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Business successfully mixed with pleasure to mark alumni activity during Harding's 32nd Fall Lectureship. Social hours, a business meeting and a basketball game were included in the busy schedule. Pictured above renewing old acquaintances are Forest Moyer, '48, Bill and Joann Anderson Smith, '50, and Willis Cheatham, '50. Bill and Joann brought along two future Harding alumni who appear to be interested in the alumni program.

Time out for the Alumni fellowship

Lectureship coffee

The traditional lectureship Coffee Hour was held in the Emerald Room of Ganus Student Center on November 17, at 8 a. m. Coffee and doughnuts were served from a table decorated with autumn flowers. Visiting alumni pouring coffee were Florence McKerlie, former business manager, Alice Straughn, '52, Ruth Benson Crowder, '48, and Avanelle Elliott Baird, '39.

Alumni-Varsity basketball

The final score was 49-43, the Alumni having defeated the Varsity team by the margin of six points in the annual basketball game. On the winning team were Owen Olbricht, '54, Pete Stone, '58, Cecil Beck, '50, Hugh Groover, '50, and Joe Pryor, '37.

Executive committee

The Executive Committee of the Alumni Association held its annual fall meeting at noon, November 17, in the Emerald Room of the Ganus Student Center. Committee members attending were Joe Pryor, A. S. Croom, Charles Pitner, Carroll Trent, Emmett Smith, and T. D. Garner.

A discussion was held concerning who should be included as an associate alumnus. The motion was made, seconded and approved that Article III, section C of the constitution be amended to include permanent staff members who manage auxiliary enterprises. This will include managers of the Dining Hall, Harding College Block Plant, and the College Farm.

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Chapter News

Detroit

The Detroit Chapter held its annual fall dinner on October 28, 1955, with 20 alumni attending. After the business meeting, Marion Bush entertained the group with pictures and stories of her summer European tour.

The Chapter met for the holiday party in the home of Johnny Murphy Gentry, December 23. In addition to alumni, there were several Harding students from the local area in attendance.

Memphis

The Memphis Chapter met Friday evening, October 28, for a pot luck supper. Sixteen adults and several children attended. The main business of the evening was the election of new officers: President Ike Hall, 309 North Rose Road; Vice-president Leo Campbell, 4398 Janice Drive; Secretary Leon Sanderson, 593 Alexander; and Treasurer Mary Katherine King, 397 Angelus.

Monea

Forty-five alumni were in attendance at the Monea Chapter Christmas dinner meeting, December 16, at Crowleys Ridge Academy. Entertainment was provided by a quartet, followed by group singing. In the business meeting, the Chapter submitted nominations for officers of the Association.

The next meeting, which will be for prospective students, will be held in Kennett, Missouri.

Wichita

The Wichita, Kansas, Chapter met December 2, 1955, at the Maude Carpenter's Home with 23 alumni present. Officers elected at that time were President E. M. McCluggage, 1817 North Estelle; Vice-president Louis Tandy, 2015 McCormick, and Secretary-treasurer Ortell Armstrong, 1801 East Lewis.

Business for the evening was a discussion on setting up a scholarship fund that would enable a worthy student to attend Harding College.

From here and there . . .



President's Corner

By Dr. Joe Pryor

It hardly seems possible that almost one semester of the 1955-56 school year can have passed, but such is the case since final examinations are at hand. Not only has the tempo of studying, doing research in the library and writing term papers increased since the holidays, but some of the student activities have accelerated their pace.

During the recent holiday period I had the opportunity to visit with several recent graduates of Harding who are now engaged in graduate or professional study and it was encouraging to hear of the excellent record these students are making. At least ten recent graduates now hold graduate assistantships in some of the leading universities. This bespeaks the excellent quality of academic work being done at Harding. The good small liberal arts college holds a unique place for the production of scholars. Today it is more important than ever before that a young person have thorough preparation in order to render maximum service.

A large number of students with outstanding ability are enrolled at Harding. Some of these young people were offered scholarships at universities of renown but they chose Harding because Harding is a Christian college. Since enrolling at Harding several of these students with professional objectives, such as medicine, have determined to go to places where the church is weak numerically and minister to the spiritual needs of people while serving their physical needs. I wish you could know and be associated with these students. It is a real inspiration. I am not disparaging the student with just average ability, but I think we have often neglected the student of superior ability. We need more faithful Christians who are five-talent people. Christianity and intellectual achievement are not incompatible. We need more men of Paul's stature.

Elsewhere in this bulletin will be found a listing of some job openings about which the Harding College Placement Office has more information. J. D. Fenn, '30, is directing the placement service and we would like for alumni to avail themselves of this service if you are not satisfied with your present employment. Some excellent opportunities are available for teachers with the proper training who would like to be where they can do "mission" work. Excellent jobs in industry become available from time to time. If you are registered with the Placement Office, you can be notified when these jobs become available.

Alumni Day this year is May 30. The Class of 1931 is the 25-year class and will have charge of the chapel program. Other classes which will have reunions are those of 1936, 1941, 1946 and 1951. Everyone is invited to the campus for Alumni Day but these particular classes are urged to return. Place this on your calendar now and plan to be back. From the letters the Alumni Office has already received, we are expecting more alumni to return this spring than ever before.

We appreciate very much the news items that you send in. The more we receive, the more we can print in the Bulletin. Just a postal card will get the job done.

Do you know of any young people who should be in Harding this fall? Please send in their names and addresses at once so that they can be contacted.

1929

The following is taken from a letter written by the Area Personnel Officer, Department of the Interior, Gallup, N. M.: "Mrs. Irene Bradley, former student from your college, is enjoying a successful career in our bureau, teaching Indian children. She is presently stationed at Dulce, New Mexico, where she teaches between 30 and 35 Indian children.

"We need new teachers, and we are looking for people with an educational background similar to that of Mrs. Bradley." Mrs. Bradley is the former Irene Nation.

1931

J. Harvey Dykes is minister of the church in Stillwater and instructor for the Church of Christ Bible Chair at Oklahoma A. & M. Mrs. Dykes (nee Elizabeth Pankratz, '33) is enrolled in her senior year's work at A. & M.

Marvin Hastings completed work on his master's degree at Wayne University during the summer of 1955 in the Audio-Visual Department of the College of Education. His thesis was entitled, "Understanding the Audio-Visual Role Among Churches of Christ," for which he received an honor credit.

1934

In August, 1955, Milton Peebles received his master's degree in Education and Guidance from East Texas State Teacher's College, Commerce, Texas.

1944

Alfreda Teague Hayes writes from Hawaii where her husband is serving as engineering officer in the Marine Corps. "So far everything about the islands has lived up to my expectations. Myrene, our daughter, is in the fourth grade this year. We also have a two and a half year old son."

1946

In addition to preaching appointments, William B. Collins is teaching in a small high school at Boca Grande, Florida.

George D. Knepper, Jr., is now living at Marion, Ohio, where he is associated with the Jay H. Maish Company advertising agency.

1948

Henry and Grace Johnson Farrar are now living in Harlingen, Tex. Henry is stationed there as a physician in the U. S. Public Health Service for clinics in Hidalgo and Cameron Counties to fulfil his obligation to the government under the doctors' draft.

Joe and Jane Zazzi Mitchen and four children

were transferred recently from Connecticut to Baton Rouge, La. Joe has a position with the Ethyl Corporation.

1949

Martha Chouteau, 1st lieutenant in the Air Force, is stationed at a hospital on Ladd Air Force Base, Fairbanks, Alaska.

Olivia Crittenden is teaching school at Fargo, Georgia. She writes that she will receive her M.A. degree in history from Memphis State College, June 1.

A letter from Mary Ruth Scott Noffsinger brings this news, "Ralph (47) is preaching at Peck, Kansas, each Sunday and spends the week-days building houses. We have three sons, David, Timothy, and Mark, who are six, four and two years old. Of course, an alumna could not possibly write without mentioning her children."

Louie Kern Ward is employed as commerce teacher for William Chrisman Junior High School, Independence, Missouri.

1950

Pearle Mahan is teaching fifth grade at University Heights Public Schools, Tucson, Arizona. She plans to complete work in the summer term for her M.A. degree from the University of Arizona.

Jane Neal is teaching third grade in public schools in North Miami, Florida.

Douglas Shaw is working with the church in Bremerton, Washington.

1951

Sue Christian received her master's degree from George Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee, in August, 1955. She now teaches second grade at Weiner, Arkansas.

Ralph Deihl has accepted a special agent's contract with the Prudential Insurance Company of America, in New York.

Freda Gibson and Frances Bornschlegel are teaching first grades in FINDERNE School, Somerset County, New Jersey.

Tommy Olbricht writes, "I am now head of the speech department at the University of Dubuque, Iowa. Dubuque has a total enrollment of a few over 500. We like it here quite well."

Shirley Wen and Tit-Fei Leung ('53) were married in November, 1953, and in April, 1955, Timothy Sheck joined their family. The Leungs now live in Pittsburg, California.

1952

Dolly Clark Gullo is now living in Ackerly, Texas. Dolly has two daughters — Linda, two years, and Penny, seven months.

Hubert B. (Doc) Mason and family have moved to Muscatine, Iowa, to work with the church meeting there. Prior to this time, Numa and Ruth Benson ('48) Crowder have worked with the congregation in Musca-

tine, but recently accepted work with the church in Macomb, Illinois.

Bob Morris of Memphis was featured as bass soloist in the 24th annual presentation of Handel's "The Messiah" in Little Rock, December 11.

Bob Sewell, recently discharged from the army medical corps, is studying business administration at Washington University in St. Louis, Mo. His wife, Rickie Arimura Sewell, (53) plans a career in medical technology and is serving her internship at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis.

After receiving his discharge from the army, Trice Taylor enrolled in the Tennessee College of Dentistry, Memphis.

1953

Irma Coons completed her master's degree in Statistics at Iowa State College, June, 1955. She now is employed by Westinghouse, Pittsburg, Pa., where she is in Experimental Design and Statistical Analysis for the Material Engineering Research group.

Charles and Peggy Bryant ('54) Crawford are moving to Fayetteville, Arkansas, where Charles plans to resume work on his master's degree. Just prior to his discharge from the army, Charles was selected as Soldier of the Week for the Western Area Command in Germany. The selection was made on the basis of his soldierly appearance, knowledge of duties and military courtesy.

Ruby Lee Ellis is teaching the second grade and eighth grade English at Memphis Christian School.

Windle and Barbara McFarland ('54) Kee are living in Levittown, Pa., where Windle has been preaching since July, 1953. The Kees have two children — Paul, 18 months, and an adopted son, Carl, 14 years.

Harold Littrell writes, "We have moved to Indianola, Miss., to work with the church. Janet Kettle Culpepper, who attended Harding, '50, is a member of this congregation. She and her husband, Robert, are doing a good work in the church here."

Gerald Long is minister for the church of Christ in Sandy, Oregon.

Muriel Proctor is teaching in junior high school, Greenville, Michigan.

In August, 1955, Jutta Reich received the M.B.A. degree from Syracuse University, New York.

1954

Walter and Eileen Snure (53) Dale are living in St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada. Walter is preaching for the congregation there and also is working on his B.A. degree. Eileen is working with the Retarded Children's School.

Pat Fogarty is teaching classes in speech, dramatics, and English in the high school at Port Lavaca, Texas.

After graduating from Harding, Benny Holland enrolled in graduate work at College of the Pacific, Stockton, California. Benny is now in the army and holds a position as instructor in the Army Medical Service School. He also serves as supply minister for the Grove Avenue church, San Antonio, Texas.

Bill and Martha Allen Johns are living in St. Louis, Missouri. Bill is teaching eighth grade mathematics and

attending night classes at Missouri Chiropractic College. Martha, formerly Personnel Dining-Room Supervisor at Jewish Hospital, has been promoted to Food-Service Supervisor in the Dietary Department.

Ramona Newton writes that since leaving Harding in March, 1952, she has been employed as cashier-receptionist for Wayne County Rural Electric Corp., Richmond, Indiana.

Carol Stevens is teaching in the commerce department of public schools of Calipatria, California.

Meredith Thom is teaching third and fourth grades in public schools at Rockford, Illinois.

Mrs. Tom Wheat, Jr. (nee Sue Buntley) is living in Hersfeld, Germany, where her husband is stationed for three years of military service.

Mary Ann Whitaker has accepted the position as assistant to Harding's director of publicity and publications. She began her work here February 1.

1955

John Anderson graduated from Long Beach State College, California, in June, 1955, with a B.A. degree in Political Science. He now is employed as a budget analyst for the State Department of Finance, Calif.

Living in Louisville, Kentucky, are Delmar and Sara Covey Browning. Delmar is minister for the Iroquois church of Christ and Sara is employed by the Peaslee Gaulbert Corporation.

Reece Vernon Boyd (MA '55) is teaching general science and biology in David Lipscomb High School, Nashville, Tennessee.

Joanne Agnew is teaching grades five and six in Shaw Public Schools, Irwin, Pennsylvania.

Wil and Lee Albright ('58) Goodheer are now living in Hyattsville, Maryland, where Wil preaches for the Avalon Heights church for the deaf.

Bebe Daniels is teaching second grade in Riverside Park, New Jersey, and working on her master's degree at Trenton State.

Betty Helm is teaching first and second grades in Columbia Bible School, Portland, Oregon.

Milton Wallace Landrum is preaching for the local congregation in Stevens Point, Wisc.

Pauline Voyles writes, "I am now employed as Home Demonstration Agent in Atoka County, Oklahoma, after having graduated from Oklahoma A. & M. College, Stillwater, in May, 1955, receiving a B.S. degree in Home Economics Education. Larry and Linda, my two children, are in school in Atoka."

1957

Frank Plachy is preaching for the church in Foreman, Arkansas.

Bax Walker is working in the advertising department of P. F. Collier & Son Corp., Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Jerry Broderick is continuing his studies at the School of Pharmacy, Memphis, Tennessee.

1958

Barbara Jones is working as a messenger for the Houston Bank and Trust Company, and is making plans to return to Harding next fall.

Danice Nelson is a student nurse at the Lilly Jolly School of Nursing, Houston, Texas.



Harding Alumni have leading roles in the opening of York College

When the doors of York College swing open in the fall of 1956, it will mark the beginning of the first junior college in York, Nebraska, and the first Christian college in the North operated by members of the church. A standard curriculum for freshman and sophomore college students will be offered at the school of liberal arts.

Administrative officers were named at a recent board meeting: Harvey A. Childress, president; Dale R. Larsen, vice-president; and Royal Bowers, dean.

Dale Larsen graduated from Harding in 1945 with a B.A. degree in Bible and English. He continued his studies at New York University, Columbia University and Biblical Seminary, receiving the M.A. degree from New York University. Dale married the former Raylene Thornon ('43); they with their daughter, Aloha, are living in Holdredge, Nebraska, where Dale preaches for a newly-organized congregation.

Royal Bowers was associated with Harding College in the years 1951-53 as co-ordinator of student employment and counselor of men in Armstrong Hall. Mr. Bowers has a teaching fellowship at Oklahoma A. & M. and is a candidate for a doctorate in August.

Serving on the Board of Trustees as secretary is Glen A. Bettenhausen ('54). Other Harding alumni on the Board are Herschel L. Dyer ('46), Clarence W. Mersch ('30), and Dale Larsen. Glen is preaching at Grand Island, Nebraska; Herschel at Lincoln, Nebraska. Clarence is owner of an electric and plumbing business in Davenport, but will serve as engineer of the York plant when it opens in September.

Married

Shirley Ann Harvey, '57, to Richard Hollis Brooks on November 6, 1955, in Camden, Arkansas.

Marilyn Sue Pate, '58, to *Weldon Holmes Feasel*, '58, on October 29, 1955, in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Ann Louise Warr, '56, to Jack Heywood Sawyer on October 21, 1955, in Little Rock.

Mary Jacqueline Hutchison, '56, to Joe Taylor, Jr. on November 6, 1955, in Searcy.

Marilyn Elsie Snyder, '58, to Robert Benjamin on October 9, 1955, in Danville, Illinois.

Sarah Jean Covey, '54, to *Delmar Frank Browning*, '55, on August 20, 1955, in Louisville, Kentucky.

Ila Caroline Townsden, '58, to Norman E. Parrott on November 5, 1955, in Omaha, Nebraska.

Sarah Longley, '54, to *James A. McAuley*, '54, on October 17, 1955, in Batesville.

Cora Payne, '57, to *Bob Anderson*, '53, on June 4, 1955, in Wewoka, Okla.

Nancy Stackhouse to *James Orell Cole*, '49, on September 2, 1955, in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Glenna Faye Grice, '49, to Carl Dudley Chandler on July 10, 1955, in San Diego, California.

Shirley Cutting, '58, to Walter Conner on September 1, 1955, in Carmen, Manitoba, Canada.

Catherine Dusenbery, '57, to William Carroll Jordan on November 24, 1955, in England, Arkansas.

Joyce Langdon, '54, to Billy Mills on October 8, 1955, in Memphis, Tennessee.

Mollie Bradke, '57, to Jon Phillips on November 21, 1955, in North Little Rock.

Elizabeth Herndon, '55, to Jimmy Chambers, on October 16, 1955, in Madison, Tennessee.

Wilma Wyatt, '55, to Robert D. Osborne on July 17, 1955, in Kennett, Missouri.

Janelle Bennett, '52, to James Elwood on December 27, 1955, in Atkins, Ark.

Deceased

Yvoone McGregor Shively, '38, died August 24, 1955, at Wichita Falls, Texas.

Larry Whitehead, '53, died December 10, 1955, at Panama City, Florida.

Born

Daughter, Kim Elizabeth, to Wayne and Alice Ann Hawkins Kellar on August 19, 1955, at Magnolia.

Son, Robin Reynolds, to Ray and Dorothy Reynolds King on October 14, 1955, in Fayetteville.

Daughter, Cynthia Ann, to Don and Barbara Wilkerson on October 3, 1955, in Fayetteville.

Daughter, Leah, to Adrian and Mary McCullough Formby on October 14, 1955, in Little Rock.

Son, Robert Lawrence, to Charles and Peggy Bryant Crawford on September 17, 1955, in Landstuhl, Germany.

Daughter, Martha Ann, to Thomas and Engle Lee Awtray Burkett on October 23, 1955, in Gonzales, Texas.

Son, Randall Reed, to James and Nedie Mae Switzer Seal on August 12, 1955, in Elk City, Kansas.

Daughter, Wanda Jean, to Bill and Doris Harmon Fulks on October 9 in Lake City, Florida.

Son, Charles David, to Bill and Neva Chesshir Handy on October 22, 1955, in Sherman, Texas.

Daughter, Meagan Lea, to Sam and Jeanetta Hazlet Stout on November 23, 1955, in Hudson, Colorado.

Son, David Songer, to Lott and Mae Ann Songer Tucker on November 7, 1955, in Searcy.

Son, Matthias Gottfried, to Gottfried and Hannelore Reichel on October 27, 1955, in Munchen, Germany.

Son, Charles Robin, to Ray and Theda Robins Miller on September 7, 1955, in Kansas City, Kansas.

Son, Davy Wade, to David and Myra Underwood on October 20, 1955, in Commanche, Oklahoma.

Daughter, Priscilla Elise, to Bob and Dorothy Callahan Gilliam on November 5, 1955, in Bay.

Son, Bruce Roberts, to Bob and Barbara Johnson Morgan on July 1, 1955, in San Jose, California.

Son, Paul Richard, to Claud and Venice Hazlet Danley on November 21, 1955, in Abilene, Texas.

Son, Geoffrey David, to Mr. & Mrs. Carmelo Casella on November 19, 1955, in Ada, Oklahoma.

Son, Daniel Ray, to David and Martha King Rhodes on November 15, 1955, in Wichita, Kansas.

Daughter, Melanie Dawn, to Richard and Barbara Lemmons Otey on November 1, 1955, in Sherman, Texas.

Son, Timothy Joseph, to Rosse and Cecilia Long on November 24, 1955, in Lancaster, California.

Son, Donald Roderick, to Don and Katie Young on October 7, 1955, in Tucson, Arizona.

Son, Murray Edwin, Jr., to Murray and Ruby Butterfield Warren on December 7, 1955, in Bismarck, N. D.

Son, William Nelson, to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Longley on August 8, 1955, in Festus, Missouri.

Son, David Bennett, to Henry and Grace Johnson Farrar on December 9, 1955, in Harlingen, Texas.

Daughter, Karla Jean, to Tully and Jean Smith Wilkins on December 12, 1955, in Dallas, Texas.

Daughter, Andee Lea, to Virgil and Lou Dugger Lawyer on November 9, 1955, in Kennett, Missouri.

Son, Clifford Morris, to Cliff and Ann Morris Seawel on December 26, 1955, in Joplin, Missouri.

Son, Dennis Bradley, to Mr. and Mrs. Olan Hanes on December 8, 1955, in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Daughter, Deborah Cecilia, to Cecil and Dot Tullos Beck on January 3, 1956, in Searcy.

Son, William Carl, (by adoption) to Loren and Marion Word on September 26, 1955, in Shreveport, Louisiana.

Son, Clifford Gene, to Sherman and Jewell Woodward Ferren on November 5, 1955, in Searcy.

Placement office has requests for Harding trained personnel

In the November, 1954, Alumni bulletin, announcement was made of the opening of another office of service to Harding students and alumni. The Placement Office, under the able direction of J. D. Fenn, a 1930 graduate, is continuing to secure for students and alumni the best employment possible in their chosen fields of endeavor. Due to the superior quality of work rendered by Hardingites, the office is constantly receiving requests for more qualified people.

The Placement Office now has requests to fill the following openings in business:

In Arkansas—Research positions for chemistry graduates.
District Boy Scout executive.
Man for general office work.

In Kansas—Outstanding young men in career-training management program.

In Louisiana—Home Economic graduates to work in the Shreveport area.
Stenographers and secretaries for public utilities offices.

Teaching positions are available.

In Arkansas: Commercial teacher for spring semester, salary \$200-225.

Math teacher (first and second year algebra and geometry).

In Missouri: Vocal music instructor for elementary school.

Teacher for elementary grades, salary \$325.

Girls' physical education instructor for grades 7-12.

Home Economics teacher.

Commercial teacher.

Biology teacher.

Elementary music teacher who will direct glee club.

English and Spanish teacher.

In New Jersey: Vocal music teacher for spring semester.

Elementary teachers for next school year.

In Tennessee: Teacher with M.A. in English.

In Wyoming: Commercial teacher.

Man biology teacher.

In New York: Teachers in Syracuse with Master's degree.

In Iowa: Teachers for all levels.

The office also has information concerning teaching positions in Japan, Okinawa, Germany, France and Northern Italy. These jobs are in connection with Army dependent schools. Information is also available concerning teaching positions with the Bureau of Indian Affairs. This involves teaching in schools which furnish educational opportunities to Indian children for whom public school classes are not pro-

vided. Areas of teaching are Arizona, New Mexico, Utah and Colorado. All these positions are subject to Civil Service Commission regulations. The salaries range up to \$4,525 for 52 weeks.

If any of these openings have interested you, you may write to Mr. Fenn's office for more information. Also, if you would like a position in a different section from where you are now located, you may write the Placement Office, giving the kind of work in which you are interested and supply them with necessary references. When an opening of that nature is offered, your name and references could be submitted.

Help the Alumni Office and Placement Office to help you by keeping us informed.

Fellowship

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In the future personnel of the Alumni Office will be responsible for maintaining a booth during lectureships where name tags will be given all campus visitors. Alumni will be designated by various colored tags indicating their year of graduation, while other visitors will be given neutral colored name tags.

An effort is being made to employ an Executive Secretary for the Association. The Committee feels that the Secretary should visit all Alumni Chapters annually.

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ALUMNI NEWS