Scandi-navian area has "a lot of potential for sponse has been "very good.

## interviews member





Members of the Church's Doctrinal Committee, introduced on these pages, are the nucleus of the group assigned by Garner Ted Armstrong to study, research and compile the doctrines of the Worldwide Church of God.

Many other ministers or researchers contribute to the com-mittee or sit in on meetings, demittee or sit in on meetings, de-pending on the topic currently under study. For example, faculty members visiting headquarters from the Texas campus of Am-bassador may sit in on committee meetings and contribute, or other headquarters ministers with a par-ticular expertise may attend a series of meetings on a given topic.

The makeup of the committee whose members represent varied experiences and training, is flexi-ble; the men interviewed here constitute the group as of June, 1975. The committee is chaired by evangelist C. Wayne Cole, director of the Church Administration Division.

C. Wayne Cole, 45, in addition to serving as director of the Church Administration Division (CAD), is chairman of the Doctri-nal Committee. His goal in that responsibility is to keep meetings open and help provide an atmosphere for fair presentation of all material.

His contact with the Work and Herbert W. Armstrong dates back to the 1930s,

when he was a child growing up in Oregon.

He began attending Ambassador College
after the Feast of Tabernacles in 1950 and graduated with a bachelor-of-arts degree in theology in June, 1954.

Since graduation, Mr. Cole has held numerous positions with the Work. For seven years he served as a field minister. His former pastorates include Corpus Christi, Tex.; Tacoma, Wash.; St. Louis, Mo.; Chicago, Ill.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Pitts-burgh, Pa.; Memphis, Tenn.; and Little Rock, Ark.

In 1961 he and his family were trans-ferred to Australia to head the Work there. One of his children was born in Australia during that 11-year tenure of service. In 1969 he was named vice president for financial affairs and planning for the college and Church for Australia, New Zealand and the Far East.

He returned to headquarters in 1972 to serve as vice president in charge of publishing. He assumed his present CAD responsi-

DOCTRINAL COMMITTEE - Begin DOCTRINAL COMMITTEE — Beguining in the upper-left-hand corner and continuing counterclockwise are C. Wayne Cole, Frank Brown, Raymond McNair, Charles Dorothy, Gunar Freibergs, Lester Grabbe, Herman Hoeh, Robert Kuhn and Brian Knowles.

Text and photos by John Robinson

Mr. Cole married Doris Allen in 1953. They have three children: Randall Brian, 19; Richard Allen, 10; and Patricia Ann, 17. Richard was born in Australia.

Mr. Cole adds to his background of 21 years in the ministry (12 of which he has been an evangelist) extensive travel through the Far East and Europe. He conducted bap-tizing tours through Singapore, East Malaysia and Indonesia. And he and committee member Raymond McNair teamed up for a 5,000-mile tour of India.

He feels the opportunity to work closely with Herbert W. Armstrong for many years is a definite plus in his present role as com-

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Worldwide Church of God business manager Frank Brown, 38, is a regular participant in the committee, but points out that his contribution is not so much in the area of scholarship as it is to "round out the committee" and to contribute from a vantage point other than strict research.

He has been in the ministry for 10 years (he was ordained a preaching elder in 1965 and a pastor in 1968). For nine years he has been involved in financial affairs and plan-He feels his tenure in the ministry and his Bible background, coupled with his experience in the Work and serving as a divi-sion head, enhance his contribution.

Mr. Brown is a native of England. He Mr. Brown is a native of England. He lived there until 1965. He attended Ambassador College in Bricket Wood, England, from 1961 to 1965. He received his bachelor-of-arts degree in theology from that campus in 1965 and later the same year married an American girl, Sharon Roesler. They have two daughters; Rachel, 81/2, and Elizabeth, 7½. Mr. Brown was also awarded a master-of-arts degree in theology from Ambassador College, Pasadena, in

He has traveled widely while in the Work. He led a French-speaking baptizing tour through Switzerland, France and Bel-gium in 1965; the year before, he spent the summer touring the British Isles. He visited South Africa, Australia, New Zealand, Mexico, Canada and "most states in the

He said when he came to Ambassador he had a good working knowledge of French and German but both have fallen into disuse in recent years. He served as a theology instructor at the Pasadena campus from 1968 to 1971.

Mr. Brown lists his hobbies as his job, reading modern political histories and playing bridge.

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Dr. Charles Verne Dorothy, 41-year-old father of five, holds degrees from the University of Washington, Ambassador College and the Universidad Americana of Saltillo, Mexico.

He graduated cum laude with a and graduated cum tauae with a bachelor-of-arts degree in political science from the University of Washington in 1955. The same year he enrolled as an undergraduate student at Ambassador, Pasadena, where he assisted with college classes and

taught at nearby Imperial Schools.

He received a bachelor-of-arts degree in theology and Spanish from Ambassador in 1958 and was ordained a preaching elder the same year. Since then he has served on the Ambassador faculties of Pasadena and Big Sandy, including an eight-year stint as dean of faculty on the Texas campus. He also headed the Spanish Work for a number of years before assuming his present respon-sibilities in doctrinal research. He also teaches theology classes at Ambassador.

By spending summers in Mexico while attending the Universidad Americana he earned an M.A. and Ph.D. in Latin Ameri-

can studies.

Dr. Dorothy, a pastor since 1963, is fluent in Spanish and has a reading knowledge of Portuguese. With three years of Greek and Hebrew at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena some years ago, he is now taking graduate classes in theology at both Fuller and the Southern California School of Theology at Claremont. He traveled extensively throughout the Holy Land, including a special tour in Turkey of the seven churches of Revelation 2 and 3. He spent a total of more than a year in Mexico, Central and South America and "traveled all over Asia at personal expense.

Mrs. Dorothy is the former JoAnn Felt. They have been married almost 18 years.
Their children are Charvle Ann. 15: Creston, 13; Charina, 11; Chad, 10; and Chrysti, 7.

Dr. Dorothy contributes to the committee 'long-standing interest in biblical stud-,' thousands of hours of personal study over the past 20 years and what he feels is an ability to "synthesize" material.

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Latvian-born Gunar Freibergs lived tavian-born Gunar Freibergs fived five years in Germany and 10½ years in Australia before joining the Ambassador College, Pasadena, staff in 1967 as a fulltime instructor.

Mr. Freibergs, a local elder since 1965, is vice chairman of the Theology Department and teaches classes in theology, church his-

tory and prophecy.

He attended Ambassador College from 1960 to 1963 and was awarded a bachelorof-arts degree in theology in 1963.

Five years later he entered a master's program in medieval history at the Univer-sity of Cincinnati, Ohio, and received his degree the following year, 1969. He is now pursuing a doctorate in medieval history at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles

Angeles.

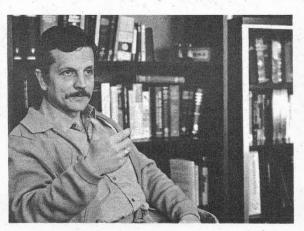
Mr. Freibergs, 39, speaks fluent German, Latvian and English. He also has a "reading knowledge of Spanish, French and Italian and a fair reading knowledge of

His wife, the former Jan Barnett, whom he married in 1963, speaks English, Ger-man and Spanish and shares his interest in

languages.

He feels he brings to the committee a special interest in ancient and medieval his-tory, Bible exegesis and prophecy. He feels those interests have been heightened by extensive travel in Western Europe, Australia,







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the Middle East and North Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Freibergs, a son Tal, 10, and a daughter Karina, 6, live in Pasadena, where Mr. Freibergs has "about 30 chickens and nine ducks" tucked away in his

He lists his hobbies as hiking and "chicken farming."

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Lester Grabbe, 29, is an assistant professor of theology at Ambassador College and also teaches Greek and Hebrew. He attended the Bricket Wood campus of Ambassador from 1965 to 1968. He received his bachelor-of-arts degree in 1968 and a master of arts in 1970. Both degrees are from Ambassador and both are in theology.

He has just completed his requirements for a Ph.D. in religion at Southern California School of Theology at Claremont. His concentration at Claremont was in language and literature relating to the Bible. In addition to the required programs of reading knowledge of Greek, Hebrew, French and German, he also took classes in or researched the Aramaic, Syriac, Akkadian, Ugaritic, Arabic and Ethiopic languages.

He also studied the Dead Sea Scrolls under Professor William Brownlee, one of the first men to work with the scrolls.

Mr. Grabbe's thesis, Comparative Philology and the Text of Jobs A Study in Methodology, was an investigation into the use of other Semitic languages to help elucidate problems in the Hebrew Old Testament text.

Mr. Grabbe presented two papers before the Pacific Coast section of the Society of Biblical Literature (SBL). The titles of the papers were "Maccabean Chronology: New Light on an Old Problem" and "Jewish Christianity Before and After 70 'A.D."

In addition to membership in the SBL, he also belongs to the International Organization for Septuagint and Cognate Studies and the International Organization for Masoretic Studies.

Mrs. Grabbe is the former Elizabeth Wood. She is English by birth and is an accomplished pianist who accompanies soloists on personal-appearance campaigns and accompanies the headquarters-church choir. Mr. and Mrs. Grabbe have two children: Heather, 4, and Bruce, 2.

Mr. Grabbe's hobbies are listening to music (especially of the Renaissance period) and gourmet dining. He has a special interest in the Renaissance.

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Dr. Herman L. Hoeh is a senior Plain Truth editor, member of the board of trustees of Ambassador College, Pasadena, an evangelist and marital counselor "by need if not by choice."

Dr. Hoeh, 46, has been a coworker for

Dr. Hoeh, 46, has been a coworker for over 30 years and was one of four pioneer students who entered Ambassador College in 1947. From Ambassador he received his A.B. degree in foreign languages in 1951, an M.A. in theology in 1952 and then was awarded a Th.D. and Ph.D. for his work

with Vol. I and II of his Compendium of World History.

He speaks English and German and reads French and Spanish and has studied Greek at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, He is one of the seven original evangelists ordained in 1953 and has known Herbert W. Armstrong for nearly 30 years. This contact with Mr. Armstrong, he

This contact with Mr. Armstrong, he feels, gives him the ability to reflect to the committee questions Mr. Armstrong has or would have on a given study and helps him present the study results to Mr. Armstrong in a way that focuses "on what he wants to know" about a given research project.

Dr. Hoeh and his wife, the former Isabell

Dr. Hoeh and his wife, the former Isabell F. Kunkel, live in Sunland, Calif., a suburb of Los Angeles bordering the high desert about 17 miles from the campus. They have four children: Karline, 19; Anneliese, 16; Manfred, 13; and Gilda Marie, 11. The Hoehs have been married almost 22 years.

Geology, archaeology and the study of ancient and medieval history are among Dr. Hoeh's interests. He also enjoys encouraging his wife in the cooking of exotic foods and the preparation of native dishes from the nation's he's visited.

He has written dozens of Plain Truth and

He has written dozens of Plain Truth and Good News articles over two decades and was Plain Truth managing editor 19 years.

He taught at Ambassador from 1951 to

1972 and served as dean of faculty.

He has visited 50 countries, including
Nigeria, the Belgian Congo (Zaire), Af-

He has visited 50 countries, including Nigeria, the Belgian Congo (Zaire), Afghanistan and the Soviet Union. In the Soviet Union he discussed the history of that country with leading Soviet historians.

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Good News managing editor Brian Knowles, 34, began his employment with the Work "stuffing literature" in the Vancouver, B.C., office in 1964. After a few months he became a mail reader and after the Feast of Tabernacles in 1965 became a ministerial assistant in Edmonton, Alta.

He was ordained a local elder in the spring of 1966 and remained in Edmonton until entering Ambassador College, Pasadena, in the fall of 1968. After two semesters of study at Ambassador he was ordained a preaching elder and assigned to pastor the Tulsa, Okla., church and start a church in Ponca City. Okla

church in Ponca City, Okla.

While serving as a field minister, Mr.
Knowles began a writing career. His first
contribution was handwritten, so David Jon
Hill sent him a typewriter. Mr. Hill was then
serving as managing editor of Tomorrow's
World, a magazine published by the Work
from 1969 to 1972. In 1971 Mr. Knowles
returned to Pasadena to become an associate
editor for Tomorrow's World and was
named managing editor two months before
the magazine was discontinued.

After the cancellation of the magazine he worked with the Booklet Department, producing and updating booklets. He still works with the program in addition to his Good News responsibilities.

Mr. Knowles. a native of Winnipeg, Man., is married to the former Marie Leduc. The couple has three sons: David, 9; Jeff, 7; and Jon, 2½. Mr. Knowles and his wife were baptized together by James Friddle in 1961, though they were not married at the time.

He has taught theological journalism and systematic theology at Ambassador, Pasadena, and toured the Middle East with archaeologist Jack Finegan, professor of the New Testament at Pacific School of Religion at Berkeley, Calif.

Mr. Knowles, who worked as a commercial artist before being employed by the Work, lists his hobbies as art, weight training and Bible archaeology. He still paints and loves to doodle and draw cartoons. He has sold dozens of paintings over the years through art galleries.

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Dr. Robert Kuhn, 30, assistant to Garner Ted Armstrong, studied at New York University and the University of Rochester before receiving a bachelor-of-arts degree in human biology from Johns Hopkins University in 1964. That same year he began a three-year program at the University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA) that ended with his receiving a doctorate in brain research.

Dr. Kuhn entered Ambassador College, Pasadena, in 1966 as an undergraduate student while still involved in his doctoral program at UCLA. He received a bachelor-ofarts degree in theology from Ambassador in 1969.

In his third year at Ambassador he began work as an assistant to evangelist David Jon Hill. He retained that job after graduation and became an associate editor of Tomorrow's World magazine, a theological publication of the Work published from 1969 to 1972. Drawing from his background in brain research, he also worked extensively with Herbert W. Armstrong on a series of articles for the Work's publications centering around the Church's doctrine on the spirit in man.

He became an assistant to Garner Ted Armstrong in 1972 and was recently named an executive director of the Ambassador International Cultural Foundation.

Dr. Kuhn married Dora Serviyarian in June, 1967. The couple has three children: Aaron. 7: Adam. 5: and Daniella. 4.

Aaron, 7; Adam, 5; and Daniella, 4.

Dr. Kuhn brings to the committee a knowledge of Hebrew and a strong interest in doctrine. He says his first real interest in the Work after conversion was doctrine. He feels his academic background and organizational and methodological interests are helbful contributions to the committee.

He says his hobby is his work

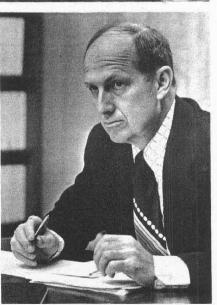
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Raymond Franklin McNair, 45, longtime evangelist and former deputy chancellor of the Ambassador College campus at Bricket Wood, England, is a senior editor for both The Good News and the Plain Truth and works with the Church Administration Division in coordinating ministers' questions with the latest research of the committee.

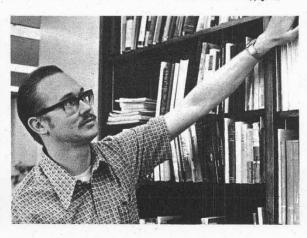
Mr. McNair entered Ambassador College in 1948, the second year of the college, (See 'WN' INTERVIEWS, page 10)













COMMITTEE MEETING — Beginning with the lower-right-hand corner of photo and continuing clockwise around the table: C. Wayne Cole, committee chairman; Frank Brown; Brian Knowles; Lester Grabbe; Lawson Briggs; Carl Franklin; Gunar Freibergs; Herman Hoeh; Clint Zimmerman (in shirt and tie); Raymond McNair; Wilbur Berg; John Hopkinson; and Charles Dorothy meet in a Hall of Administration conference room on the Pasadena campus of Ambassador College. [Photo by John Robinson]

#### 'WN' interviews members

(Continued from page 9) and received his bachelor-of-arts degree in theology in 1953. Ten years later he was awarded an M.A. degree

in theology, also from Ambassador. During his 27 years with the Work he has traveled extensively, written many articles for college and Church publications, pastored "nine or 10" churches and done "considerable research in theology and history."

His travels have taken him around the world three times. He toured extensively in the Middle East on many occasions, visited every European country except Poland and the Soviet Union and once conducted a baptizing tour through Africa.

ing tour through Africa.

Mr. McNair and his family lived in England for 15 years, while he served as regional Plain Truth editor and director of church administration in addition to his college responsibili-

ties. While at the college in England he taught Church History, Systematic Theology and Old Testament Survey and other classes.

He has been an evangelist for 22 years and was one of a group of seven men originally ordained to that responsibility in 1953. He has worked with Herbert W. Armstrong on numerous occasions and feels that this contact is a help in his committee responsibilities.

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In 1955 he married Leona
Ganshorn of Regina, Sask. They
have three children: Ruth Angelyn,
18; Bruce David, 16; and Raymond
Joseph, 14. His sons were born in
Eneland.

England.
Under hobbies and special interests Mr. McNair lists hiking, wide-interest reading, travel, gardening, research writing, swimming, hunting and fishing.

#### Coloring contest

## CHANCES TO WIN INCREASED

"The Worldwide News" is changing the number of age-groups in the coloring contest that was announced in the June 23 issue. Three agegroups were designated at that time: 5 and under, 6 and 7, and 8 and 9.

However, because of the 420 responses through July 17 and because of the differences in ability of each age, the WN is expanding the number of age-groups to six. Age-groups (as of Aug. 1) will now be 4 and under, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.

With this change, each contestant's chances of winning are substantially increased.

Prizes will be the same for each classification, including \$15 cash, a \$5.95 copy of *The Boy Who Sailed Around the World Alone* and a box of 72 crayons. For contest rules and entry blank, see the June 23 issue.

Winners will be announced in the Aug. 18 issue of The Worldwide News.

## Letters TO THE EDITOR

(Continued from page 2)

onies united themselves together to write and adopt the document declaring their independence as a *united* group (of independent, sovereign states, of course).

I would conclude that the statement of the actual formation of the United States on March 4, 1789, by Mr. Dunkin is questionable on the grounds of from which point one considers our actual beginning to be: Independence Day, July 4, 1776, with the Articles of Confederation as embodying governmental documentary (it is recognized as our first constitution — see article above) approved by the Continental Congress OR the proclamation of the Constitution (as we know its faint and sad resemblance today) by the Constitutional Congress on Sept. 13, 1788, and the subsequent convening of the United States of America on March 4, 1790

Thank you for a fine publication in the WN. I enjoy receiving each issue. Delving into American history never hurt anyone!

Mrs. Frank R. Wolf
Hill City, Idaho

### BABIES

ATLANTA, Ga. — Clemence Earl Crawford, first son, first child of Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Crawford, June 9, 6:40 p.m., 5 pounds 9½ ounces.

BIG SANDY, Tex. — Bradley Alan Heath, first son, first child of Alan and Carole Ann (Bronkar) Heath, July 11, 9:28 a.m., 8 pounds.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky. — Rebecca Elizabeth Hoover, second daughter, third child of Roge and Grace Hoover, June 11, 6:28 a.m., 6 pound 2% ounces.

BRICKET WOOD, England — Charlotte Shaw Howard, first daughter, second child of Robin and Eileen Howard, May 25, 10:44 p.m., 7 pounds 6 ounces.

BRISBANE, Australia — Susan Patricia Lucas, first daughter, first child of George and Patricia Lucas, May 29, 3:30 a.m., 7 pounds 10½ ounces.

third child of Wayne and Claudia Speed, June 25, 4:05 a.m., 7 pounds 15 ounces.

CHAMPAIGN, III. — Nina Kay Regnier, first

CHAMPAIGN, III. — Daniel William Sills, third son, seventh child of Robert L. and Anita Sills

CHELMSFORD. England — Sophia Elizabel Hunnisett, sixth daughter, seventh child of Ala and Maureen Hunnisett, June 25, 7:30 a.m., pounds.

CHICAGO, III. — Kimberly Dawn Harrell, second daughter, second child of Ronald and Geraldine Harrell, June 14, 3:20 a.m., 7 pounds.

CHICO, Calif. — Mark Allen Avey, first son, second child of Raymond and Bertie Holmes, June 21, 7 pounds 4½ ounces.

CHICO, Calif. — Mark Allen Avey, first son, second child of Gary and Norma Avey, June 13, 154 a.m. 8 pounds 8 ounces.

1:54 a.m., 8 pounds 8 ounces.

DALLAS, Tex. — Katle Anne Sipe, first daughter, second child of Susan and Robert Sipe, June 13, 12:21 p.m., 7 pounds.

DENYER, Colo. — Jessica Dawn Hill, first daughter, first child of Randall and Jane (Geiser) Hill, June 6, 5:35 p.m., 6 pounds 11 ounces.

first son, first child of Gordon and Barb Graham, July 2, 6:35 p.m., 7 pounds 8 ounces.

first son, first child of David and Maureen Overstreet, March 30, 8 pounds 14 ounces. HARLINGEN, Tex. — Matthew V. Anguiano, first

HANOVER PARK, III. — Sheila Dawn Wiese, third child of Wendell and June Wiese, June 19, 6 pounds 13 ounces.

son, irrat child of Mr. and Mrs. Hobert A. Zeigler, June 8, 10:05 p.m., 7 pounds 7 ounces. HUNTSVILLE, Ala. — Kimberty Jean Blencowe, first daughter, second child of Judy (Carter) and Lee Blencowe, June 2, 5:30 p.m., 7 pounds.

JACKSONVILLE, N.C. — Vincent Travis Szymkowiak, first son, second child of Vince and Carol (Childs) Szymkowiak, June 10, 12:24 p.m., 7 pounds 7 o'unces.

LONGVIEW, Tex. — Jason Roderick Martin, first son, second child of Betsy and Rod Martin, May 13, 5 a.m., 7 pounds 7 ounces.

Mackay, June 25, 7:29 a.m., 8 pounds 14 ounces

MOUNT POCONO, Pa. — Bryan Scot

Hedgepeth, first son of Gene and Ester

Hedgepeth, June 27, 10:45 p.m., 6 pounds 1

NORTH BATTLEFORD, Sask. — Timothy Ernes Nutbrown, second son, fourth child of Earl and Velda Nutbrown, June 21, 3:20 a.m., 10 pounds 9½ ounges.

OMAHA, Neb. — Peggy Sue and Patricia Ann Baldrey (twins), second and third daughters, second and third children of Art and Donna Baldrey, June 17, 6 pounds 12½ ounces and 8 pounds 5½ ounces.

PASADENA, Calif. — Amie Dawn Yetka, first daughter, first child of Joyce and Bob Yetka, June 16, 7 pounds 12 ounces.

PERTH, Australia — Rebecca Jane Avila, firs daughter, third child of Joe and Naline Avila, May 24, 6:30 p.m., 8 pounds 4 ounces.

PHOENIX, Ariz. — Duane David Wik, Irist son, second child of Martin and Paula Wik, June 23, 5:29 p.m., 8 pounds 8½ ounces.

(Whitaker) Nickels, June 19, 7 pounds 1 ounce.

RENO. Nev. — Charles Landing Stevens, second son, third child of Warren and Patti

SAINT JOHN, N.B. — Steven Edward Tibbits, second son, third child of Garland and Joyce Tibbits, June 23, 8:50 a.m., 7 pounds.

SALEM, Ore. — Bonnie Susan Swaggerty, first daughter, third child of Dick and Martha (Peters) Swaggerty, June 24, 8:13 p.m., 8 pounds 3 ounces.

SALISBURY, Rhodesia — Shannon Patricia Webster, first daughter, first child of Rogan and Pat Webster, June 18, 7:48 a.m., 7 pounds.

son, first child of David and Mary Jo Rydholm, July 4, 3:16 p.m., 8 pounds 11 ounces. SPOKANE, Wash. — Heather Ann Maxwell, first daughter, first child of Mr. and Mrs. Stave

Maxwell, July 2. 6:18 p.m., 7 pounds 5 ounces. TOLEDO, Ohio — Frederick Ethan Klett, third son, fifth child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klett, June 20, 7:41 a.m., 8 pounds 2½ ounces.

TOPEKA, Kan. — Tracy Jo Duke, first daughter, second child of Russell and Phyllis Duke, June 21, 1:57 a.m., 8 pounds 8 ounces.

TULSA, Okla. — Brandon Joseph Storjohann, firs son, firstchild of Bernhard and Genevra (Newbold Storjohann III. July 5, 10:11 a.m., 6 pounds 15/ ounces.

VICTORIA, B.C. — Scott Andrew Ferron, so second child of Gerry and Linda (Smithso Ferron, June 24, 9:50 p.m., 8 pounds 7 ounce WATERLOO, lows — Robert Spencer Ehlers, third son, fifth child of David and Evalyn Ehlers, June 15, 6:41 a.m., 9 pounds.

WAYNESBORO, Pa. — Nikki Lynn Nowels, first daughter, second child of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Nowels, June 9, 8 pounds 8 ounces.

WINNIPEG, Man. — Kevin Grant Guspodarchuk, first son, second child of Nestor and Kerry Guspodarchuk, May 16, 5:31 p.m., 7 pounds 8½ nunces

WISCONSIN DELLS, Wis. — Samentha Jo Schmidt, first daughter, first child of Ken and Karen (Barr) Schmidt, June 23, 8:57 p.m., 6 pounds 13% gunges.

### **PERSONALS**

Send your personal ad, along with a WN mailing label with your address on it, to PERSONALS, The Worldwide News, Box 111, Big Sandy, Tex., 75755, U.S.A. Your personal must follow the guidelines given in the "Policy on Personals" box that frequently appears on this page. We cannot print your personal unless you include your mailling label.

#### PEN PALS

I am 31, the only member of the Church of God so far in my country, married, with two children. I am a teacher in a government high school. Want correspondence from anybody, everywhere, all ages. Interests: volleyball, reading, current events. Altred Slueh Barbley, P.O. Box 7, Zwedru Chi, Grand Gedeh County, Liberia.

Tim 13, and I'd like anyone (especially guys) to write me. My interests: anything to do with the handicapped, reading, withing poetry, just about anything else you can name, from vans to babled probable Grinnel, 414 Stack Dr., Anderson, 14, 48013. PS: Anyone going to the Ozarks would be very welcome to write!

Bonnie Douglas, please write me! Don't have your current address and am moving Aug. 1 to following address. Let's keep in touch! Cindy Nelsen, 1717 N. Fry No. 14, St. Paul, Minn., 55113.

#### SORRY!

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I'm 13, white and would like pen pal boy or girl 13 to 16. Interests: sewing, reading, archery, kickball, tennis. Write soon. Tanji Plato, Box 124, Youngstown, Fla., 32466.

I am a D&R single. Would like to write males and females in their 40s or early 50s. I like good music, cooking, sewing. Hobbles are quilling, camping. Will statend Czarks Feast. Mrs. Atlean Broach, 1605 Lacey, Cape Girardeau, Mo., 63701.

Asian members: American wife and mother, 30, interested in oriental culture and way of life. Would love to write Asian woman, married and would love to write Asian woman was cooking, writing, reading, chess. Heather Haddad, 4462 W. 137Ih Place, Hawthorne, Calif., 90250, U.S. 40250.

Would like to correspond with anyone seriously interested in geology, especially concerning mineral placement and precious stones. Peter Grainger, No. 2111-65 High Park Ave., Toronto,

l am 14, I would like boys and girls 13 to 16 from any country or state to write me. Interests: basketball, music, swimming, fish raising. Diane Weltknecht, 2234 S. Lumber St., Allentown, Pa., 18103.

SEP persons: Help. I am in hot water. I lost my SEP address book and contact with anyone outside Columbus, Ohio. Please, if you went to SEP '74-75, Dorms 4-6, 6-6, 4-8, 2-9, please write if you remember Dentors Watts of 4-8. If you don't remember ma I will remember you. Sand to 114 Hunington Dr., Columbus, Ohio, 43200.

Bachelor white member would like to hear from female members 30 to 48. Interests: music, good literature, fishing, outdoors. Cacil Seagle, Rt. 3, Box 42, Franklin, N.C., 28734.

Member, white, 61, would like to write singles in God's Church around the same age who are going to the Dells. Interests: housekeeping, cooking, music, swimming, fishing, sports, travels, nitting, crocketing, darching, Aletha Rynes, 11583 Maple Island Rd., Rt. 3, Fremont, Mich., 49412.

Member, 21, interested in corresponding with an American Indian brethren. Miss Lynette Madden 1720 Evergreen Rd., Harrisburg, Pa., 17109.

Single female, Caucasian, 53, varied interests like being active, enjoy traveling. Attending Ozarks. Mary V. Heath, Rt. 1, Box 170, Dixon Kv. 4246.

Girl, 10, would like boys and girls 9 to 11 to write Enjoys sports and loves animals. LaDonni Gossett, Rt. 2, Arcadia, Kan., 66711.

to 27 attending Feast at Tucson. John Rollins, 63 N. Zunis, Tulsa, Okla., 74110.

I am a spiritual widow of 30, would like correspondents around my age. Interested in tearning all things. Mrs. Carol Becker, 8660 Jean Brillon St., Apt. 108, Lasalle, Que., H8N 2G3, Canada. Anyone who knew Marilyn Wolf, now Mrs. Derfnis

Boy, 12, would like to write boys or girls from all over the world about everyday things in Esperanto or English, Hans Pedersen, 34 Prince St., Victoria, 3825, Australia.

I'm 17, would like to correspond with guys and girls. My interests are reading, music, animals, most anything. Send photol Judy Slater, Rt. 1, Box 1, Wagon Mound, N.M., 87752.

I would like to write girls and boys in my ag category. I am 10. I like sports, cooking, ridin ponies. I travel a lot and am a girl scout. Sherr Puemer, 1823 S. 44th St., Milwaukee, Wis. Wildow since 1971, white, desires correspondence with members 50 to 60. Enjoys good music, travel, likes to cook. Virginia Waller, 311 W. Mortand Rd., Charleston, W.Va., 25302.

I would like to have a pen pal. Girl, 10, likes sports, baseball, volleyball, horseback riding. Would like to communicate with anyone in U.S. Shelli Weaver, 485 Hein Rd., Kelowne, B.C. Canada.

Canada.
White female member: 43, D&R, desgitter: 12, two years of college, diversified interests, including sports, dancing, art, music, good sterature, outdoors, nutrition, would like to write other unmarried members, make and female. Will attend Fenat in St. Pete. Nell Smith, 7729 Brockhurst Dr., Jacksonville, Fla., 32211.

Girl, 9, who likes swimming, needlepoint science, wants pen pal. Becky Garvin, 3001 Juci

Boy, 8, who likes swimming, clubs, crossword puzzles and mysteries, wants pen pal. Steve Garvin, 3001 Juca Cove, Memphis, Tenn.

Girl, 6, who likes swimming, bike riding and jump-roping, wants pen pal. Julie Garvin, 3001 Juca Cove, Memohis, Tenn., 38116.

I will be 14 in October. Would like to hear from anybody, especially from Ohio. I love sports and animals. If you don't have anything to do, now you do.1'll answer all. Kim Huston, 50 Constitution St., Henderson, Nev., 89015.

A 16-year-old white female would love to write guys and gals 16 to 20, especially those who planned to attend FOT in St. Petersburg. I love most sports and books, writing, cooking, sewing, So come on, ya all, and write! Sheils Turner, 739

Girl, 11, would like some pen pals around my age who will go to Feast at Big Sandy. Becky Tintjer,

Charming, vivacious, outgoing single lady wishes to correspond with single gentlemen 38 to 50 or equal humility. Marilyn Baker, N. 3004 Atlantic

An addition to my last personal description Italian ancestry, 5 feet 6, black hair, brown eyes 130 pounds. Mr. Joseph P. Camerata, 419 W Colter, Apt. 8, Phoenix, Ariz., 85013.

Would like to hear from any young women, single white, 20 to 25, who will attend Feast at the Delis

Young people going to Wisconsin Dells for the Feast: Bachelor, 24, would like to hear from you. I have varied interests: sight-seeing, dancing, most sports, scuba diving, Gregory R. Olson, 2950 Glen Oak Ave., Lot 525, Clearwater, Fla.,

I would like to hear from anyone from The Worldwide News. Interests: everything. Single

Did you go to the first session of SEP, '74? Are you going to St. Petersburg for the FOT? If so, please write Brenda Krieger, Rt. 3, Box 39,

Idaho and Vermont brethren: Tommy Dowell at Rt. 1, Box 226, Cecilia, Ky., 42724, needs to receive a card from you to make a collection of cards from all states complete.

Marla Huie, where are you? Why did you stop writing? Please write your pen pal, Michele Hollis.

Single female, 49, would enjoy corresponding with others in same age bracket. Write Thelma Bowlby, 500 W. Webster, Springfield, Mo., 65802.

Hillam13andwouldikelowiteboysandgiris13to 18. Iwouldalsolikepenpals fromforeign countries. I like animals, sports and just having fun! Please write! Lesie Minal, 8601 Redondo Dr., Dallas, Tex., 75218.

Single white member, 21, would like to write to young men 23 to 26. Interests: music, dancing, all outdoor activities, gardening, traveling. Pauline Raymond, Box 1752, Lewiston, Maine, 04240.

Young male, 24, wishes to write to any young people going to Poconos, Interested in sports especially water sports and skating. Bill Burton, Rt 7, Box 552C, Hickory, N.C., 28601.

#### **WEDDING NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Langlois are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Darkene Rose, to Thomas Michael Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berry of Athens, Gs. A Gardon wedding is planned for Sept. 13 in Saratoge, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson of the Monterey church, happy 46th anniversary to my wonderful piano teacher and her very nice husband. Love always, Michele.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weimer, happy 20th anniversary, Love always, the LeVasseurs.



MR. AND MRS. R.E. BLIEMEISTER
The wedding of Karen D. Thomas and Robert E.
Blemeater took place on Father's Day, uner 15,
a beautiful Buffalo, N.Y., day. The day was extra
special as Bob, a 1972 Ambassador College
graduate from Pasadena, also became the father
of Karen's two daughters, Rabelle, (8, and
Rabekah, 3. The new family lives at 118
Beckman St., Tonawarda, N.Y., 14150.

Happy 10th anniversary to "Uncle Ozzle" and (See PERSONALS, page 11)



MR. AND MRS. LLOYD R. NELSON AND FAMILY 1975 graduates of Ambassador College, Passadena. The couple will make their home in Vancouver, B.C., where Richard will be a ministerial trainee.

ministerial trainee.

To Diane and Bill of Seattle: Come July 6 it will have been a whole yeart You are a great couple, and I know you will be blessed for many years to come. (Theard the U.S. Postal Service asked for its come, if the defail subsidy when you two stopped writing such other and decided to get married instead) highly service anniversary! Your pen pai in Willis Highly first anniversary! Your pen pai in Willis

Mrs. Pearl V. Keith of Medford, Ore., wishes to announce the engagement of her daughter, Paula, to Mr. William Ray Hochsteller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Hochsteller. The wedding is planned for the Fourth of July, 1975, at Middlebury, Ind.

Mr. David W. Paisley and Miss Jill Fisher were married June 7 in Minneapolis, Minn. The caremony was performed by Mr. Bill Jahns, who is a newly ordained preaching elider in St. Paul. This was Mr. Jahns first poportunity by performs a working. Parents of the groom, Mr. and Ms. Ariz, church and traveled to Mrineapolis for the working. The couple will maid in St. Paul.

Miss Jan Stevenson, Tallahassee, Fla., and Mr. Benjamin J. Wiedemann, Houston, Tex., were united in marriage April 12 in Houston. Mr. Ed Marrs officiated. The couple is now residing at 4223 S.W. Freeway, Apt. 79. Houston, Tex., 77027.

MR. AND MRS. DAN DEININGER

A lovely \*\_irdam wodding was the setting for the marriage of Valerie Leigh Wood and Daniel Ray Deliniger on June 1. The wodding look place at the borie of Mir. and Mirs. LG. Wood, parents of the lower of the lower

LITERATURE Wanted: PT, January, 1967, to March, 1969 (trying to complete "The Story of Man"). Also, 7W, January, 1970, and any old CC lessons. Willing to repay postage and pass on duplicates. Mrs. J.C. Sigler, Box 133, Rt. 1, Dahlonege, Ga., 30533.

Interested in trading herbs native to my area of North Carolina for herbs from other parts of the country and world, where postage is not prohibitive. Also interested in trading into with other people interested in trading into with other people interested in bethe and wild plants. Robert Freeman, Rt. 2, 80x 898, Morganton, Nober, 1988, Morganton, Nober, 1989, Mor

Members of the Church, would you please be of assistance to one of our brothers in West Africa. He has requested any and all back issues of 304 you have available. He will not be able to miniburse you for pestage because of foreign the period of the period of the period of the work of the period of the period of the Africa. He also wishes correspondence with members. He's 27, a student and a member. Dorand Gibbonn, fewetin, Kan.

### **PERSONALS**

(Continued from page 10)
"Aunt Beverly." With love, from Kurt, Nicole and Tara Pflegi.

Happy second anniversary to Moo RossIII From his Smoothie.

his Smoochie.
Instant family! On Sunday, May 4, Norma W. Snyder of Cedar Rapids, lowe, and Lloyd R. Nelson, a newly ordained deacon of the Rochester, Minn., church, were married at the Holiday Inn. in Rochester by Mr. Karl Holiday Inn. in Rochester by Mr. Sarl Holiday Inn. In Rochester, and Inn. In Rochester by Mr. Sarl Holiday Inn. In Rochester, and Inn. In Rochester Brain, William Kondon, Inn. In Rochester, Minn. In Rochester, Minn.

Warren Lee Willard and Carol Lynn Strickland were married-June 27 at the home of Mobile, Ala., peator Larry Smith, with the immediate families present. Carol Lynn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Strickland, and Warren is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Curlis Willard of Fairhope, Ala. The young couple are at home in Fairhope, Apt. 14, Magnoša Arms Apartments.

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The children of Bill Steel and Ann Gardner are happy to announce the wedding of their parents. The west will be in boy matinorny on June 14 at 75 were unlike in boy matinorny on June 14 at 75 were unlike in boy matinorny on June 14 at 75 were being the second of the s

now reside at 200 N. Blass, Dumas, Tex., 79029.

Mr. andMrs. Rayk. Jones are happy to amorunce the marriage of their daughter, Linda Sun, to Mr. Mack Mosley, Jr. The weeding took place at the American Legion Hall. London, Ky., March 8. Mr. Mel Dahlgen, paetor of the London church Mel Dahlgen, paetor of the London church bride's sister, Brends Goode of Rhuber, Ky. Bridesmalds were Velma Jones of Liberty, Ky., and Owawna Sue Hudson of Lexington, Ky. Flower girl was neitee of the bride, Angolina Goode, Trewer girl was neitee of the bride, Angolina Goode, Trewer girl was neitee of the bride, Angolina Goode, Larry Mosley, or Piktwille, Ky. Groot the growth of Lexington. The couple now reside in Lexington.

Enoch Lee Anderson Jr. and Chartene Joyce labil were united in marriage on Friday, April 4, at the Chilhowee Clubhouse in Mayville, Tenn. Dave "Marrying Sam" Orban, minister of the Knoxville Church, performed the double-ring ceremony. The happy couple are living at 933 Cherry St., Aloca, Tenn., 37701.

Mr. Ben S. Makinson, member of the Eugene, Ore., church, and Miss Vicki Lipps; member of the Columbia, S.C., church, were married June 21 with pastor Mr. Joel Lillengreen officiating. Couple will reside in the Eugene area.

Mr. Lester (Les) Clark and Mrs. JoAnne Frazier Lee were united in marriage April 19 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dokupii, Houston, Tex. Mr. Frank McCrady officiated. The couple reside in Stafford, Tex.



MR. AND MRS. JACK GROSSMAN ucille Wilmot and Mr. Jack Grossman werd d May 2 in Johannesburg, South Africa ter Nathan, pastor of the Pretoria church d. The wedding was held at the home of d Mrs. De Bakker under warm and sunn The couple honeymooned in Rhodesia and

Dr. and Mre. L.J. Wagner of Carutheraville, Mo., are pleased to announce the forthcoming marriage of their deughter, Anns, to Richard Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilkinson of Leeds, England. The wedding will take place July 27 at 2 p.m. in the Recital Hall on the Passdena campus, Both Richard and Anna are

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Looking for GN insuen Rovember-December, 1972, and October, 1973, The Bible Story, Vols. and II; CC Lessons 51 to end, Would also kiec CC Lessons 33 to 39 to pass on to a new member. Will pay postage. Have extra copy of the Compendium for first one to ask for it. Robert O. Brown, Rt. 2, Box 136, Riverview, Fla., 335 erow, Rt. 2, Box 136, Riverview, Fla., 335 extractions.

Would like to obain Lessons 59 to 66 of the original Correspondence Course. If you can helplease write Mr. and Mrs. James H. Spence is 3906 Belmede Dr., Gulfport, Miss., 39501.

I am looking for Chapters 12, 13, 14, 28 and 27 of Exploring Ancient History — The First 2,500 Years, by Roy Schulz, Philip Wittmeyer, 7105 Jefferson, Kansas City, Mo., 84114.

#### TRAVEL

Lone Australian plans to attend 1975 Feast in Pasadena. Would love to hear from others with similar plans. Lyn Palmer, 73 Weston St., Harris Park, N.S.W., Australia.

Baptized mother with three children, 9, 8 and 6 wants ride to and from the Lake of the Ozarks for the Feast. Gail Garvin, 3001 Juca Cove, Memphis, Tenn., 38116.

I am a 17-year-old girl, graduated from high school this year. As a graduation gitl, my parents are financing a trip form to the Awasii. Please write telling me all about Hawaii and the best, incorporate sights to see and things to do. Would incorporate sights to see and things to do. Would there. Also, please send me information on where sarvices are high so I may attend. Miss Audrey Corter, 3060 Norwalk St., Dallas, Tex., 75220.

I will be going to Ambassador College in Pasadona this fall and would like to get in louch with someone else who will attend there and will caroline to get there. Object: to share expenses and driving. You can contact me by writing KC Cook, 8214 Londonderry Rd., Charlotte, N.C., 28210, or call (704) 5271-442.

Californian trethrier: During September I will travel through your state. Am a member, 31, from the Sydney, Australia, church and work as a nurseryman. Would appreciate your letters and offers of accommodation, intend staying at San Francisco, Pasadona (for the Feast), San Diego and Vancouver, Canada, and Honolulu, Glabama G. Rose, 42 Links Ave., Concord, Sydney, N.S.W., 2137, Australian.

Anyone passing through Cincinnati, Ohio, heading for Big Sandy in early August and willing to make room for another passenger, call (513) 574-4703 collect or write Darlene Camper, 3946 Virginta Court, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45211.

Woman and daughter, members of Brisbane church, on way to Feast in Wales hope to attend services Pasadena Aug. 23. Would like to hear from brethren and meet you at services. Mrs. Jean Keilkor, 29 Garozzo St., Boondall, Brisbane, Old., 4034, Austratia.

We will be in Cottonwood Falls, Kan., in September for Atonement. Will someone please let us know where the nearest church is and directions. Dale Heathman, 3246 College St., Slideli, La., 70458.

Would appreciate a ride for two AC students from Pocono Feast site to Pasadena after Feast. Please contact Wm. Langlois, 208 Beech St., Bennington, Vt., 05201, or Neila Langlois, 169 S. St. John Ave., Pasadena, Calif., 91123.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Remember, we're not The Worldwide Olds. Been thinking about sending us an article? Why not get it in the mail soon, like today? Or as soon as possible after the event happens. The sooner you get the news to us, the sooner we can get it out. Help us stay The Worldwide News!

Cathy Haynes Roberts, would love to hear from you. Barbra Woodbury, Rt. 2, Beaver, Okla., 73932.

Guy and Barbara Burke, heard the good news. Congratulations. Still looking for that letter from

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Bullock, we need your address! Don and Margaret Davis, 339 Knobcrest, Houston, Tex., 77037.

Ron Haddad: Would like more info on your aliment that gives pain and fatigue from exercise. Joe Walker, Box 1214, Temple, Tex., 76501.

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**Obituaries** 

ARCADIA, Calif. — Essie Mel-drum, 75, died June 18.

Survivors include a son, Max, of Plano, Tex.; two daughters, Bonita Totten and Doris Fisher, both of Ar-cadia, 18 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Meldrum had been a member

NEWPORT NEWS, Va. — Frederick W. "Speedy" Toussaint, 72, died at his home here. A native of India, he was the husband of Mrs. Margaret W. Toussaint. He was retired from piping design at the New-port News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.

Nit. Toussaint had been a member since July 15, 1973. Surviving are two sons, Melvin of California and Winslow of Mont-gomery, Ala; a half brother; and six grandchildren.

LUMBERTON, N.C. — Mrs. Clara Guyton, 80, died June 15 at a hospital here. She had suffered a stroke at her home an hour earlier. Mrs. Guyton had been a member

since 1968.
On June 26, just 11 days after Mrs. Guyton's death, her only surviving child, Mrs. Janetta Ray White, died at the age of 60. Mrs. White had suffered

from cancer for two years. Though not a member, Mrs. White

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Many thanks to the Rhuman family of Payette, idaho, for their fine hospitality to weary travelers!

A big thank-you to all who responded to my March 3 ad in the WW. My case was heard May 27, but the court has delayed a decision for at least six read the writing of the lady who wrote me from Middlesex, England, Please write again. Norman R. Garrison, 834 S.W. 15th Ave., Apt. 28, Portland, Ore, 97205.

C.F.R. Anyone interested in corresponding with a group of headquarters-area Church members interested in the study of the Council on Foreign Relations, please write to Ken Nagele, 109 N. Orange Grove, Pasadena, Calif., 91103.

Would like to hear from any member who is a longtime resident of the Stamford, Conn., area. Graduated from Glenbrook School and from the old Stamford High in 1928. Anyone back there who remembers Doris (or Dorothly) Wat? Mrs. A.R. Hester, Apt. 31, 2056 N.W. Glisan St. Portland, O're, 97209.

Would like to correspond with anyone seriously interested in geology, especially concerning mineral placement and precious stones. Peter Grainger, No. 2111-65 High Park Ave., Toronto, Ont.

Please pray often for my continued mental and physical well-being. Thanks, Jerry S.

Zula Smith of Memphis, Tenn, a member of the Church since 1952, had no sooner recovered from an authoribel accident than bound she has the control of the control of the control of the lastill undergoing cobalt treatments for saven weeks. She would appreciate your prayers evy much regarding both she and her 14-year-old daughter, Lyrette, who is constantly making progress since coming out of a come due to the accident. Jean Turph, Mempher church.

David, believe it or not t've lost your address! Pam Allender, 12913 Mogadore Ave., Uniontown, Ohio. 44885

Oscarl Maude wonders how you are!

Twenty-five-year-old Eugene Wynn with CP and MS needs prayers. Also, send cards without being answered to Rt. 1, Box 54, Tipton, Okls., 73570.

Connie in Phoenix, Ariz., thanks for sending the ad. Love, Evelyn.

Congratulations, Richard Wilkinson and Anna Wagner. May your love keep you warm in Vancouver, B.C. Mr. and Mra. Larry Wagner, Box 784, Big Sandy, Tex., 75755.

Congratulations, Kelly and Bonnie Moxiey, on the birth of your daughter Brandee. Larry and Sherry (Wait) Wagner, Box 784, Big Sandy, Tex., 75755. Mrs. C. Oldham, member since 1971, Arlington

had attended Sabbath services regularly until her condition worsened.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. — F. Parker Jones, 83, retired Associated Press newsman, died of cancer at his

home here July 5.

He leaves his widow, the former Margaret Kirk Holshouser of Granite Quarry, N.C., whom he married in 1969; one daughter; one granddaughter; two sisters; and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Jones was baptized in 1963 and since that date monitored *The World Tomorrow* broadcast in this area until he became ill last summer.



F. PARKER JONES

Heights, III. Congestive heart failure, Feb. 23, 1973. Admitted June 7, 1975, to Northwest Hospital, Chicago, for kidney aliment. Bedridden. Almost complete bed rest. Members, pray.

Many thanks to Messrs, Mike Swagerty and Maceo Hampton, ministers of the Newark church (New Jersey), for the pocket Bible studies. These add immeasurably to a better understanding of God's Word and Work and also allow us an opportunity to better know and appreciate our

To West Columbia, S.C., and surrounding churches: God is biessing you with Mr. John Ritenbaugh. Take advantage of his wisdom. We will miss his genthe ways, but we are happy for you. Norwalk, Calif. PS: His baseball skills...ehl No one has it all!!

Many thanks to 67 writers, signers, pray-ers and fasters for my numerous aliments, especially faithful Linda Amold (Missouri), though i'm the same. My daily stroking (praying), Zechariah 7.2, for all prayer requests and unknown sufferers. One-eyed, hoary-haired, longitime member, Mrs. M. Baxter, 26 Oregon Ave. Jackson, N.J., 08527.

Our minister, Mr. Glenn Burzenski, was permitted again into the prison and baptized Joe Williams, No. 133867, April 1, John M. Manos Sr., No. 112501, Box 5500, Chillicothe, Ohio.

Two young Australians, 21 and 25, seek ofter of employment in Canada, prior to hopefully entering Big Sandy in January, 1978. Both have larming experience in Australia and would like to familiarize themselves with North American methods. Need firm job other before travel to Feast. John McDonald for fig. and the type Feast. John McDonald for Ave., Petersham, N.S.W., 2049, Australia.

Does anyone know Tanya Camerata or anyone by the name of Camerata, especially in Florida? Joseph P. Camerata, 419 W. Cofter, Apt. B, Phoenix, Artz., 85013.

The family of Pat Gregg are asking our brethren to pray for Mr. Gregg, who has concer in many parts of his body. Please help us in asking our parts of the body. Please help us in asking our and with the love, care and help of our brethren, all of us are facing each day praying and hoping for a miracle. Mrs. Gregg and three sone, Rt. 1, Box 255, Pleasant Hill, 153, and, R. I. Sone, Rt. 1, Box 255, Pleasant Hill, 153, and R. I. Sone, Rt. 1, Box 255, Pleasant Hill, 153, and R. I. Sone, Rt. 1, Box 255, Pleasant Hill, 153, and R. I. Sone, Rt. 1, Box 255, Pleasant Hill, 153, and R. I. Sone, Rt. 1, Box 255, Pleasant Hill, 153, and R. I. Sone, Rt. 1, Box 255, Pleasant Hill, 153, and Rt. I. Sone, Rt. 1, Box 255, Pleasant Hill, 153, and Rt. III. 154, and Rt. III. 154,

Wanted: Prayers for a deaf, blind woman Church member, Mrs. Harry Graff, that she may be lobe to attend Feast and be headed. She has suffered a broken back and just this summer a broken lobe. She cannot wear shoes. Harry Graff, 403 W. End Ave., Elizabeth, N.J., 07202.

Yea, Carl Brooks! Congratulations. I am to Properly for you. Your pal from Houston, Richard St. th, Vauxhall, N.J.

Help, is there anyone in the U.S. who can get of of Kern or Ball lids and rings, quart size 63 and large mouth. We are desperate. Will pay all postage. Mrs. Donald Brandes II, Box 58, Fountain City, Wis., 54829.

Widow with 14-year-old daughter desires help in finding new home. Would appreciate information from northern areas about jobs and Bying conditions in places the Eigin, Ill., Denver, Coic., and others. Rosland Washington, 228 N. Frederick St., Cape Girardeau, Mo., 83701.

Don Bre'thal: Receive my letter last early spring? Please get in touch with me. Kathy of Seattle church.

#### BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Have Plain Truth magazines you may have for the postage. Some '67 and '68, all '69 to '73. Bette

We'd like to let the readers of the WN know about your baby as soon as it arrives! Just fill out this coupon and send it to the address on the coupon as soon as possible after the baby is



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## Local church news wrap-up

JACKSON, Miss. — Records were shattered here at the Ross Bar-nett Reservoir June 1 in the annual Field & Track Day Picnic. The full day of track and field events, games and activities for all ages was attended by 222.

Those 60 years of age and over pitched softballs into a tub from a distance. Preschoolers ran a 25-yard dash and participated in other events

and organized games.

The women put their best foot forward, not only in the preparation ranger for the U.S. Forest Service in Sundance, Wyo., was transferred to Denver, Colo., where he has now assumed duties as district ranger for the South Platte Ranger District of the Pike-San Isabel National Forest.

A bolo tie made from Black Hills gold was presented to Mr. Cameron by the church. Douglas A. Johann

#### Club at Cattleman's

KEARNEY, Neb. — Not even four inches of rain the night before could dampen the spirits of the North

William Moore, explained the goals of the club as follows:

• To provide a range of educational activities beyond the scope of home and school, financed by club fund-raising projects.

To develop leadership through the attitude of service as explained by

• To help develop maturity, re sponsibility and character.

To help attain these goals, a series of achievement projects similar to scouting's merit-badge program is

The planning session, held in the pastor's backyard, also laid the groundwork for the selection of club officers and a club name (Future Ambassadors seems to be the most popular) and organization of several tings for this summer, such as a white-water raft trip down New River, flying lessons and ground school, and a spelunking expedition to Monroe County, W.Va. Bill Moore

#### Back to the Country

TEMORA, Australia - Two lambs roasting on spits over an open fire greeted the 45 members of the ney church who accepted the invitation of the Temora church for a back-to-the-country weekend at the Narraburra farm of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heinrich.

The party opened with a steak barbecue and dance at the Narraburra Shire Hall after Sabbath services.

Later the men spent a freezing night wrapped up in blankets on the floor of Mr. Heinrich's shearing shed while the ladies were scattered about the floors of the farmhouse.

Sunday was a full day with softball, table tennis and other games in the morning, then a lunch of ham-burgers, baked beans and salads and desserts prepared by the Temora

Organizer Fred Mancy and Peter Valusiak tended the spits. They began their long job early so that after the afternoon's softball game two beautifully roasted and tender lambs could be carved for the evening meal. Fred Mancy.

#### **Table-Tennis Tourney**

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa - Danie Erasmus, a member here, manages the Mandeville Sports Center, a club for paraplegics. Mr. Erasmus, who is also confined to a wheelchair, has won many gold medals at international sports events

for paraplegics.

Recently he suggested that the Johannesburg office of the Work put up a mixed team to play a table-tennis tournament against his club. The invitation was accepted and a date was set for May 28.

The office team was Robert Fahey, regional director; Peter Hawkins, Frank Nelte, Erna Barnard. Nanette du Rand and Heather

Arriving at the club shortly after 7 p.m., the club members were warm-

ing up.

Many of the games were closely contested and some were won by the Mandeville club, but the office staffers won most of the games.

The interesting thing about the entire evening was seeing a fine example of true sportmanship. There were no grumbles or complaints about difficult shots that an able-bodied person could easily have returned.

#### Levels of Care

ROCHESTER, N.Y. church here was treated to a lecture entitled "Levels of Care" and a question-and-answer session on the needs of the aged.

Mrs. Carroll Neyland, adminis-

trator of the Parkside Manor Rest



GOING-AWAY GIFT - Larry Neff, pastor of the Austin and Waco, Tex. churches, and his wife, center, look at a hand-sewn double-knit friendship quilt presented to them at a church picnic June 22. Mrs. Happy Harris, left, supervised the making of the quilt. About 270 members attended. Mr. Neff will be transferred to Pasadena in August. [Photo by

Home for Adults of East Rochester, discussed two kinds of homes for the elderly: health-related and propri-

etary.

Parkside, the latter type, caters to the healthy and able and approxi-mates the atmosphere of a home, hotel and community.

Its commitment, according to a brochure, is "to provide residents with a comfortable and compatible environment which is free from loneliness and the responsibilities of maintaining a home.

This type of home welcomes movies, live entertainment from community groups and residents, sing-alongs and children to visit. Howard Fleisher.

#### **Bristol Spokesmen**

BRISTOL, England - The Spokesman Club here met June 11 to treat its ladies to the final club of its first year.

Many ladies contributed to table topics, chaired by Robin Fry

The meal of stuffed saddle of lamb was served during topics, leaving the floor clear of activity for the real

meat of the evening, the speeches.
Toastmaster Les Buckley, a
Bricket Wood Spokesman Club graduate, set the theme as he ex-plained the speech assignments.

First to speak was Colin David on comen's lib. Ivor Fletcher followed with a stir-to-action speech on watchwith a stir-to-action speech on watching world news. Then Derick Millman delivered a speech called "Things We Need to Be Aware of and Also Should Beware Of." To round off the speeches John Shotliffe tackled an impromptu on the genera-

tion gap.
Allan Bates graduated. He also was ichosen the most helpful evaluator for the evening.

Other awards were for the most effective speaker, Mr. Shotliffe; and most improved speaker, Mr. David. Fric Wood

#### Mixing Dinner

CUPERTINO, Calif. - The Cupertino church had a social that started after Sabbath services May 31 with a dinner and ended with a talent

To promote closer relationships within the church, members instigated a so-called mixing dinner.

This required a sign-up list for those who wanted to have guests to their home for dinner and a sign-up list for those who wanted to be guests in someone's home

The names of those who w be guests were put into a hat, drawn and assigned to those who wanted to have guests. The result was that practically everyone had dinner with someone he had never eaten with before.

After dinner all returned for the After dinner all returned for the talent show, which consisted of 23 acts. Participants were from 6 to 88. John Jester was the emcee.

The acts included a piano duet and

solo; singing (solo and group); dancing; saxophone solo; a guitarist; acrobatics; a ventriloquist; various skits; the Amazing Jose (a magician); a recital by Mrs. Sally Reed, age 88; impersonations by Mrs. Alice An-(See WRAP-UP, page 13)

## shoes followed lunch. Ribbons were awarded the winners of the day's events. H.B. Wells. Father's Day Picnic

of the potluck meal, but also in the

Arts-and-crafts entries were

judged by Jim Peoples and John Roper, visiting ministers from other

Swimming, volleyball and horse-

by Rick Baumgartner]

football kick.

WASHINGTON - About 200 men, women and children turned out or a Father's Day picnic June 15. Softball and volleyball were

Softball and played in the morning.

Just before lunch a ceremony honSookesman Club red three Spokesman Club reduates: Jerry Beechum, Wayne Maxwell and George Webb. Special attention was paid to a

five-foot-long snake trying to get way from the crowd by climbing a ee, until Hank Smallwood carried it the woods and let it go. Lois Hamptom.

#### Farewell to Mr. Cameron

RAPID CITY, S.D. — A farewell supper was held after Sabbath services June 21 for Jack Cameron, a

deacon here. Mr. Cameron, formerly district

Platte and Grand Island, Neb., Spokesman Club, Members fought muddy roads to meet here June 8

It all began at 5 p.m. with a dinner

OLDEST DANCER - Ernest Johns, 90, of Big Sandy is flanked by Mr.

and Mrs. Ellis Stewart, Big Sandy members, after being named the oldest man present at a July 3 street dance held by the Big Sandy church on the Ambassador College campus. The dance was attended by 700 people, according to local elder Norvel Pyle. Mrs. Lea Roberts, 88, was honored as the oldest woman present. Dr. and Mrs. Duke Galloway were the

oldest couple, with 144 years between them. The dance featured music

by college students and other members of the Big Sandy congregation.

Dancing ranged from polkas to waltzes and from rock to jitterbugs. [Photo

at Cattleman's Mining Co.
At 6:30 everyone moved into
Dicky Dugan's Saloon & Dance Hall for the meeting. Members, wives and guests sat around cocktail tables in a balcony and on the lowered floor around the dance floor, where the

around the dance floor, where the lectem had been set up.

The meeting began with a few barroom yells to warm everyone up.

Of the topics session, Don Hooser, the director, said this was the best participation by the women he'd ever

After the speeches and the rest of the meeting was dancing. A deejay from a radio station played records for the dance. *Doug Schrader*.

#### Teen Goals

BLUEFIELD, W. Va. Twenty-five hungry teenagers de-voured 14 giant pizzas, dozens of cookies and gallons of ice tea and Kool-Aid at a meeting after Sabbath services June 7. The meeting was to lay a foundation for a teen club that will emphasize education and ser-

The pastor for the church here,



SAVE THE COUNTRY - Robin and Rhonda Merritt dance to a pop record, "Save the Country," at a Cupertino, Calif., social May 31. The social included a dinner and a 23-act talent show. (See "Mixing Dinner," this page.) [Photo by Arvine Walton]

### Wrap-up

(Continued from page 12) derson, 82; and a special guest star, La Verne Levasseur, portraying Ahab the Arab. Arvine Walton.

MOE. Australia - Almost 100 people in the Gippsland church in Churchill, Australia, attended a social honoring newlyweds Don and Lynda Bruce in May.

Games were played, a duet was sung, and then everyone danced. Sonhie Pederson

#### Weekend in the Wilds

COLUMBUS, Ohio — The Kokosing River Valley in the green hills of northern Ohio was the site of a camp-out for 50 teenagers and their chaperons from the A.M. and P.M. rches here June 21 and 22

The weekend began the evening of June 21 with a cookout, followed by a sing-along, led by Robert Dick

determined Jackson team in a tight defensive game 4-2:

Hits by Jackson's enthusiastic team pushed them out in front of the heavily favored Mobile team in the sixth inning after being behind 2-1 during the first five innings of the

During preliminary games, Jack-son had whipped New Orleans and Baton Rouge, La., 15-9 and 16-7. Mobile had smashed Hattiesburg

The Hattiesburg church had set up a concession stand for the convenience of the fans and teams. H.B. Wells

#### 63 Entries

MILWAUKEE, Wis. - The Women's Club here sponsored its first annual spring fashion show June 18, with fashions from romantic and elegant to cool and casual.

Besides women's fashions, the 63 entries included men's and children's wear. Chad Everett Burton, 51/2 months, was the youngest model; woman who is not a member made up a large number of feather crafts that sold well. Doris Cooke.

#### Annual Family Day

LONGMONT, Colo - Beautiful LONGMONT, Colo. — Beauthur weather, activities and contests for all ages, excellent food and a singalong marked the annual family-day picnic of the Greeley, Colo., church Roosevelt Park here June 15.

The festivities got under way about 9 a.m. with horseshoes, soft-ball and playground activities and ended with an evening sing-along conducted by Russ Krueger, deacon and director of musical activities with guitar accompaniment by Mrs Jim Griffin and Gary Kelley.

Just before the noon meal Kerry Daniels, pastor, and his wife were presented with a housewarming gift, set of cookware.

Twenty-seven contests were held. under the direction of Lloyd Ludwig. First-, second- and third-place rib bons were awarded for each of the contests, which included nail driv-

ing, log sawing, an obstacle course, a

tug-of-war, bubble blowing, a mummy wrap and a water-balloon toss. Bob Swope.

Three Hours of Oldies

church hall here was the scene June 14 of a rock-'n'-roll 1950s dance

sponsored by the church choir.

Guests dressed in authentic '50s garb and danced to three hours of recorded

oldies but goodies.

Prizes for the best dressed were

Roaring River

BATON ROUGE, La. - The

State Park, Mo., for a picnic and waded in the river and played games.

On the way home they stopped at a fish hatchery before returning here that afternoon. Brent Miller.

#### Active 4H

SEWARD, Neb. — Young people of the Omaha church from Beatrice and Lincoln, Neb., were active in a 4-H Club called the Southeast Swingers.

Attending a three-day 4-H camp here June 16, 17 and 18 were Ruth and Judy Andreas. Debra Decker. Tim Halvorson, Shirley Meints, Kim Petrie and Joyce and Scott Rollins They enjoyed crafts, hiking and out-door sports during the minisession with 4-H members from across the state. Shirley Johnson.

#### Overnight Camp

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Teenagers from here camped out overnight at Sardis Lake, Miss., June 28.

The teenagers, with some parents, left after church on the Sabbath.

That night was a time for socializ-

ing and little sleep.

The next morning's activities included basketball, volleyball, swimming and waterskiing. Derek Turpin.

#### Father's Day Picnickers

KAMLOOPS, B.C. - A Father's Day picnic in the country setting of Monte Lake took place June 15 for members from Kamloops and Salmon Arm, B.C. Participants met at Mr. and Mrs. George Corke's farm.

For the small fry there were

games, races and prizes.

A few unusual events of the day: A 2-year-old tried the crab-walk race; two grown men lost to the children in a wheelbarrow race; an uncoordi-nated three-legged race for the adults was followed by all dads throwing water-filled balloons to their mates and hoping that they would outlast all other couples before their balloon popped.

An afternoon ball game was

played in a cow pasture.

To top the day off, the moms tried their best at a barbecue pit as a treat to all the dads in the group. Gail Mill-

CONCORD, N.H. - A doubleheader of fling and fun was held here June 7 and 8 as Concord held two

The first dance, for teens, was a smashing success. About 100 teens from Concord; Montpelier, Vt.; Hartford, Conn.; and Providence,

R.I., danced to pop and rock songs.
For nostalgia's sake, Joe Brown
sang and played "Teenager in

Love."
The church band also played. Solo singers included Mrs. Ella Marie Kelly and daughter Tracy, making her debut.

The second dance was the next day. This was the traditional Spokesman Club banquet, this year held at the China Dragon Restaurant. Dinners of chicken with stuffing, potatoes and squash were served Bruce Elder.

#### Mile-High Church

PRESCOTT, Ariz. — Eighty-nine people gathered at the Oddfel-lows Hall May 28 for the first Sabhath service to be held here

Extra chairs were rushed in as many more than anticipated came for the morning service.

After a break for lunch was a Bible study by Fred Davis, Phoenix, Ariz...

minister, who also gave the sermon.

The services and Bible studies will be held here on the last Sabbath every month, enabling many brethren who lived too far away from Phoenix to attend services in Arizona's mile-high city. Lesley Denny.

#### How to Give a Speech

CARDIFF. Wales - May 25 narked the first social of the young Bible-study group here. The pro-ceedings began with a meal of sand-wiches, cakes and delectables.

Commercial and homemade wines vied with each other for consump-tion, and the home-brewed won.

This led into a short slide show by Hugh Jenkins taken this spring at Barbados

Next was an hour of entertainment; almost everyone present gave a performance. Highlight of this was a speech about how to give a speech by Terry Humphries, hitherto the shiest, quietest man among the group.

The entertainment culminated with a sing-along, which finally led into a series of games. Eric Wood.

#### New Pastor in Fresno

FRESNO, Calif. — On June 14 at Woodward Park here Don Billingsley and family were welcomed to this area with a potluck dinner and sing-

Mr. Billingsley is the new pastor of the Fresno church. Montez Myers.

#### Picnic at Solana Beach

SAN DIEGO, Calif. - The first of three picnics planned for the sum-mer for members of San Diego and Escondido churches was held June 22 at San Dieguito Park at Solana Beach, Calif. About 340 attended.

A water-balloon toss drenched

some particpants.

Then the San Diego men's softball team won over Escondido for the second year in a row. Escondido was handicapped by having insufficient players and had to borrow some from San Diego.

The women's team won a farcical

game against the men, who were forced to hit left-handed and run the bases backwards. The women's cause was aided by a bona-fide two-run homer by Mrs. Robert Eigels-, which nearly cleared the leftfield fence.

A program of races, games and field events for the youngsters was (8ee WRAP-UP, page 14)



KEEP ON TUGGIN' — A tug-of-war was part of the activities at a Spokane, Wash., picnic June 21. There were also relays and other team sports, and each family brought a picnic lunch. (See "Suitcase Relay," this page.) [Photo by Cathy Spangler]

pastor, that lasted until 2 a.m.

Sunday's activities began at 6 a.m. with flapjacks over an open fire, then by a five-mile canoe trip down the river, which lasted until 2 p.m.

The rest of the day was spent at a park eating, playing tennis, sleeping and winding down from a weekend in the wilds. Lonnie Moreland.

#### Suitcase Relay

SPOKANE, Wash. - A picnic held under tall evergreen trees at a park here on June 21 drew many participants. There were relays and team sports, besides each family's picnic

The morning's activities included boys' softball, volleyball and cro-quet. After lunch a men's slo-pitch softball game got under way. The races began with 2- to 4-year-olds

Next the older children joined in a "suitcase relay." Each in turn unpacked and donned the contents of suitcases, struggling to put on cumbersome men's boots, a floppy hat and a handbag to carry, running around a nearby tree with all this on.

Other events were gunnysack races, balloon stomps, tugs-of-war, a wheelbarrow race, a water-balloon toss and a shoe-tying relay, with team members searching a huge pile of shoes to find their own pair, put them on and tie them.

The last race was a "litter-

pickup.'' Ribbons were presented to winners of the events

Verne Enos was in charge of the picnic. Robert Gentry, Greg Czech and John Oestreich had helped plan and organize the activities. Cathy

#### **Hattiesburg Invitational**

HATTIESBURG, Miss. - For the second consecutive year the Hat-tiesburg Invitational Softball Tournament championship went to the Jackson, Miss., church team June

Mobile, Ala., was edged by the

'Grandma'' Finnegan, 89, was the oldest. The models were escorted by Mike Gitter, Tony Kuczynski, John LaBissoniere and Marv Wegner.

Mike Hanisko was master of ceremonies. Donna Dohrmann was the commentator for the first half of the program.

A piano solo by Randy Schmidt and two ballet dances performed by Julie Himden, Holly Brown and Ali-son Burrowes concluded the first half

Cathie Henry then served as com mentator for the second half. Tony A.

#### \$550 Sale

FDMONTON, Alta. - The ladies of \_dmonton East held a craft and bake sale June 19 at a mall. The profit was \$550.

to this sale.

The policy of the mall is no bake sales, since a bake shop is on the premises. But when the ladies ap-plied, the manager gave them the

The second aspect was that a

won by Mrs. Robin Daigle and Les Meitzler.

During intermission guests sipped cherry Cokes and were entertained by a fun show, the highlight of which was an appearance by Ahab the Arab, portrayed by Conway Magee. Wilson Grice.

There were two interesting aspects

SPRINGFIELD Mo - The Boys' Club here, led by Warren Ott, went on an outing to the Pea Ridge battlefield in Arkansas June 22. They also hiked and saw a museum Then they went to Roaring River

DAMP ACTION — Left photo: Randy Stidham, activity director at a picnic of the San Diego and Escondido, Calif., churches, lines up contestants for a water-balloon toss. The picnic was at San Dieguito State Park in



Solana Beach, Calif. Right photo: Contestants try to catch a balloon without bursting its contents upon them. (See "Picnic at Solana Beach, this page.) [Photos by Susan Karoska]

tables. The women who had created

them described the items to the audience and explained how the crafts

were made. Some of the women's

daughters also participated in dis-

playing.
Flowers enhanced the room. The

stage set a spring mood for the women to model their fashions.

Some of the daughters also modeled.

Mrs. Marigail Briggs, fashion buyer and coordinator for Bergners' De-

partment Store, introduced the ladies

and described their fashions as they modeled. Connie Wilcoxen.

Washer Tossing

HATTIESBURG, Miss. — The church here had a picnic June 29 at Paul B. Johnson State Park near here.

Games played included horse-

After lunch Bill Griffin and Bill

Prescott played on the violin and gui

tar and sang. Then more volleyball was played. Clarence Rainer.

Over 50

HOT SPRINGS, Ark. — The second chapter of the Over 50 Club of the Little Rock, Ark., church was organized at De Soto Park here June

Officers are John D. McCormick,

president; Martin Diggs, vice presi

dent; Ruth Lockhart, secretary; and

shoes, washer tossing and softball, in which two teams were made up of men, women and children.



WHEELING BAZAAR — Keith Walden, left, pastor of the Wheeling, W.Va., church, and Mary Fozard, on the accordion, attract customers to a church bazaar held July 8 and 9. Handmade items, baked goods and homemade jams and jellies were sold. Proceeds will be used for improvements to the church hall and parking lot.

## Wrap-up

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conducted by ministerial assistant Randy Stidham, assisted by Paul Smith and Bob Gardenhire.

Bill King of Vista, Calif., pro-vided pit-barbecued beef and goat.

A pickup team of Mr. Gardenhire Jim Butler, Milton Alexander and Mr. Stidham won the men's mile

Pastor James Friddle said, "Everyone enjoyed it." Susan

#### Happy Whistlers

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. - The second meeting of the Little Rock Happy Whistlers' Club, consisting of members over 50, was held recently at a member's house here, with 27 attending.

It was a build-and-bring-achildhood-toy meeting. The toys consisted of slingshots, rolling hoops, corn-husk dolls, tin-can elevator shoes, a dollhouse and a climbing snake.

After some games of croquet they feasted on barbecued hamburgers, baked potatoes, salads, relishes and all the fixings, plus drinks. Frank Zahn.

#### Canoes on the Move

CAMBRIDGE, Neb. - The North Platte and Grand Island, Neb., teens went on their annual canoe trip June 1. The event had begun with a barn dance the previous night in Norris Grous' barn. Many teens then camped out the rest of the night.

Early the next morning 33 teens and 11 canoes began a 14-mile trek. After the canoe run was a cookout at

Teens had been invited from other church areas. Eight teens and four adults made the trip from Denver, Colo. Doug Schrader.

#### Enjoyable Disturbance

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. - The teens here June 29 met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Buckley to create as much enjoyable disturbance as they could in the Buckleys' swimming pool.

nks to sunny weather in the mid-80s, the disturbance went on for hours, but not without a break for a lunch of sloppy joes to give everyone enough energy to continue swim-ming, splashing and dunking for the rest of the afternoon. Vonnie Kroontje.

#### Living With the Crunch

MEMPHIS, Tenn. - The Memphis Ladies' Club met June 23 at the mphis Light, Gas & Water Division to hear home economist Marie

Lynn speak on "Living With the Energy Crunch." Joan Turpin.

#### Evangelist's Visit

JOPLIN, Mo. — The big Fourth of July excitement for the Coffey-ville, Kan., and Joplin churches was a visit by Dean Blackwell, an evan-

a visit by Dean Blackwell, an evan-gelist and instructor at Ambassador College, Big Sandy.

Mr. Blackwell was in the area visiting his grandfather, who re-cently celebrated his 87th birthday.

#### All Aboard!

COFFEYVILLE, Kan. -

This was the signal for the first father-and-son camp-out of the church here at the Bogby Rumpus

Ranch near here.
Highlights of the outing were

roasting wieners, shooting fireworks and fishing.

Since the first service here, Dec. 28, 1974, with an attendance of 115, the congregation has had a series of activities, including a square dance, rummage sale and a men's breakfast.

Coffeyville youths have sold sta-tionery to finance a bus trip to Kansas City, planned for July 27. Carolyn

#### Cedar Point or Bust

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. - With thoughts of a summer trip to Cedar Point, an amusement park in Sandusky, Ohio, the teenagers from this church area put themselves up for auction to be sold as "slaves" to the

auction to be sold as "slaves" to the highest bidders. At a recent church picnic Mike Quisenberry auctioned off 24 young people, including himself, to members to be used for one day for any job the buyer needed done.

Bids went as high as \$18.50. More

than \$180 was made to start the teens on their way to Cedar Point. Vonnie Kroontje.

#### Graduates' Party

PEORIA, Ill. — A graduation par-ty was held in Towanda Hall for the high-school graduates who attend church here June 8.

Graduates were Terry Bush, Ronnie Short, Abent Ort, Liz Dowson, Liz Wright, Sandy Griffith and Larra

Ewing.

More than 50 attended. Some came more than 100 miles. Mrs. Robert L. Ort.

#### Swing Into Spring

PEORIA, Ill. - Swing Into Spring, 1975, was the theme of a Women's Club style show May 27. Club members displayed talents in sewing and arts and crafts to guests at

the Hazen Friendship Room.

Arts and crafts were arranged or

Wren Barbe, treas

Officers of the Little Rock chapter are Arthur Upton, president; James English, vice president; Mrs. Upton, secretary; and Mrs. Frank Zahn, treasurer. Frank Zahn.

#### Deep in the Woods

MILWAUKEE, Wis. - Thirty young adults from the church here and from Minneapolis, Minn., took a camping trip 75 miles north of here in Wisconsin Kettle Moraine State Forest the weekend of June 27.

Highlights of the camp-out in-cluded a Sabbath-afternoon hike on trails deep in the woods, a Bible study by Milwaukee elder Mike Hanisko and a sing-along Saturday night around a huge camp fire with Mike Gitter and Dwain Abler on gui-

On Sunday were volleyball games, Frisbee tossing and swim-

Enough money was left from the camping fund to send \$45 as a donatrying to buy the best chocolate cake

or the biggest fruitcake.

The ladies made \$141 profit for God's Work and had a lot of fun doing it. Linda Bentley.

#### Yearly Cricket

ST. JOSEPH, Trinidad - The yearly cricket match between bachelors and married men took place recently at the grounds of the water authority here with the hus-

bands winning by 40 runs!

Notable batsmen for the winning team were Alson James and Domingo Hernandez; Allan Richard-son and John Metivier performed well for the bachelors.

Outstanding bowlers for the losers were Luke St. Hill and Vasant Vishnu and for the husbands Alson James and John Baptiste. Gordon Harry.

#### Minipienies

OMAHA, Neb. - June was the month of picnics for this church area.



CRICKET MATCH - In an annual cricket match between bachelors and married men of the church in Trinidad, the husbands won by 40 runs. The match was played at St. Joseph, Trinidad. (See "Yearly Cricket," this page.) [Photo by Gordon Harry]

tion to the Work. John LaBissoniere.

#### Tale of a Sale

SALISBURY, Rhodesia ladies of the church here held a cake sale to raise money to help support Plain Truth lectures in this country.

Ten ladies had made scones, past ries, marmalade and cookies to tempt

the public's appetite.

On the appointed day they hired a table and at 9 a.m. set out all the goodies in one of the main streets in Salisbury. Within a few seconds they had about 10 people standing around

ALL ABOARD - Several fathers and their sons manned this locomotive

at the first Coffeyville father-and-son camp-out. (See "All Aboard," this

Since he was leaving the area to go to Salt Lake City, Utah, Charles Groce, pastor, scheduled minipicnics for four locations.

On June 8 the first one, for the

Beatrice and Lincoln, Neb., breth-ren, was at Riverside Park in Beatrice, with horseshoes, volleyball and tennis the activities of the day. Dodge Park was the site of the

Omaha picnic, June 15.

Then, June 22, the Iowa brethren met with Mr. Groce, ministerial

trainee Dave Havir and their families at the Junior Chamber of Commerce Park in Harlan, Iowa.

Fremont Lakes was the setting June 29 of the final picnic, which featured waterskiing and swimming. Shirley Johnson.

#### Ministerial Moves

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. -The Greensboro, N.C., Spokesman Club held its annual ladies'-night dance June 29. One hundred eighteen Spokesmen, graduates and guests, with their wives and dates, danced to the music of the Greensboro-church dance band at Benton Convention

The band, with eight musicians and a vocalist, has also played for other churches in North Carolina and Virginia.

During a break Hollis Crotts. a deacon, presented gifts to local elder Al Foy and family and ministerial trainee Phil Reid.

Mr. Crotts welcomed Mr. Reid and bade farewell on behalf of the congregation to the Foys, who left after the dance for their new assignment in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. Reid recently arrived from Pasadena to assist ministers Bob League and Daniel Hall.

Frank Ashfield headed the dance committee, George W. Lyon,



BOYS' BASKETBALL CAMP — Fifty-two boys 10 to 18, above with coaches, from church areas in California, Arizona and Nevada, attended an Ambassador College-sponsored basketball camp in Pasadena, (Photo by

## AC sponsors boys' basketball camp

By John Zahody PASADENA — An Amb

College-sponsored boys' basketball camp was held here June 22 to 27. Fifty-two boys 10 to 18 years of age came from church areas in California, Arizona and Nevada.

Jim Petty, the college's athletic di-rector and basketball coach, planned and directed the program with the help of assistant coaches Gil Norman and Harry Sneider.

College basketball players An-

drew Foster and Rick Guthy, together with 1975 graduate Mario Seiglie (now a ministerial trainee with the headquarters Spanish-speaking church), assisted the coaching staff church), assisted the coaching staff and served as camp counselors. During their stay here out-of-town

students lived in dormitories on campus and ate their meals in the college dining hall.

"We wanted to instruct the boys in proper basketball fundamentals and give them the chance to be together with young boys from other church areas," Mr. Petty said. "And we wanted to give them an opportunity to see Ambassador College."

The daily training schedule in-cluded lectures, films, drills and practice games.

Mr. Petty was enthusiastic about the camp. "Even the casual observer would be noticeably impressed" by the improvement in the boys' playing skills, he said.

## 'More power to the weight lifters'

By Brian Knowles 'Good News' Managing Editor PASADENA — For several years, on the Ambassador College campus here, a highly successful weightnere, a nignly successful weight-training program has been develop-ing under the tutelage of Harry Snei-der. The campus is now equipped with a Universal gym (an exercise machine) in a building that houses handball courts. And a large weight room is located in a men's dormitory.

Mr. Sneider's weight-training club now has more than 70 members. He stresses a balanced program of running combined with weight training. And he emphasizes the need for thorough carviovascular development, coordination and speed, as op-posed to the big-muscle concept.

Mr. Sneider seeks to inspire his Mr. Shelder seeks to inspire his students with a program of guest speakers that so far has included two Messrs. Universe (Arnold Swarz-enegger and Franco Columbu).

#### Power Lifter Visits AC

In April Dave Shaw, a leading power lifter in this country, lectured and demonstrated in Mr. Sneider's weight room.

Mr. Shaw, a 25-year-old Church member who attends one of the headquarters congregations, lives in Duarte, Calif., east of Los Angeles. He is employed as a probation officer at a maximum-security boys' institu-tion in Malibu, Calif.

Mr. Shaw competes in the super-

## Member wins award

By Jeannine Johnson ASHEVILLE, N.C. — Mrs. Ruth F. Holden, member of the church here, was awarded a Mills Family Foundation Scholarship by the University of North Carolina at Asheville June 26 by Dr. William E.

Highsmith, university chancellor.
Mrs. Holden, who has been a
member of the Worldwide Church of God for 12 years, will graduate in December with a double major in German literature and Spanish. She plans to teach after graduation. Mrs. Holden is working her way

through college on a work-study program while providing a home for her two children, Bill, 13, and Anne, 10.



**HEAVYWEIGHTS** — Harry Sneider, left, with power lifter Dave Shaw. [Photo by Charles Buschmann]

(Photo by Charles Buschmann)
heavyweight division in powerlifting meets. In July, 1974, he took
fourth place in his weight division in
a national power-lifting competition.
His athletic background includes
four years of track and field, a year of
wrestling and nine years of weight
training. He holds the record in the
shot put at Duarte High School (55
feet).

feet).
Mr. Shaw's power-lifting records include a 510-pound bench press, a 650-pound squat and a 660-pound dead lift. His goal is to make 700 pounds in the squat and 600 in the bench press.

#### Strength Saves Life

Weighing between 250 and 270 pounds, Dave Shaw carries little fat. He feels that above-average strength is necessary in a violent society, especially in his line of work. "My strength has saved my life on

more than one occasion," he claims.
"If it weren't for that, I don't think I'd be here right now.

Mr. Shaw says he strives to set an example of dedication and perseverance in physical achievement. He constantly pushes himself, training up to six times weekly.

Harry Sneider hopes Mr. Shaw will return sometime to further encourage the weight-training club.

Meanwhile, the club is involved in an intense self-improvement pro-gram that is already producing re-sults. More power to the weight lift-



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## Summer youth program aims to increase child's potential

By John Zahody
PASADENA — Summer means fun and the chance to develop physical skills for some 75 youngsters ages 5 to 12 who are enrolled in a sur

said. "We especially try to help those who haven't swum before and give them all a chance to enjoy the

For ballet and tumbling instruction



SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM — Bill Damm, aquatics instructor, guides one of some 75 children ages 5 to 12 who are now enrolled in a summer recreation program on the Pasadena campus. The program's goal is to teach children the fundamentals of swimming, gymnastics and ballet.

recreation program on this Ambassador College campus. The program began June 30 and will last through

July 25.

The children meet in the Physical Education Building for three hours each weekday afternoon. They are divided by ages into three groups that rotate through the available ac-

tivities.
Gil Norman, physical-education

Oil Norman, pnysical-education instructor at the college, planned the program and now coordinates it.

"It's a service program," he said.
"Our goal is to give the children fundamental skills in swimming, gymnastics and ballet."

Aquatics instructor Bill Damm supervises the swimming. Jeanne Kloster, a physical-education major at California State University, Los

Angeles, assists him.
"The program is one of both recreation and instruction," Mr. Damm

Mr. Norman hired two girls. Kerry Campbell and Becky Wilson, from Ambassador's Pasadena Flairs gymnastics team.

"They're both accomplished gymnasts and have experience teaching tumbling and dance in recreation programs," Mr. Norman said. "We also have volunteer help

from some of the mothers and from Rich Gross, a graduate student in special education at Cal State, Los Angeles."

To vary the program Mr. Gross teaches ''parachute play.''
The activity has nothing to do with

parachuting; games are played with a single parachute (minus its rigging) held by the children as they stand in a circle around it.

Mr. Norman said he wants to "give the children basic physical in-struction at an early age so that their potential will be enhanced for life."

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BIG SANDY owned tent used in the past for Feast owned tent used in the past for Feast of Tabernacles meetings at Penticton, B.C., which was recently leased by and erected for a Las Vegas, Nev.-based firm, Big Top Enterprises ("Grapevine," June 23), was severely damaged by high winds and win left at 15 and 15 rain July 3.

According to Festival director Bill McDowell, the tent's moorings were cut as the storm hit to prevent it from becoming "Nevada's biggest kite."

The storm, with wind gusts reaching 100 miles an hour, was the same storm that caused widespread flooding and damage to Las Vegas, 25 miles north of the Jean, Nev., tent

Mr. McDowell said the tent is now in Los Angeles, Calif., for an appraisal of repair costs for insurance

PASADENA — The Church Administration Division announced the recent ordination of three local elders

and one praeching elder.

Ordained local elders were Dan
Brockman of London, Ky.; Larry
Millard of Denver, Colo.; and Dave
Havir of Omaha, Neb. Mr. Brockman and Mr. Millard are not employed by the Work. Mr. Havir is employed by the Work.

Raised in rank was Ted Phillips. preaching elder in Gadsden, Ala.

BIG SANDY - Bill McDowell, director of the Festival Office here, his wife Rose and Church member Clara Sulzberger of Chicago, Ill., purchased a health ranch in Southern California. Mrs. McDowell manages the



HEALTH RANCH - Bill McDow ell and his wife Rose look over gardens on their newly purchased health resort. [Photo by John

ranch. The McDowells and their three sons are now living in a house trailer on the 103-acre health resort, which is a 2½-hour drive from the Pasadena campus of Ambassador College.

Mr. McDowell, who previously

lived four miles east of the Ambas-sador campus here, said his family's move has had little effect on his Festival responsibilities.
"Travel is such an integral part of

my job and I end up spending so much time traveling that our moving to California hasn't been that much

of a change," he said.

The Festival director said the purchase of the health ranch has pro-vided a "tremendous outlet and lift" for his wife, who for most of her life has had a special interest in nutrition



JIM STARK

BIG SANDY - Dr. Jim Stark, professor of business and economics at Ambassador's Pasadena campus and college management consultant, was here at the invitation of Executive Vice President Ron several days this month to look over the operation of this campus and make suggestions to improve it.

"Mr. Dart asked me to come down to look over the operation and give helpful advice," Dr. Stark said.

"The college is a virtual gold mine," he said. "The campus has been developed nicely by a lot of hard-working people and has great potential. But like any business it could use a little fine tuning."

He said students should receive practical experience in the areas they are studying as well as classroom in struction. He calls this the "practical approach to education.

He feels that many schools don't combine "both the practical ap-proach with the classroom" as Ambassador does.



ENGLISH CONFERENCE — Leslie L. McCullough, foreground, director of the International Division of the Work, and C. Wayne Cole, left, director of the CAD, address ministers during a conference in Bricket Wood, England, for all ordained men in the British Isles and English-speaking ministers from Europe. (Photo by Brian Butler)

## 'It really tears me up, but I have to ...'

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