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## Business Team Masters Game

Harding has become the first school to win the Emory University Intercollegiate Business Game twice. The announcement was made March 4 at the awards luncheon climaxing the six-week long competition between 40 colleges and universities from Southern, Midwestern and Eastern seaboard states.

Harding first won the championship in 1969 and finished second in 1970. The 1972 competition was the seventh national business game sponsored by Emory University.

Notre Dame and Marshall University (W. Va.) tied for second in the final judging followed by the University of Kentucky and Brandeis (Mass). Arkansas State University was the defending champion.

Five senior accounting majors composed Harding's winning team. Mike Cole of Trenton, Mich., Ron Wages of Pascagoula, Miss., and Bob White of Glenside, Pa., were members of Harding's 1971 entry in the competition. Cole was a member of two previous Emory teams.

Completing the five-member team were Tom Maddox of Hot Springs, Ark., and Mark Wallis of Richardson, Tex.

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## Campus Landscape Changes As Construction Begins

The landscape on the North side of the Harding campus has taken on a new look as the preliminary steps toward the construction of the new student center have begun.

The student center will be located adjacent to the American Heritage Center on Center Street. To make way for the impending construction three homes were either moved or dismantled.

Through some careful maneuvers the home of Dr. Jack Wood Sears, chairman of the biology department, was moved to a lot on East Market Street. The movers took advantage of a vacant campus during spring vacation to accomplish their mechanical feat.

The Stapleton house, which was used to house nine coeds, was sold and moved to another location. The old Lacefield house, which had been used for storage, was dismantled.

The cost of the new multi-purpose student center will reach \$850,000, of which, \$750,000 has already been raised through gifts and pledges. Construction on the center is expected to take 12 months.

The two-story structure will provide more than 40,000 square feet of floor area. The new student center will replace the Ganus Student Center which was built to accommodate a stu-

### Business Championship . . .

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Billy Ray Cox, associate professor of business administration, and Gary Bartholomew, instructor in business, served as faculty advisors for the team.

The teams in the competition theoretically manufactured and sold stainless steel household products. The teams were divided into industries, with each industry winner presenting its market strategy to a panel of judges who chose the winning team at the conclusion to the game. The game began January 13 and concluded with final judging on March 2-4 in Atlanta.

Managerial decisions were made by the teams for each business quarter and sent to the Emory Business School. The decisions were immediately consolidated and processed through the main computer facility on the Emory campus. The simulated game covered a theoretical period of three years in a company's production.



**INITIAL STEP** — Before construction on the student center could begin, three houses were moved. Above, workmen remove the rock from the exterior of the home of Dr. Jack Wood Sears. The Sears' home was moved to a lot on East Market Street.

dent body of 650 or one-third the size of the present enrollment.

The first floor of the facility will include larger areas for the college inn, the bookstore, the student lounge and the post office. The lounge and inn will be separated by three moveable planters, which may be removed to combine the floor space of the two areas for large student receptions and mixers.

The bookstore will cover slightly over 5,300 square feet and will include expanded mail order and storage rooms. The post office facilities will have 1,800 individual boxes, nearly twice the number presently used.

The first floor of the center will also house a 12-lane bowling alley, a room for billiards and ping pong, a faculty lounge which opens onto the college inn, and lockers for day students.

As in the Ganus Student Center the second floor of the new center will house the offices of the PETIT JEAN, THE BISON and the Student Association. In addition to these rooms a music area, a conference room and a chapel-seminar room will occupy the second floor. The second floor will have more than 12,000 square feet of room for a future addition.

Little Rock architect Bruce Anderson designed the multi-purpose student center.

### Graduation Ceremonies Scheduled for May 14

Graduation ceremonies for Harding's 325 seniors will be held at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, May 14, the first time the exercises have been on a Sunday or in the afternoon. The change came about as a result of the new calendar schedule adopted by the college this year.

Also, no baccalaureate services will be held as has been the procedure in past years.

A showcase by the Belles and Beaux will be presented on Friday, May 12 at 8 p.m. in the main auditorium and a presentation by the A Cappella Chorus will be on Saturday, May 13 at 8 p.m.

The final countdown of the spring semester will begin with "dead week," which curtails all campus activity to allow students proper time for study, May 3-6. Examinations will be administered May 8-13.

Summer school registration will be held June 5 with classes starting June 6. The second session will begin July 10.

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Roger Staubach

### Citizenship Seminar To Feature Staubach

The annual Citizenship Seminar for high school students will be held at Harding June 11-17. Sponsored by the Arkansas Farm Bureau Federation, Civitan Clubs, and the American Studies program at Harding, the seminar will feature several guest speakers, including Roger Staubach, quarterback for the Dallas Cowboys world champion professional football team.

Also included in the week's visiting lecturers will be Dr. Nicholas Nyaradi, chairman of International Studies at Bradley University, Dr. Clifton L. Ganus, president of Harding, Bill R. Cox, vice president and George S. Benson, president emeritus. Students from Arkansas and several surrounding states are expected to attend the seminars, which have been held since 1956 to emphasize citizenship development.

The students will be housed in Harding dormitories and seminar sessions will be in the American Heritage Center auditorium.

### Dean Serves As Curriculum Consultant For York College

Dr. Joseph E. Pryor, academic dean, visited the York (Neb.) College campus as a curriculum consultant to analyze the degree program. In addressing the faculty, he said, "York College is not just a junior college. It has the unique qualification of an institution which has an emphasis on Christian principles as well as doing a superior job in the academic field. York should be York. It has its own emphasis and unique aspects."

## Summer World Evangelism Seminar Will Analyze Mission Techniques

Harding's 10th annual World Evangelism Seminar will be two concentrated week-long courses for elders, preachers, missionaries, prospective missionaries and others interested in learning mission methods, according to Dr. W. Joe Hacker, chairman of the Harding Bible department and seminar director.

The programs will be held June 5-10 and June 12-17 in the American Heritage Center.

Missionaries and former missionaries will conduct daily classes. Mr. and Mrs. Don Shackleford of New Orleans will conduct separate classes for men and women on "Special Methods" and "Woman's Role in Missions." Dr. Hacker will teach on "European Campaigns."

Other classes will be "Cross Cultural Communications" by Phil Slate, Harding Graduate School and former missionary in England; "Anthropo-

logy and Missions" by John Beckloff of the African Christian Foundation in Nashville and "Group Sharing" by Allan Isom and Ron Brotherton of the Harding Bible faculty.

Evening sessions will be conducted by Dr. George Benson (China), John Beckloff (Africa), Gerald Paden (Italy), Tex Williams (South Africa), Phil Slate (British Commonwealth), and Jim Woodroof (New Zealand).

In the second session Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Huffard, formerly of Sierra Leone, will conduct separate classes on "Developing a Mission Program" and "Woman's Role." Dr. Benson, Harding's president emeritus, Slate, Beckloff, Isom and Brotherton will also have daily classes.

The night sessions will be held by Dr. Benson, Virgil Lawyer (Japan), Maurice Hall (France), Bib Wilkerson (Germany) and Pat McGee (Southeast Asia).

### College Programs Receive AAC Recognition

Harding's alumni PHONOTHON and two of the college's publications received special recognition at the District IV conference of the American Alumni Council in San Antonio, February 21-23.

The PHONOTHON was awarded a first place award in the Capital Fund Campaign category. The campaign was conducted for 19 nights during December and raised slightly more than \$200,000 for the construction of a new student center.

Paul Gardner, director of alumni relations, directed the PHONOTHON campaign. Gardner was presented the first place citation by John Rosso of the University of Arkansas and the AAC conference chairman.

In commenting on the award,

Gardner noted that it was actually the alumni who deserve the honor. "Without the support of our alumni, there could have been no PHONOTHON. Through their generosity and commitment to Harding, the program was a success. The award was accepted on behalf of our entire alumni body," he said.

Harding's packet of solicitor materials for the college's annual fund was the recipient of a first place award in the Volunteer Solicitor Materials category. The annual fund packet was designed by Stanley Green, director of information and publications.

In both categories, Harding's first place citations were the only awards presented. The judges indicated Harding's entries were the only ones meriting an award.

The college's quarterly alumni tabloid newspaper received honorable mention in the Newspaper of the Year category. Harding's newspaper is edited by David Crouch, assistant director of information and publications.

Thirty-five schools of the AAC's District IV entered the awards competition. District IV includes the states of Arkansas, Louisiana, and Texas.



## Workshop's Keynote Speaker Chosen

Larry Swaim, author of the syndicated newspaper column "Search for Truth" which is carried in 260 newspapers throughout the nation, will be the keynote speaker for the tenth annual Christian Workers' Workshop July 3-6. "Planning Christian Experiences" has been announced as the theme for the workshop, which is directed by Dr. Joe Hacker with Dr. Allan Isom as coordinator.

Swaim is a native of Little Rock and received the B.A. from David Lipscomb. Currently he is working toward the Master's at the Harding Graduate School of Religion in Memphis.

He is the author of two tracts, **God Speaks to You** and **Unity**. He also has written a book for young people, **So You Want to Be Popular**.

In January of 1970 he began full time evangelistic work, operating through a mass media program entitled "World Evangelism." He has participated in numerous evangelistic meetings and speaks often on college and high school campuses.

The summer workshop is a combination of three programs, according to Isom. Included are a Youth Forum, a Teachers' Forum and a Leadership Forum. Each seeks to train and inspire those of all ages in the church.

Terry Smith, director of the Chris-



Larry Swaim

tian Student Center at Memphis State University, will supervise the Youth Forum.

Dr. Bill Patterson, co-editor of the Christian Bible Teacher and professor at the Harding Graduate School, will supervise the Leadership Forum. A faculty of 40 will be involved in the teaching of classes.

Additional information may be obtained by writing Dr. Isom.

## Alpha Chi Inducts 32 New Members

Thirty-two students were inducted into the Arkansas Eta chapter of Alpha Chi national honor college scholarship society in ceremonies Feb. 16. To be eligible for the society, students must have a 3.70 grade average on 80 to 103 hours of credit or a 3.50 average on 104 or more hours.

Included in the listing were Larry D. Anderson, Harrison; Genevieve Bailey, Searcy; Ronald James Blachly, Carmichael, Ca.; Leon Blue, Searcy; Gary Cage, Gallatin, Tenn.; Harold Dean Davis Mena; Carolyn Dell, Freeport, Ill.; Thomas Estes, Montgomery, Ala.; David Fincher, East Point, Ga.; Myra Pauline Fletcher, Pantego, N. C.; Beverly Hill Guyer, Edgewater, Co.; Ronnie Lee Harrison, Vilonia; Wayne Hawley, Milwaukee, Wis.; Doris Healy, Shawnee Mission, Ka.; Kathy Henderson, Mountain Home; Sharon Kay Holderby, St. Albans, W. Va.; Edward

Howard, Williamstown, W. Va.; Kenneth Lair, Searcy; MariLynn McIn-  
teer, Nashville, Tenn.; Lorna Kay McKinney, Albany, Or.; Robert Mahaffey, Tulsa; Oneal Masters, Bradford; Sue Ellen Maxey, Martin, Tenn.; Michael Miller, Portland, Or.; John Nunnally, Memphis; M. Beth Saxton, Florence, Ala.; Ronald Stough, Montgomery; Swaid Swaid, Eilahoun, Israel; Doug Tanksley, Batesville, Miss.; Susan DeLong Thomas, Lowell, O.; Susan Vance, Portia; and Mark Wallis, Richardson, Tex.

Dr. Joseph E. Pryor, national secretary-treasurer of the organization, Dr. Don England and Dr. Neale Pryor, faculty advisors of the local chapter, conducted the ceremony. Dr. Winfred Wright spoke at a dinner that followed.

Alpha Chi now has 119 active chapters in 37 states and Mexico. Harding's Arkansas Eta chapter was installed March 1, 1957.

## Instructor's Creations Selected For Exhibit

Paul M. Pitt a member of the art department faculty, was one of 18 Arkansas artists whose works were selected for the 17th annual Mid-South Exhibition at the Brooks Memorial Art Gallery in Memphis March 4 through April 2.

The 18 are among 408 artists in nine states who submitted 940 works to the exhibition, one of the largest in the Mid-South. Of that number, 205 paintings by 174 artists were accepted for inclusion in the show.

Pitt is a 1967 graduate of Harding and received a Master's degree from the University of Tulsa in 1971. He is a former instructor in art and Bible at Harding Academy of Memphis and served as youth director of the 15th St. Church of Christ in Tulsa.

## Faculty Musician Performs in Concert

Mrs. Sarah Croom Morris, member of the piano faculty, was presented on the Sunday Afternoon Concert Series at the Arkansas Arts center in Little Rock March 5. The series features musicians from Arkansas colleges and universities.

Mrs. Morris repeated the concert Monday, March 6 on the campus. She played three sonatas by Scarlatti, "Sonata in F Minor, Opus 5," by Johannes Brahms, four preludes, including "Clair de Lune," by Claude Debussy, and "Piano Sonata" written in 1948 by Leon Kirchner, composer in residence at Harvard.

The musician attended Abilene Christian College, Pepperdine University and Harding. She received the B.M. and M.M. degrees at George Peabody in 1964 and 1966, respectively. She did past master's work at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, and has studied with Lee Pattison, Bernice Frost, Guiamar Novaes and Sahche Gorodnitski. In the summers of 1968 and 1969 she was a member of the performing faculty of Temple University Festival Institute in Philadelphia. She came to the Harding faculty in September.

Mrs. Morris has two daughters, Margaret Rebecca, a freshman at Guilford College in Greensboro, and Susan, a sophomore at Harding Academy. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Croom of Searcy.

## Campus Program Is Awarded Freedoms Citation

Harding's American Studies Program has been awarded a distinguished service citation for 1971 from the Freedoms Foundation of Valley Forge, Pa. The announcement of the award was made Feb. 20.

The Freedoms Foundation announced a total of twelve winners of awards in Arkansas. Harding was the only college in Arkansas to receive an award from the organization.

The American Studies Program is directed by Billy Ray Cox, vice president. Each year guest speakers from across the nation are brought to the campus for lectures and seminars with students in the program.

All Harding students participate in the American Studies Program. The students are required to enroll in four courses in the areas of history, economics, political science or international relations.

A more extensive program is provided for outstanding students majoring in history, political science, economics, business or social science. Semi-annual educational visits are made to financial, industrial, and governmental center as well as historical sites across the nation. During the 1971-72 school term, more than 40 American Studies students visited Dallas and Chicago.

## Interdependency of Man and Ecological Community Chosen As Theme For Summer Environmental Workshop

An environmental education workshop for elementary, science and social studies teachers will be offered at Harding July 10-25. The study will be a part of the summer school program and may be used for graduate or undergraduate credit.

The workshop is designed to stimulate an awareness of the environmental interdependency of man and his ecological community.

Visiting specialists from federal and state agencies will provide lectures, movies and illustrated talks on a wide variety of related topics, which will include air and water pollution, health, recreation, and the wise use of our diminishing natural resources. Field trips will be provided which will enhance learning



## Mathematics Professor Has Paper Published

Dr. Dean Priest, chairman of the department of mathematics at Harding College, has had a paper accepted for publication by the Pacific Journal of Mathematics, one of the field's leading publications. The study

is part of the professor's dissertation for the doctoral degree he received at the University of Mississippi in 1969. Entitled "A Mean Stieltjes Type Integral," the article was accepted at the first offer.

Another article he co-authored with Paul Keith Wayland, a senior chemistry major at Harding, entitled "Another Look at the Countability of the Rationals" will be presented at a meeting of the Oklahoma-Arkansas section of Mathematics Association of America at a meeting in Conway later this spring.

Priest has not been notified when the article will be issued.

A native of Columbia, Tenn., Priest received a B.S. at Harding in 1961 and joined the math faculty in 1962 after receiving a Master's at University of Mississippi. In 1966 he returned to Ole Miss to work toward the doctorate. He was named a Distinguished Teacher at Harding in 1969.

Married to the former Carolyn Pogue of Hampshire, Tenn., he is the father of four daughters, Teresa, Cheryl, Matilda and Laura, and a son, Dean Jr.



## Students Will Earn Credit On French Tour

Fifteen Harding students accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. Winfred Wright of the French faculty, will spend seven weeks this summer, June 8-July 27, in France on a Work Study tour whereby the students will receive five hours of college credit. The group will spend half of the time in evangelistic campaign work and will also study at major sites of culture in France.

Dr. and Mrs. Wright served as missionaries in Belgium during 1958-60 and in France from 1962-66. Both received doctorates in the French language at the Universite de Toulouse.

Traveling by car, the participants will make a general tour of the country, camping, sleeping in tents and preparing all food campstyle.

They will go to Mamier, Belgium, and Geneva, Switzerland, to assist in campaigns being conducted there.

French will be the language of communication for the tour, Dr. Wright said. All of the students will have completed at least two years of study

in the language. The students will attend plays and operas and will visit museums and other cultural centers. They will receive three hours in French Civilization and two hours in Conversation upon successful completion of the tour courses.

## Largest Forum Predicted

Several hundred reservations have been received for the March 31-April 1 youth forum and, according to Eddie Campbell, director indications are that this will be the largest in the forum's eight-year history.

Landon B. Saunders radio speaker for the Herald of Truth will keynote the forum which has for a theme "Christ in You — The Hope of Glory."

Registration for the events will begin at 4 p.m. Friday and the series will conclude at 3:45 Saturday afternoon with entertainment. Forum discussions a party, devotionals and entertainment will be included in the two day's activities.

## Spring Enrollment Sets New Record As 1,908 Register

Harding's spring enrollment reached a record total of 1,908, according to Virgil Beckett, registrar. The total is 36 more than the previous record of 1,872 record in 1969's spring tally. Also, the number is 72 more than last year's spring total of 1,836. Seventy students completed requirements for a degree in January, although they will not receive their diplomas until graduation ceremonies on May 14.

The freshman class has the largest enrollment with 536 students. Also there are 434 sophomores enrolled, 462 juniors and 409 seniors. Forty-five graduate students and 22 post-graduate and special students are enrolled.

Arkansas students number 547 or about 30 per cent of the student body. Other states with more than 100 representatives are Texas with 167, Missouri with 135 and Tennessee with 124.

## German Duet Presents Classical Concert



Gundo Vent and his wife Helmi, a piano-violin duo from Cologne, Germany, made a return concert visit to the campus March 30. The young couple first appeared on the Harding campus three years ago and were invited back this year as a part of the college's lyceum series. The duet also appeared on the campuses of David Lipscomb College, Freed-Hardeman College, Lubbock Christian College and Oklahoma Christian College.

## Teachers' Workshop Will Be Offered In Math and Reading

Two special workshops for improving reading and mathematics programs in the primary grades will be held during the summer sessions. The courses will be offered for graduate credit and will explore advanced instructional methods in both areas.

The workshops will be directed by Dr. Nyal Royse, director of graduate studies.

The courses will be "Teaching Reading in the Primary Grades," June 5-20 and "Workshops in Elementary Mathematics" June 22-July 7.

The workshops are designed to serve as one of the methods courses acceptable toward a Master of Arts in Teaching degree and to assist teachers in updating reading or math programs in their schools.

Instructors will be Mrs. Betty Watson, assistant professor of Education, and Bill Oldham, assistant professor of mathematics. Classes will meet Monday through Friday. Special off-campus speakers will address some sessions of the workshops, Dr. Royse said.

Further information may be obtained by writing the Director.

## Developmental Program Being Offered

A developmental program for freshmen who are unable to meet admission requirements will be held during the summer sessions, June 5-August 11. The purpose of the program, which began last year, is to assist students in strengthening their academic skills and better preparing themselves for further college experiences.

A maximum of 40 will be accepted, according to Dr. James Carr, director of summer school. Courses offered will be Introduction to Composition and Literature (Eng. 103) and Basic Math (Math 101). Students who suc-

cessfully complete the program may enroll for regular academic courses in the fall semester. Students also will be required to take one Bible course and will have the option of a course in physical education.

## PETIT JEAN Editor Chosen

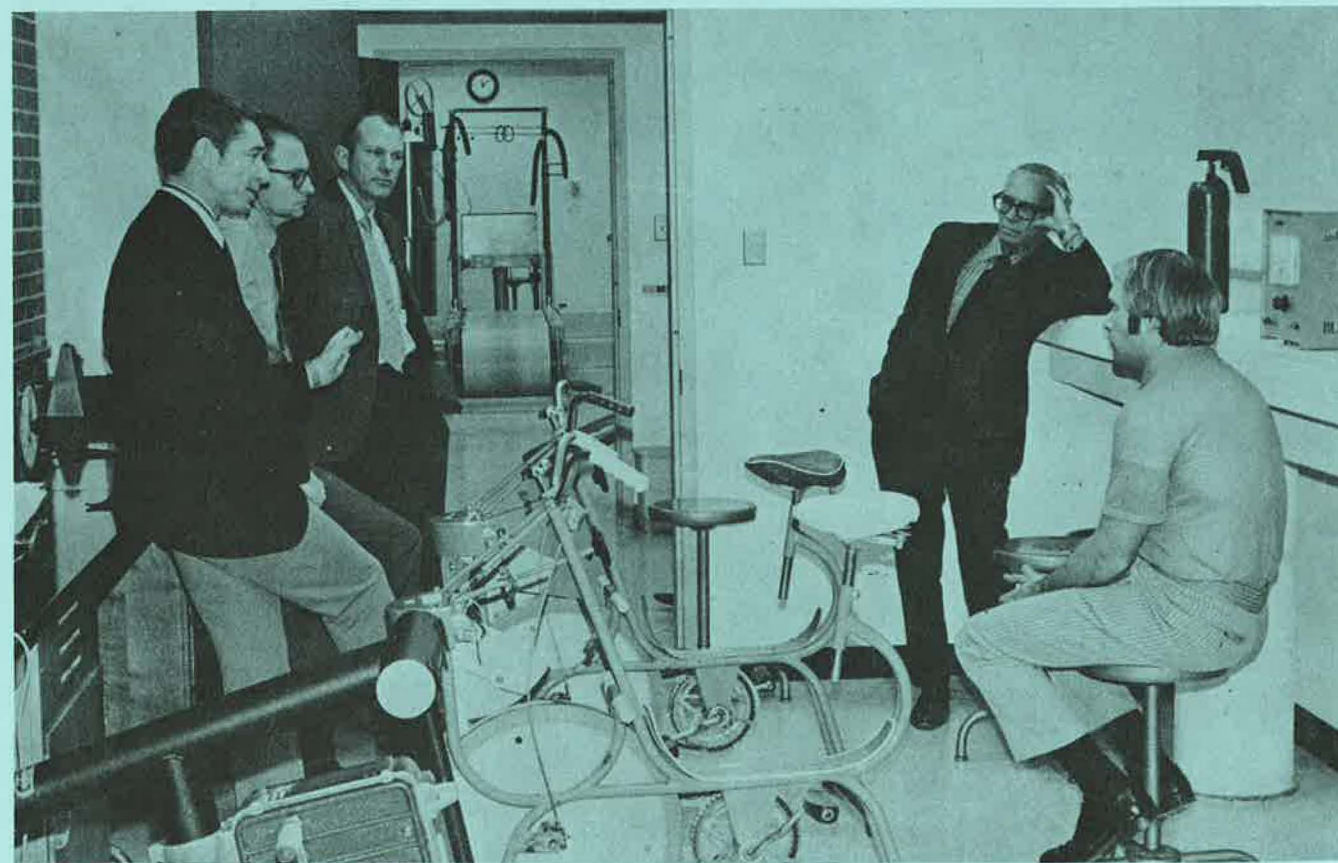
Mrs. Jan Allen Brewer has been named editor of the 1973 Petit Jean yearbook to replace Miss Pat Johnson. Mrs. Brewer worked with the 1972 staff in finalizing the current edition.

Mrs. Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Allen of Athens, Ala., is a home economics major. A graduate of Springville (Tenn.) High School, she is a summa cum laude graduate of Freed-Hardeman College where she was editor of the *Treasure Chest* yearbook. She was named Miss Freed-Hardeman College in 1971. Her husband, Ricky, is a Harding junior.

At Harding she is a student employee of the Office of Information and Publications.



GUEST SPEAKER — Dr. Walter Judd, former congressman and noted authority on China, was the guest speaker for the American Studies Program in February. While on campus Judd answered questions for television newsmen.



COOPERATIVE PROGRAM EXPLORED — Discussing the possibility of conducting a seminar in preventive medicine for the physicians of Arkansas are (l-r) Bob Corbin and Dr. Carroll Smith, research associates; Dr. Harry Olree, director of research at Harding; Dr. C. W. Silverblatt, Arkansas Regional Medical Program; and Dr. John Douglas, cardiologist at the University of Arkansas Medical Center. Final plans for the seminar have not been made.



## Star Bison Receiver Signs Pro Contract With NFL's Steelers

Ronnie Peacock, Harding College's outstanding split receiver, has been signed to a professional football contract by the Pittsburgh Steelers of the National Football League.

An NAIA All-American honorable mention selection in 1971, Peacock rewrote the Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference record book for receiving and yards gained.

A 5-11 native of McGehee, Peacock caught 201 passes to become the eighth receiver in football history to catch more than 200 passes. The two-time All-AIC selection gained 2553 career yards and caught 62 passes in 1970. All are AIC records. As a senior last fall, Peacock caught 59 passes for 828 yards and six touchdowns to lead the AIC. He was the top-ranked AIC receiver in the final NAIA national rankings with an 82.8 yard average per game.

"Of course, we're all real happy for Ronnie," Bison coach John Prock said. "We believe he can catch the ball with anybody. He's quick, has good hands and can think."

A two-time NAIA All-District 17 choice, Peacock was also contacted by the Miami Dolphins, but opted to go with the Steelers.

## Reshuffled Grid Schedule Announced For '72 Season

A re-shuffled 1972 football schedule has been announced by Harding College head football coach John Prock.

No new opponents appear on the 10-game slate, but more than half of the games were re-arranged in the recent Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference study.

The Bisons will open at home Sept. 9 against Austin College of Sherman, Tex. Other home games will be Henderson State, Sept. 30; Arkansas Tech, Oct. 14; Mississippi College, Oct. 28 (Homecoming); and State College of Arkansas, Nov. 18.

Road games for the Bisons will be Millsaps College in Jackson, Miss., Sept. 16; Ouachita Baptist University in Arkadelphia, Sept. 30; Arkansas AM&N in Pine Bluff, Oct. 21; Southern State College in Magnolia, Nov. 4 and the University of Arkansas-Conticello in Monticello, Nov. 11.

## Cagers Finish Strong In AIC Basketball Race

"It was almost as if we played two different seasons," Bison Coach Jess Bucy said as he summed up the 1971-72 basketball campaign.

"We lost a lot of close ones early and it's a real credit to the boys that they came back and did so well," he said. The Bisons closed out the recent season with an 11-15 record overall. They compiled an 8-12 Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference record and finished in seventh place.

After getting off to a disastrous 0-5 start, the Bisons began to turn the corner in January and posted a 7-2 record over the last month of the season.

Individual performances were outstanding. Senior co-captain Bill Chism moved into fourth spot on the school's all time scoring list with a 1,202 career total. The 6-2 redhead from

Gideon, Mo., scored 317 as a sophomore, 438 as a junior and 447 points as a senior.

Sophomore Freddie Dixon broke his own record in field goal accuracy. The 6-5 Mineral Springs product hit a blistering .607 percentage from the field while scoring 383 points.

Tim Vick became the first freshman to score more than 300 points in his first season. The Valdosta, Ga., backcourt ace totaled 344 points and led the team in free throw shooting with 76 of 92 for an .825 percentage. He also set a single game record of 11 assists.

All five starters finished with averages in double figures. Chism finished with a 17.2 point average, Dixon 14.7, Vick 13.4, 6-6 junior Joe Mathias 12.3 and senior co-captain Lester Busby 10.4.

## Spring Sports Outlook: 'Questionable'

With late winter weather playing havoc with workouts, spring sports activities are underway on a variety of fronts.

Top performance is expected from coach Ed Burt's strong bowling squad, headed by junior Dave Hudson, and seniors Ed Back and Glen Hanmer. The Bisons are two-time NAIA national champions and Hudson and Hanmer were the 1971 national doubles champions. Other returning lettermen are Tom Jones and Mitch Grubb.

**TRACK** — Perennial lack of depth hampers team hopes, but eight lettermen give basis for a strong nucleus. Miler Tim Geary returns as one of the top AIC middle distance men. Sophomore David Lasley should be a point getter in the discus and Alan Dixon ranks as high hurdles threat. Transfers Philip Bone and Matt Comotto have run 1:57 or better in the 880 and 4:21 in the mile. John Vines will likely improve on his 6-3 high jump mark. Freshmen and cross

country lettermen could produce some surprises.

**BASEBALL** — Thirteen lettermen return including All-AIC and All-District selections Dalles Howard, shortstop, and pitcher Joe Mathias (7-2). Howard sustained a broken thumb in early drills and will miss at least six weeks of play. Marv Francisco, ace hurler on the 1970 squad, returns for coach Dick Johnson. Bisons will seek to improve on last year's second place conference finish and development of hitting could do the trick.

**GOLF** — Only two lettermen return for coach Norman Merritt, junior Richard Fowler and senior Johnnie McGuire. The Bisons finished seventh last year and newcomers will have to help considerably if they are to rise in the ranks.

**TENNIS** — Inexperience will be an early season handicap, but coach Bob Knight's netters could be troublesome before its completed. Larry Christensen, David Cannon and Marcus Hogins are expected to man the top three positions.

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