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University Plan Includes New Divisions, Deans

When President Clifton Ganus greets the students on August 27 to open the fall semester, Harding College will officially become Harding University.

With the change to university status, the Board of Trustees has approved a reorganization of the academic structure which will divide the program into four areas.

The four divisions will be designated as the College of Arts and Sciences, the School of Business, the School of Education and the School of Nursing.

"The executive committee of the Board made the decision to have the college and three schools," said Dr. Joseph Pryor, vice president for academic affairs. "The Board wished the organizational changes to be kept to a minimum while providing the additional needed administration."

As vice president for academic affairs, Pryor will oversee and coordinate the activities of the academic areas and will also serve as dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, which will encompass 15 departments. Newly appointed to serve as deans of the schools are Mrs. Cathie Smith, nursing; Dr. David Burks, business, and Dr. Bobby Coker, education.

A fifth division, the Harding Graduate School of Religion in Memphis, which has been a branch campus of the college since 1958, will continue under the supervision of Dean Harold Hazelip.

"In this new arrangement, the deans from the Searcy campus and the 15 chairmen of the departments which make up the College of Arts and Sciences will serve on the Academic Affairs Committee," said Pryor, who will chair the committee.

A primary purpose for the change is to aid in professional accreditation, according to Pryor. "One facet of having the schools is to give them a higher organization structure to help facilitate continuing accreditation by the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business, the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, and the National League of Nursing," he said.

"In American education and in our area of the country today, the term college is coming to be used to describe community colleges," Pryor said. "In Arkansas most of the four-year institutions in the state have gone to the university name, and Harding's size and its academic professional program

indicated that it was appropriate, at this time, to make such a change."

The three new deans are currently heads of their respective departments.

Mrs. Smith joined the faculty in 1976 and assumed the chairmanship in August 1977. She attended nursing school at East Liverpool City Hospital School of Nursing in Ohio. She received her bachelor of science in nursing at the University of South Carolina and completed her master of nursing degree at Emory University in Atlanta.

Burks, a certified public accountant, holds the doctorate from Florida State University. A Harding graduate, he joined the faculty in 1967 and was appointed chairman in 1976. Burks also sponsors Harding's Executive Business Team.

A Harding alumnus, Coker attended

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TRUSTEE AWARD — Board Chairman Roy Sawyer of Sardis, Miss., [center] presents the college's highest honor, the Trustee Award, to Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cash of Many, La., at a special session held by the Board in May. Upon their retirement in 1976, the couple presented Harding with the El Dorado Coffee Company, an institutional foods distributorship. By a gift annuity arrangement, Harding manages the company and uses profits to offset the operation deficit of the school. [See related story and pictures on page 4.]

Kellogg Foundation Awards Nursing Grant

Harding has been awarded a \$78,080 grant by the W. K. Kellogg Foundation of Battle Creek, Mich., for use in the school's upper division baccalaureate nursing program.

The foundation made the additional funding after granting the college \$401,325 in 1976 to help establish the nursing program.

Harding President Clifton Ganus Jr. praised the Kellogg Foundation, saying, "The Kellogg people have again shown a tremendous interest in providing a high standard of health care for the people of Arkansas. With their help, it is our goal that Harding continue to provide qualified registered nurses who will help alleviate the critical shortage now existing in our state."

Arkansas currently has only 190 registered nurses per 100,000 people, a ratio half of the national average.

"Without the assistance of Barbara Lee, Kellogg's representative, and the support of many Arkansas state legislators and health officials," said Bill Cox, vice president of Harding, "our nursing department would not have gone forward in the fine manner which it has. As Harding enters University status this fall, our nursing program can continue to grow and aid in improving the quantity and quality of health care professionals in the state and the nation."

Funds will primarily be used to

strengthen the program and in preparation for an accreditation review by the National League of Nursing. Included in the improvement plans are additional preparation of nursing faculty, consultation services, continuing education, and regular classes by physician faculty members.

The Harding Nursing Program began in 1975 and graduated its first class of 48 nurses in 1977. All 48 students passed the State Board Examinations to become registered nurses. In 1978, 38 of 39 graduates

passed the state boards, making a combined total of 98.8 percent. Of all students in the state taking the required test in Arkansas, approximately 76 percent make passing scores each year.

The 1979 class of 43 graduating students at Harding sat for the state examination in July.

The department has nine instructors, including two teaching physicians, and is headed by Cathie Smith, R.N., M.N.

According to Mrs. Smith, the department will enroll 100 students next fall.

Ray Thornton to Speak At August 10 Graduation

Ray Thornton, former Arkansas congressman, will be the speaker for Harding College summer commencement exercises August 10.

According to Virgil Beckett, registrar, more than 90 candidates will receive diplomas at the ceremony. The graduates will be the last students to receive diplomas from Harding College since the school will change its name to Harding University on August 27.

Thornton was attorney general of Arkansas 1971-73. He represented the fourth congressional district in the United States House of Representatives from January of 1973 to December of

1978. In 1978, he was chairman of the subcommittee on scientific research and technology.

Currently, Thornton is executive director of the Joing Educational Consortium of Ouachita and Henderson State Universities in Arkadelphia, Arkansas.

Thornton is a 1950 graduate of Yale and a 1956 graduate of the University of Arkansas Law School.

He is a member of the President's Development Council at Harding and served as that groups' chairman 71-73.

The ceremony will begin at 10:30 a.m. in the Harding Main Auditorium.

August Workshop Features Elders' Class

More than 17 hours of instruction will be available to elders attending the Elders' Workshop session of the 4-In-1 Workshop planned by the Harding Bible Department for August 7-9.

The workshop will also include sessions for Christian women, preachers and prison workers.

Three men will be delivering lectures daily during the Elders' Workshop — Clifford Paine of Toledo, Ohio, Dr. Jack Thomas of Searcy and Dale Smith of Searcy.

Paine, who is the minister for the Flanders Road Church of Christ in Toledo, will be speaking each day on "Church Discipline." Thomas, chairman of the Harding Psychology

Department, will be lecturing on "Counseling Teens." A frequent workshop lecturer, Smith will speak each afternoon on "Principles of Leadership."

The Workshop will also include one lesson by Dr. Billy Ray Cox, Dr. Don Shackelford and Dr. J. D. Bales, all of the Harding faculty. "Financial Stewardship" will be Cox's topic while Shackelford will lecture on "Future of Missions." "Trends in the Church" will be the focus of Bales' lecture.

The altogether program of the 4-In-1 Workshop will include a morning devotional series by Andy T. Ritchie, an afternoon series of lectures by Jim Woodroof discussing the respon-

sibilities of members and elders, and a nightly assembly.

The night sessions of the Workshop will feature Lawrence Anderson of Gary, Ind., speaking on Tuesday night and a lecturer will be announced for Wednesday night.

There will be a \$7.50 fee for the workshop, which includes the cost of instruction and a syllabus. An unlimited number of persons from one congregation will be accepted for a group rate of \$100.

Housing will be available for the workshop in the dormitories on the Harding campus. There are also several motels nearby. The cost of the on-campus housing will be \$4 per night per person in the air-conditioned dormitories and \$2 per night per person in the non-air-conditioned dorms. Participants must provide their own linens in the on-campus housing.

For more information, contact the Bible Department, Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas 72143, or phone (501) 268-6161, ext. 448.



Willie Franklin

Willie Franklin Named To Special Position

Willie Franklin, minister of the Clinton Church of Christ, will join the Harding staff as a special representative, according to an announcement by Vice President Billy Ray Cox.

Franklin, a 1977 graduate of the Harding Christian Communications Program, will be available for speaking engagements at youth meetings, weekend retreats and youth seminars. His appointment is effective August 1.

"Willie is one of the most enthusiastic, appealing spokesmen to young people in the church," Cox said. "He is solid, sound and inspirational, and we are fortunate to have him as part of the Harding program."

Franklin is a 1972 graduate of the University of Oklahoma and is a former professional football player with the Baltimore Colts and the Los Angeles Rams. A native of Monroe, La., he was a junior college All-America in football and track at Mesa Community College in Arizona.

The 30-year-old Franklin was converted in 1973 by Ron M. Fletcher and served as the campus minister at the University of Oklahoma for the Westside Church of Christ in Norman, Okla.

He served with the late Delmar Owens, noted preacher and evangelist, in 1973-74.

Congregations wishing to arrange speaking engagements should contact Dr. Bill Cox, Harding College, Searcy, Ark. 72143.

ON THE COVER — The concentrated pace of summer session classes is relieved from the minds of students by the school-sponsored Buffalo River float trip held July 14. (Photo by Mike McGaha)

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Budget Adopted by Board, New Buildings Planned

For the 1979-80 fiscal year, the Harding Board of Trustees has adopted a budget of \$14,592,477, according to President Clifton Ganus Jr.

The budget figure represents a \$1,164,944 increase over the 1978-79 budget and covers the Searcy undergraduate and Academy programs and the Graduate School of Religion in Memphis.

Lott Tucker Jr., vice president for finance, indicated the new budget includes \$5 per semester credit hour increase in tuition which will become effective at the beginning of the fall semester.

Cost increases in tuition, fees, and room and board will be slightly more than eight percent, or approximately \$150 per student per semester.

"Despite the increases, we are working to insure our students every opportunity to participate in the financial aid program," Tucker said. "This year, due to the change in governmental regulations, more

students than ever before are eligible for assistance."

Ganus announced that the Board has approved an additional development phase for the school which will include the planning for a new Harding Academy building, a classroom building for business and economics, and an addition to the New Science Building for laboratory space.

In a report to the Board, Tucker detailed the school's efforts to combat the growing energy problem. "We are obviously conscious of the need to save energy," he said, "and have instituted several energy saving procedures. The JC80 computer program, regulating the utilities, has enabled us to save thousands of dollars and is becoming more effective with each passing month."

Tucker said an energy engineer has been retained to study how the university can better meet the energy demands and what can be done to realize the most cost-efficient program.

Chemistry Project Funded by \$4,250 Grant

Harding has been awarded a \$4,250 grant by the Research Corporation of New York, according to an announcement by Dr. Joseph Pryor, vice president for academics.

Associate professor of chemistry Ed Wilson Jr. will be the principal investigator for the project. Assisting Dr. Wilson will be students Robert Alex Ray Jr. of Palm Beach Shores, Fla., and Hank Farrar of Searcy.

The official title of the project is "Determination of glass to crystal transition temperatures of simple inorganic salt glasses produced by low pressure vapor deposition at liquid nitrogen temperatures."

"Several papers have been published recently concerning the glass transition temperatures of very simple systems such as we are studying but very little data has been available for verification



Dr. Ed Wilson

of the theories presented," Wilson said.

The grant was made under the Research Corporations' Cottrell College Science Grants Program which supports academic research programs in the natural sciences at private,

predominantly undergraduate institutions.

Research Corporation, a foundation for the advancement of science, was created in 1912 by scientist and philanthropist Frederick Gardner Cottrell. It is a nonprofit institution chartered to bring inventions into public use and to direct the proceeds to the support of scientific research.

The foundation's Grants Program currently supports fundamental research in the natural sciences at a level of nearly \$3,000,000 annually; its patent program provides invention evaluation and administration services for over 250 educational and scientific institutions.

Wilson is collaborating in this project with Dr. J. Paul Devlin, chairman of the Department of Physical Science at Oklahoma State University.

'Sound of Music' Chosen For Homecoming Musical

The Harding Speech Department will present the Rogers and Hammerstein musical "The Sound of Music" for the annual Homecoming Production November 8-10.

The musical is the first dramatic production planned for the new George

S. Benson Auditorium. The facility will feature an 80-foot stage and will seat 3,100.

According to Charles Parker, director, 30 students will comprise the cast. Auditions will be held at the beginning of the fall semester.

Considered a modern-day classic, "The Sound of Music" is based on the life of Maria von Trapp, a religious novice who brings music into the home of Baron Georg von Trapp, while serving as governess for his seven children.

The story of the Trapp Family Singers is set in Salzburg, Austria during the Nazi occupation in 1938. The music group went on to become a popular touring group in both Europe and the United States.

The musical first opened in 1959 on Broadway, where it set records as one of the longest-running stage presentations. The film version was made in 1965 and starred Julie Andrews.

Enrollment Recorded For Summer Session

by David Dukes

Summer session's first term experienced an 8.4 percent growth over last year, according to Virgil Beckett, registrar.

There were 450 students enrolled this year, compared to last year's enrollment of 415 students. "Last summer during first term, our students carried a total of 1,955 credit-hours, while students this summer registered 2,214 credit-hours," Beckett said.

Of the 450 students enrolled for the first summer term this year, 82 were freshmen, 77 were sophomores, 110 were juniors, and 123 were seniors. Fifty-eight others were enrolled as graduate, post-graduate, or specialty students.

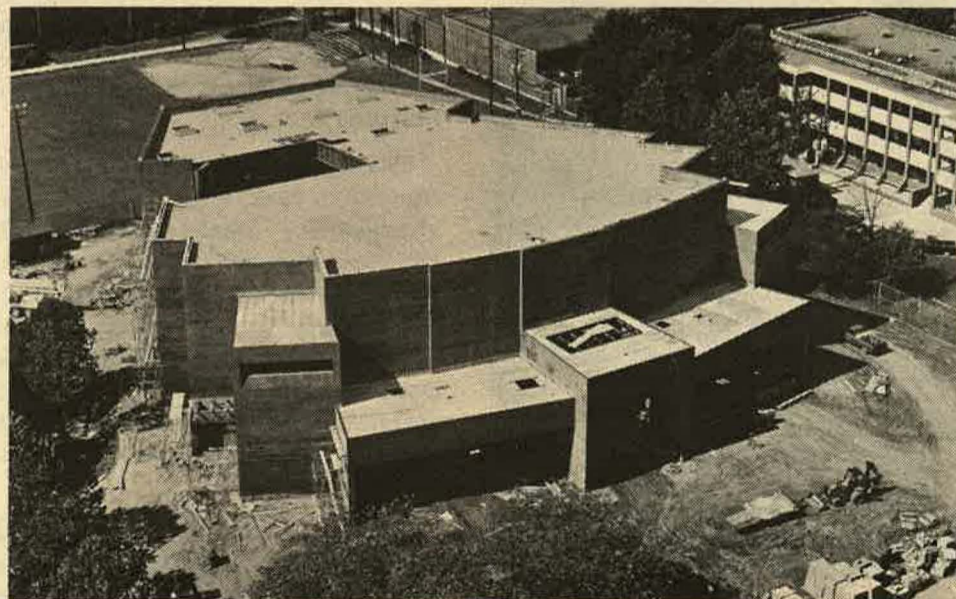
Fifty-three percent of the students enrolled were women, with 241 women and 209 men enrolled. Beckett added that this year's first summer session was slightly larger than in several years.

Joy Women's Group Plans Fall Meeting

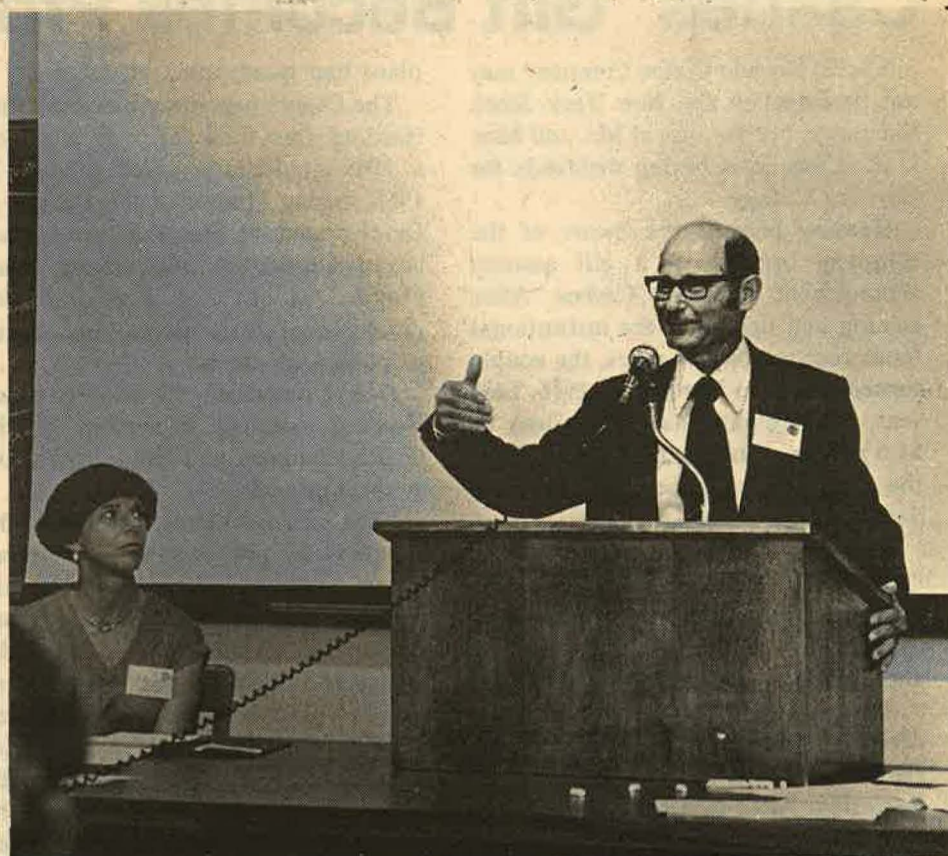
The annual fall fellowship of the Joy women's organization will be held September 22 on the Harding campus.

The theme, "Sent Forth to Do Service," will be the topic of talks by Mrs. David (Karan) Summitt, a senior home economics major from Paragould, Ark., and Mrs. Jim (Geraldine) Woodell, Mrs. Neale (Treva) Pryor and Mrs. Don (Lynn) England, all of Searcy.

The program is open to all women wishing to attend.



Progress is evident as the George S. Benson Auditorium grows with each passing day of summer. Most of the exterior has been completed including the facade which required slanted forms to be used to secure the sloped ceiling. This aerial view was taken in June.



James Beckloff, an elementary school principal from Bentonville, Ark., speaks at the Christian Schools Conference as another program lecturer, Countess Hodges, also of Bentonville, attentively listens. The second annual conference was held June 24-26 on the campus. Administrators and teachers from Christian schools heard a total of 20 speakers.

56th Bible Lectureship Set for October 2-5

"Let the Earth Hear His Voice" will be the theme of the 56th Annual Harding Bible Lectureship October 2-5, 1979.

The Lectureship, which focuses on evangelism, will include more than 30 different classes during the four-day period discussing evangelism methods, attitudes, and Christian service.

Theme lectures will be delivered each night of the Lectureship in addition to the classes during the day. Charles Coil of Florence, Ala., will open the Lectureship on Tuesday night speaking on the subject "Let the Earth Hear His Voice."

Charles Hodge of Fort Worth, Texas, will deliver the theme lecture on Wednesday night speaking on the topic "Stones or Souls?" The Thursday night session will feature Richard Rogers of Lubbock, Texas, on "Seeking the Lost." Closing out the Lectureship on Friday night, Ira North of Nashville, Tenn., will challenge the participants

on the subject "Saved to Save Others."

The Harding Academy Chorus, Harding Chorale and A Cappella Chorus will be performing for 30 minutes prior to each night's lecture on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, respectively.

The Wednesday through Friday schedule of classes will begin at 8 a.m. and conclude at 4:50 p.m. Video-taped classes will also be available following each night's lecture, with the exception of Friday night.

Concluding the Lectureship week will be the annual Family Weekend activities, which are designed so that the entire family may participated.

The Family Weekend activities on Saturday will include an open house on campus; entertainment by the Time of Day and Belles and Beaux, two Harding musical groups; the annual free barbecue; an Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference football game between Harding and Arkansas Tech University; and a mixer with Harding students, faculty, parents and other guests.

The Saturday activities will be concluded with a devotional at 10 p.m. at the Lily Pool.

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Campus Notes

Virgil Lawyer (History) was one of 50 Arkansans who served on a planning committee in June for a proposed Rural Life Center in central Arkansas . . . Cliff Ganus III (Music) has been appointed Arkansas representative to the National Subcommittee on Youth and Student Activities of the American Choral Directors Association . . . Winfred Wright (Modern Foreign Language) and his student group returned from campaigning and studying in the French speaking countries of Europe on June 29 . . . Heber Taylor (Journalism) had an article, "Is VDT Training Necessary?" published in the fall-winter issue of *College Press Review* . . . Jack McKinney (Bible) preached for three campaign meetings in Vienna, Austria in June. He reported on his work at the Hillcrest Church in Abilene, Texas, on July 8 and preached in a gospel meeting at the Central Church in Bryan, Texas, July 15-18 . . . Mildred Bell, Lynn England and Beth Wilson (Home Economics) attended the American Home Economics Association National Convention in St. Louis, Mo., June 26-28 . . . Participating in the national meeting of the American Library Association held June 21-27 in Dallas were Winnie Bell, Travis Cox, Frank Hayes and Suzanne Spurrier . . . Eugene Underwood (English) presented a paper entitled "Keeping an Ear to the Ground: A Study of Place Name Changes Along the Southwestern Trail," at the regional meeting of the South Central Names Institute. The meeting was held June 14-15 at East Texas State University in Commerce, Texas . . . Bobby Coker (Education) attended a seminar for deans of education sponsored by the American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education held in Colorado Springs, Colo., July 22-25 . . . Jimmy Allen (Bible) was a speaker for the Teens Take America Workshop June 28-30 at the Myriad Arena in Oklahoma City.

Cashes' Gift Becomes Profitable Business for Harding

The El Dorado Coffee Company may not be listed on the New York Stock Exchange, but because of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cash, it is paying dividends for Harding College.

Harding became the owner of the company because of a gift annuity arrangement with the Cashes. After owning and operating the institutional foods company for 35 years, the couple turned it over to Harding in 1976. Last year, the company had gross sales of \$1.5 million. Harding uses profits from the enterprise to offset the operating deficit of the school.

The Cashes' success story is of the "American Dream" variety. Born in Prescott, Ark., Cash was orphaned at the age of five and lived with relatives and friends throughout his childhood.

At age 14 he began his working career by hauling sawdust for \$2 a day. He married Mrs. Cash, a native of Batesville, Ark., in 1926.

In 1943 the couple began operating "The Coffee Cup" cafe in El Dorado, Ark., until 1946. The Cashes then moved to Monroe, La., where they bought two cafes. After two years they sold the cafes, returned to El Dorado, and bought the El Dorado Coffee Company. At the time of purchase, the business was moved to its present location.

In the first years of operation, the Cashes ground the coffee and hand packaged jars of pickles. From a truck, they sold the goods from store to store. The company grew under their management, servicing schools, hospitals and other institutions. By 1976, the monthly inventory had grown in value to \$115,000 and the physical

plant had quadrupled in size.

The Cashes became acquainted with Harding when their daughter, Barbara, a 1949 graduate, entered school. In 1966, during Phase I of the Decade of Development at Harding, the Cashes began supporting the school when Floyd Daniel, vice president for development met them and began working with them.

Daniel described the way in which Harding assumed ownership of the Coffee Company and the school's role in the business:

"The Cashes gave Harding the company by gift annuity, a deferred giving method which allows an individual to make a charitable gift but still retain an income for life," he explained. "Brother and Sister Cash gave Harding the stock in the company in 1976, when for health reasons, they decided to retire. They also gave the school two houses located near the company. For many years they had planned to leave the estate to Harding and the gift annuity was a convenient way for them to achieve this goal now.

"By providing the gift annuity, the Cashes were freed of management responsibilities and yet, are assured of a guaranteed income. They also receive current income tax benefits as well as estate tax benefits," he said.

When Harding took the ownership and management of the company, all twelve individuals who were working for the company were retained. Alvin Fowler, a certified public accountant and deferred gift specialist in the Harding Development Office, directs the operation of the company. "The company continues to serve a 17-county



Talking over business at the El Dorado Coffee Company, Al Fowler [right], of the Harding Development Office, and Jim Cranford, local manager, pause at the loading dock. Fowler is director of operations for the company, which Harding acquired in 1976.

area in southern Arkansas and northern Louisiana," said Fowler, "and we basically offer the same services that the company had throughout its existence."

There have been a few changes under the new management. An employee retirement plan provided entirely by the company has been instituted, and the service has expanded to provide a line of frozen food items. A frozen food storage area has been added to the company's facilities in El Dorado. According to Fowler, the expansion into the frozen food line has been a factor in increasing sales by 66 percent during the time Harding has operated

the company.

In addition to the frozen food storage area, the company has converted its entire fleet of trucks to handle the new line. Almost \$200,000 has been invested in the new area.

"The El Dorado Coffee Company is no different from any other business, in that we pay regular corporate taxes just as others do," explained Fowler. "The only difference between the Coffee Company and other companies in the wholesale food supply business is that this company is owned and operated by an educational institution."

The Cashes were honored by Harding at a special luncheon during the annual May meeting of the Board of Trustees.

"The highest award given by the college, the Trustee Award, is an expression of our appreciation given to the Cashes for their generosity and support of Christian education," said Daniel.

Presenting the award was Board Chairman Roy Sawyer of Sardis, Miss. In accepting, the Cashes gave credit to God for their abilities and recognized the role of the college in providing strong moral leadership for the country.

"One of the greatest benefits to Brother and Sister Cash has been the opportunity for them to have the enjoyment of seeing the fruits of their work being put to use in the support of Christian education."

"Harding's management of the company has been an excellent arrangement," Daniel continued. "It has been good for the Cashes, it has been good for Harding College, and it has been good for the El Dorado Coffee Company. This is an indication that institutions like Harding can own and operate a business in such a way that all of those involved can benefit," summarized Daniel.

The Cashes now live on Toledo Bend Lake near Many, La. They also have a son, Don of Shreveport, La.; eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren.



After the dinner given in their honor, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cash pose with Floyd Daniel, vice president of development at Harding. Daniel became acquainted with the couple, then residing in El Dorado, Ark., in 1966. The Cashes became supporters of Harding during the "Decade of Development" and gave their lives' work to Harding in 1976. They now reside on Toledo Bend Lake near Many, Louisiana.

Class Competition Underway for Alumni

One of the primary goals of the Harding Alumni Association during 1979 is to increase the percentage of alumni donors.

During 1979 the goal is to reach the 30 percent level. For the past three years the percentage of donors has remained between 26 and 27 percent. The record is 34.9 percent of the alumni constituency making a contribution.

For the Alumni Association to increase its level of participation three percentage points above the 1978 mark, approximately 500 additional alumni gifts must be received during 1979.

To achieve the 30 percent goal, class agents have been writing letters to

members of their classes encouraging them to make a contribution to the college. Letters to most alumni were mailed during April, May and June.

Reporting on the results of alumni giving during the first six months of 1979, David Crouch, director of alumni relations, noted the competition between the classes.

"In recent years we haven't really emphasized the percentage of donors in each class. We have emphasized the overall percentage of donors. Now that a goal of 30 percent has been set for each class, there is some real competition developing between the classes. In fact, several classes have even set

much higher goals," he said.

At the halfway point in the year many of the classes were well above the number of donors that had been recorded by this same time in 1978. The class of 1924 (with one alumnus) had already reached the 100 percent mark.

"One of the more recent classes (1974) plus three of the not so recent classes (1925, 1930 and 1946) appear to be the pacesetters," Crouch said.

Below is a listing of each class year and the percentage of alumni donors. The table reflects gifts made from January through June of 1979.

Class	Percent	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
1924	100	3	3	8	8	14	8	13	13	11	11	12	10	13	14	11	9	11	12	11	11	11	13	18	8	10	10	9	1

equipment grant of \$8,400 to continue his study of functional communication behavior. Van Rheezen holds the Ph.D. from the University of Missouri.

Class of 1968

Mrs. Wayne Parks, the former Leah Bradford (BS), was the number one decorator in sales for the Dallas metro district Montgomery Ward stores for the month of April. She was also among the top 40 in sales nationwide. She has been with Wards for six years at the Big Town store in Mesquite, Texas.

Donnie Cox (BA) has been named as head football coach at El Dorado (Ark.), High School and will also serve as the athletic director for football in the El Dorado school system.

The former Bison defensive halfback formerly held the post of offensive coordinator at Little Rock Parkview High School.

Cox began his coaching career in 1968 at Scott, Ark. He later coached at Little Rock Metropolitan High School for two years, then at Little Rock Pulaski Heights Junior High for one year before he joined the Parkview staff in 1971. He is married to the former Phyllis Jean Holland (BA'69).

His brother Bernie, a 1966 Harding graduate, is the head coach at Little Rock Central High School, which is a member of the AAAAA Conference along with El Dorado.

Class of 1969

John C. Freeman (BA) has been elected by the board of directors of Citizens National Bank of Jacksonville, Ark., to the position of chief executive officer of the bank. He also presently holds the title of executive vice president.

He is married to the former Lois Cooper (BA), who teaches in the Pulaski County Schools.

Larry McKenzie (BA) and his wife, the



Dr. Zelma Bell Green

Author, Former Dean Succumbs in Searcy

Dr. Zelma Bell Green, 63, a well-known educator, author, and former dean of women at Harding, died June 6 at a local hospital following an extended illness.

She is survived by her husband, Dr. Dee Green, a clinical psychologist at the Veteran's Administration Hospital; a daughter, Carol, who is a student at Harding; two sisters, Vivian Fraser of Batesville, and Mary Johnson of Vicksburg, Mich.; three brothers, O. K. Bell of Cocoa, Fla., R. B. Bell of Poteau, Okla., and Charlie Bell of South Carolina, and a nephew, Bill Bell of Connecticut. Dr. Green was a native of Pine Bluff, Ark.

Graveside services were conducted at Oak Lawn Cemetery by Jim Woodroof. A faithful Christian, Dr. Green dedicated her life to teaching and helping young people. A 1938 graduate of Harding, she received her master's degree from Columbia University and the doctorate from the University of Denver, specializing in psychology and education.

During her career, Dr. Green taught at every level of education, from kindergarten children to doctoral candidates. She taught in the Arkansas public schools, was dean of women at Harding from 1947-51, and served on the faculty of ten colleges and universities. An eminent counselor and educator, she was recognized nationally by *Who's Who of American Women*.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Lois and Herman Brown Children's Home in Searcy. Contributions can be sent to the College Church, Harding College or Lois Brown.

former Judy Miller (BA'68), have moved to Dayton, Texas, where he is in private law practice. McKenzie had previously been at Freed-Hardeman College, where he was legal counsel for the school and a teacher in the business department.

Class of 1970

Carey Jerome Gifford (BS) received the M.A. degree in Religion May 19 from Claremont Graduate School. He also holds the M.Div. from Yale Divinity School.

Mr. Gifford is married to the former Eliece Gilbert (BA).

Arthur and Peggy Brady (BA'70) Conard have purchased a day care center and a preschool in Albuquerque, N. M. They are licensed to teach 95 children over two years of age.

The couple has one daughter, April Beth, 6 years old.

ALUMNOTES

WHAT'S NEW

Class of 1931

Herman and Elsie Mills (BA) Wilson celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary June 3 at Conejo Valley Church of Christ in Thousand Oaks, Calif.

Class of 1934

Dr. Joan Jones Coleman (BA), of Dumas, Texas, was presented the Mable Erwin Award by the Texas Home Economics Association in recognition of outstanding and lasting contributions through service to the profession of Home Economics.

The Texas Division of the American Association of University Women named a gift to the AAUW Educational Foundation in her honor as outstanding woman of the year of the Dumas Branch.

Class of 1955

Captain Al "Pete" Petrich (BA) of the United States Navy has been assigned to command the Navy's Air Logistics Wing, with headquarters in New Orleans, La. The wing consists of more than 60 aircraft, including DC-6's, DC-9's, T-39 Sabre-Liners, C-131 Convairs, C-12 King-Airs and A-4 Skyhawks.



Al Petrich

The mission of the wing is to provide logistic support to the Navy from the Mediterranean westward to Singapore, as well as to provide aerial targets along the U. S. East and West Coasts for the Navy's Fighter and Attack Aircraft Training. The seventeen units assigned to his wing include stations in Philadelphia, Seattle, San Diego and Jacksonville, Fla.

Petrich will assume command in September and his family will maintain residence in Virginia Beach, Va.

Class of 1957

Dr. D. Dewayne Davenport (BA) has recently completed the "Advanced Growth Seminar for Professionals" which is conducted by the Institute for American Church Growth in Pasadena, Calif. At the Institute, Dr. Donald McGavaran, "father" of the modern church growth movement, gave special recognition to Dr. Davenport's book, *The Bible Says Grow*.

Davenport, who served eight years in African missions, conducts church growth seminars for Churches of Christ from his home base in Byesville, Ohio. He is married to the former Jane Russell (BA) and they have two children, Russell Dewayne, 14, and Mary Colleen, 11.

Class of 1960

Paul E. Tarence moved in May from Amarillo, Texas to Montgomery, Alabama, to preach and to teach Bible and speech at Alabama Christian College. He is head of

the Bible Department there and is minister for the Hunters Station Church of Christ in Montgomery.

Tarence also represents Affiliated Managers Inc., and Church Loans and Investments Trust, an Amarillo-based firm involved in church bonds and conventional loans.

He and his wife, Elaine, have two children, Twyla Joy and Zane Parker.

Class of 1962

Marvin Crowson (BA) moved in January to Littleton, Colo., to work with the congregation there. He is married to the former Judy Dreher (BA) and the couple has two children, Murphy Athel, 8, and Georgia Eyvonne, 5.

Class of 1963

David L. Simpson (BA) has joined the faculty of Lubbock Christian College. He will be the women's basketball and men's and women's tennis coach in addition to teaching physical education. He has an M.Ed., from the University of Arkansas.

Simpson was the chairman of the Physical Education Department at York College, where he coached both tennis and basketball and served as athletic director.

Mrs. Robert Fish (BA), the former Sandra Lee Herndon, has been promoted to associate professor of theatre arts and speech communication at Ithaca College in New York.

She has taught at the University of Tennessee, Southern Illinois University, the University of Oklahoma, Oklahoma City Southwestern Junior College, State University of New York, Seminary of Our Lady of Angels, Central State College of Oklahoma and Noble High School (Oklahoma).

Mrs. Fish was chosen as a Danforth Associate, a six-year appointment designed to encourage effective teaching.

Class of 1966

David Elkins (BA) received the Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology in 1978. He is employed by Newport Mesa Psychology Clinic in Costa Mesa, Calif., and teaches at Pepperdine University in both the Graduate Psychology Division and the School of Law. The Elkins reside at 23405 Via San Miguel, Laguna Hills, CA 92653.

Jim House (BS), who has been with Arkansas Blue Cross and Blue Shield since 1967, has been promoted from sales manager to vice president of marketing. He has served as a sales representative and regional sales manager.

Mr. House is married to the former Sue Howerton ('70) and they reside in Searcy.

Dr. Dwayne Van Rheezen (BA), chairman of the department of speech communication at the University of Maine in Orono, has received a faculty research

Class of 1973

Claude (Bud) Allison (BA) recently accepted a job with Wells Fargo Credit Corporation in Phoenix, Ariz. He will be leaving his job of more than four years as assistant cashier with The Arizona Bank to become a loan officer in the leasing division of the newly formed corporation.

He is married to the former Brenda Mitchell ('76). The couple has one child, Marie Adair, two years old.

Class of 1974

Mrs. Robert T. Hollabaugh, the former Alice Arrington (BA), recently received the M.A. degree in Higher Education and Human Development from George Washington University in June. She is presently teaching courses for the Naval Education Program, and in the fall will begin as public relations director for the College of Hampton.

Class of 1975

Mrs. Linda Williams Moore (BS) was the chairman of the Ways and Means Committee for the Nutrition Symposium X sponsored by the Memphis Area Nutrition Council, Inc. in May.

Class of 1975

Dr. David Lee Hatfield (BA) received his M.D. degree from the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio in June convocation ceremonies.

Hatfield completed a otolaryngology residency at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School Affiliated Hospitals, in Dallas.

His wife is the former Nancy Sowell (BA'75)

Bill Bonner (BA) and his wife, the former Leslie Catherine Allen (BA), have returned to the United States after serving as missionaries in Abidjan, Ivory Coast, West Africa, for more than three years. They are currently planning a mission effort to the French-speaking people in the Quebec province of Canada. They have one child, Leah, age four.

Class of 1976

Carol Clarke (BS) recently passed the CPA examination in Memphis, Tenn.

Kurt Simmons (BA) received the C.P.A. in January and is working for Blackman and McBee Accounting firm in McAlester, Okla.

He is married to the former Jean Rogers (BA).

Dr. Steven Younger (BA) is one of 74 new physicians graduated from Southern Illinois University School of Medicine on June 3.

Younger will enter family practice residency at the SIU affiliated hospitals in Springfield this summer.

He is married to the former Vicki Markley (BA).

Class of 1977

Daryl Mount (BA) has been selected to be included in the 1979 *Outstanding Young Men of America*. He is an admissions counselor with Ohio Valley College in Parkersburg, W. Va. Mount is married to the former Lori Jean Wells (BA) and they have one son, Andrew Robert.

MARRIAGES

Carol Ann Eudaly (BA'76) to Fred Myers May 19.

Deborah Lou Graddy (BS'78) to Gary Ray Robinson May 25 in North Little Rock.

Laura Clark ('79) to Mario Horwitz ('79) September 16, 1978 in Phoenix, Ariz.

Webster D. Smith Jr. (BA'76) to Sharon Rose Cox ('80) June 1 in Frederick, Okla.

BIRTHS

Daughter, Leia Lynn, to Jim (BA'75) and Dianne Hedrick ('77) Larue May 30 in Searcy.

Alumni Life

UH Dean is Management Study Whiz

The following article by David Lee is reprinted with permission from the May 6, 1979 edition of the *Houston Chronicle*.

It's a long way from the dean's office of the School of Professional Studies at the University of Houston in Clear Lake City to the back roads near Arcadia and the stable of a 16-year-old quarter horse named Miss Pris.

It is even farther from a high-powered ski boat on Clear Lake to the presidency of the prestigious National Academy of Management.

Rosemary Pledger travels the distances easily — in a 1979 red and silver Silverado pickup truck.

At 52, Miss Pledger has done about all there is to be done in the world of academic management study. After a teaching career of 26 years that has spanned five colleges in subject ranging from management theory to social issues in management, she was named dean of the UH-Clear Lake school in 1975. She is one of half a dozen women in comparable academic positions across the country.

More than 60 percent of the Clear Lake City student body of more than 5,500 is enrolled in the departments of public affairs, business and education that make up the School of Professional Studies.

Miss Pledger was the first woman elected to any national office at the National Academy of Management when she became secretary-treasurer in 1975.

In 1977, she was elected president of the organization, the first woman to head the group. Of the academy's 4,000 members, fewer than 200 are women.

As president, Miss Pledger meets with her national board twice a year, attends five regional meetings, oversees the academy's newsletter as well as *The Academy of Management Journal* and *The Academy of Management Review*, and keeps tabs on the 13 professional divisions of the academy.

"I'm basically a shy person," said Miss Pledger. "Still, I have been president of just about every organization I ever worked with. I'm not comfortable in the spotlight. I like to be the kingmaker, work behind the scenes, building organizations and getting things done."

Born in tiny Bee Branch, Ark. (pop. 131), her interest in business came naturally.

"Father and grandfather had a general store in Bee Branch — you know, one of those old Lum 'n' Abner places," she said. Still, Miss Pledger figured then that "girls went to school and studied business administration so they could get a job in an office."



Dr. Rosemary Pledger

Miss Pledger (BA'47) earned her degree in business administration from Harding College in Searcy, Ark., a small school affiliated with the Church of Christ. True to tradition, she tried the office routine for a while, but found it sadly wanting. "I couldn't take the confinement of an 8-to-5 job," she said.

So she completed work on a doctorate at Texas Tech University in Lubbock and turned to teaching.

While she was at Northeast Louisiana University, a faculty ad from the University of Houston at Clear Lake City caught her attention. "I thought to myself, 'Now here is something new under the Texas sun,'" she said. The concept appealed — the fact that it was an upper division school and the fact that it was new. I could be in on the foundation of building a curriculum, put in some of my own philosophy. It was exciting, sort of like the last frontier."

Petite and attractive at 5 feet 2 inches, Miss Pledger never found time to marry. "When I was growing up," she said, "marriage and a career weren't compatible. And I was more career oriented."

Nonetheless, she admits readily, "The only thing I can remember being really interested in during high school was boys."

Miss Pledger is anything but all work and no play. For three or four hours each week she rides Miss Pris, dodging pickup trucks and motorcycles on country roads in the Arcadia area. There are few weekends in the summer that her 15-foot Glastron boat with its 85-horsepower Johnson engine lies idle.

Her pickup truck, she insists, is purely practical. "I have a little trouble with night vision," she said, "and in a truck I'm up higher and can see better. I just feel as though I'm in better command of the vehicle."

At Clear Lake City, Miss Pledger, in effect, decides the subject matter that is going to be taught in the School of Professional Studies. "I decide what will be put into the programs," she said, "what it will take. For example, how much of an international flavor should be put into our programs. Should we build a strong banking program."

"We must be careful not to build a curriculum that might become quickly obsolete because of national circumstances. Maybe, for example, we should be addressing ourselves more to mass transit."

Though her own practical business experience is limited to part-time and summer jobs, she does not feel that limits her ability to teach business administration to others.

"We have found," she said, "that a practitioner does not necessarily come into the classroom and make a good teacher. Our business is to teach theory, theory that can be put into practice at Exxon or wherever else."

"If we teach the principles of organization to the students, then it's up to them. At least we can train minds to reject the theories that are bad ones."

EDITOR'S NOTE: Rosemary Pledger will be at Harding September 20 to present a program for the American Studies student group. Her lecture will officially begin the American Studies Lecture Series for 1979-80.

Daughter, Julia Susan, to Jim (BA'71) and Rennie Willis (BA'71) Henderson May 28 in Searcy.

Son, Jason Paul, to Paul (BA'73) and Valerie Ayers (BA'77) Jacoby, Jr. August 17, 1978 in Bryn Maur, Pa.

Daughter, Staci Leigh, to Walter ('74) and Carole Parks (BA'74) Nelms September 26 in Little Rock.

Son, Nathan Wade, to Walt and Donna Cheek (BA'69) Wear May 19 in Herrin, Ill.

Son, Garrett Christopher, to James (BA'76) and Twila Copley (BA'76) Bixler May 9 in Little Rock.

Daughter, Michelle Leigh, to Michael (BA'77) and Christina Kuhn (BA'77) Johns March 25.

Daughter, Amy Nicole, to Larry (BS'75) and Aleta Fonville (BA'75) Tittle May 24.

Daughter, Sarah Winona, to Donald (BS'72) and Susan Rampton ('74) Logsdon May 4 in Paragould, Ark.

Son, Andrew Robert, to Daryl (BA'77) and Lori Wells (BA'77) Mount February 15 in Parkersburg, W. Va.

Daughter, Sara Beth, to Tim (BA'74) and Carol Cheek (BA'74) Matheny April 3 in Madison, Tenn.

Son, Rusty Riley, to David ('73) and Carolyn Sue Wright ('73) Copeland April 30 in Birmingham, Ala.

Daughter, Jerica Lynn, to William (BA'78) and Roni Sue Fish (BA'78) Visalli May 8 in Topeka, Kan.

Daughter, Katherine Elizabeth, to Doug (BA'76) and Becky Mitchell (BA'75) Greenway May 2 in Pascagoula, Miss.

Daughter, Angela Joy, to Houston H. (BA'73) and Beverly Reed Bynum, May 25 in Manchester, Tenn.

Daughter, Bonnie Jean, to Dan (BA'74) and Donna Crouch ('77) Daniel May 24 in Atlanta, Ga.

Daughter, Ashley Elizabeth, to Wayne and Leah Bradford (BS'68) Parks December 2, 1978 in Little Rock, Ark.

Son, Domnic, to Charles (BA'69) and Lola Cantelou (BA'68) Labriola October 3, 1978.

Daughter, Heather Elise, to Randel and Cynthia King (BA'72) Finch April 5 in Creve Coeur, Mo.

Daughter, Kelly Jean, to Kurt (BA'76) and Jean Rogers (BA'76) Simmons May 13 in McAlester, Okla.

Son, Grant Richard, to Perry (BA'75) and Karen Simpson ('75) Taylor May 15 in Searcy.

SYMPATHY

To Mrs. William B. Lynn, the former Margaret Jane Sherrill (BA'44), whose husband, Bill ('46), passed away May 13 in Memphis, Tennessee after a long illness. He is the father of Mrs. Clifton L. Ganus, III, the former Deborah Ann Lynn (BA'76), Jennifer Lee Lynn ('79), Lisa Carol Lynn (BA'78) and Mrs. Kenneth White, the former Pamela Colleen Lynn ('74).

To Mrs. Robert Montgomery, the former Hattie Murphy ('29) whose husband, Bob, passed away July 17, 1978. They had celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in 1977.

To Mrs. Jess Rhodes, the former Pauline Moser ('40) in the death of her husband, Jess (BA'39) who passed away April 23 in Canyon, Texas. He was the father of Lynn Rhodes (BA'64), Mrs. Gary Storrs, the former Judy Rhodes (BA'69), and Stephen Rhodes; and the brother of Hugh (BA'40) and Greg Rhodes (Staff).

Nominations Opened

Nominations for the 1979 Distinguished Alumnus Award have been requested by the Harding Alumni Association Executive Committee. Nominations must be submitted by October 1, 1979.

The Distinguished Alumnus will be honored during Homecoming '79 festivities November 9-10. The Executive Committee of the Association will select the honoree from submitted nominations.

Nominations should include as much information as possible about the nominee and should be mailed to the Harding Alumni Association.

Olree Elected Chairman Of NAIA District Sports

Dr. Harry Olree, athletic director at Harding, has been elected to a three-year term as chairman of District 17 of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA), according to an announcement by Dr. Harry Fritz, executive director of the NAIA.

Olree will succeed John (Duke) Wells of Henderson State University, who retired in June. Wells had served as district chairman since 1974, after having previously served in that capacity during the 1960's.

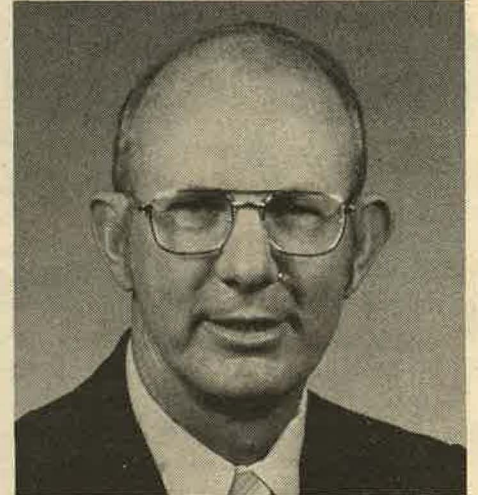
Olree's duties will include the coordination of the NAIA program in the district and with the executive committee, the organization and supervision of district championship events, district eligibility standards and participation of area schools in national events.

A native of Braggadocio, Mo., the 49-year-old Olree has been associated with Harding for 22 years as a student, coach and administrator. In addition to his duties as athletic director, he also is chairman of the department of physical education, health and recreation and director of research.

He is a 1953 graduate of Harding and earned the M.A. degree from Memphis State University. He received the Ed.D. degree in 1961 from George Peabody College.

Dr. Olree's contributions to athletics and physical education have been recognized on the state and national levels. He has served as president of the Arkansas Association of Health, Physical Education and Recreation and president of its Research Section, as editor of the international newsletter of the American College of Sports Medicine and was the recipient of the Arkansas AHPER Honor Award in 1972.

In addition to his activities as a



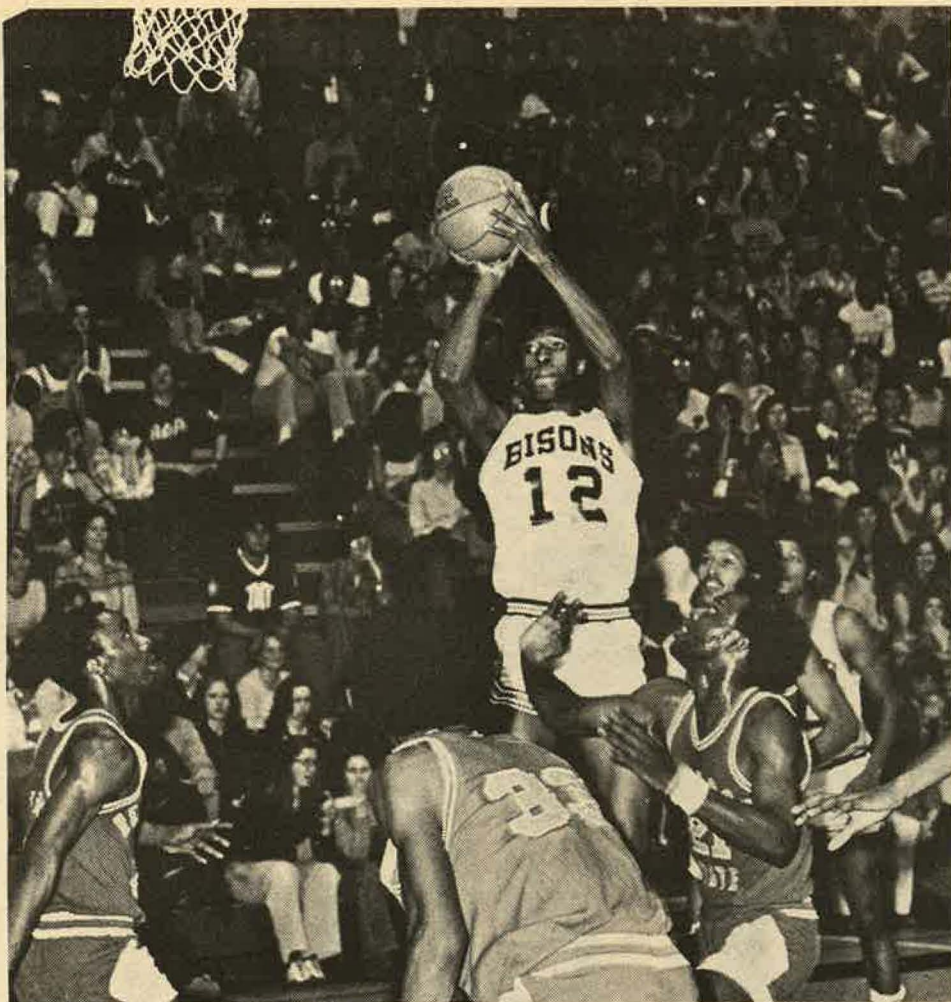
Dr. Harry Olree

district executive committee member, Olree has served as chairman of the NAIA Medical Aspects of Sports Committee.

He is married to the former Joy Edwards of Hayti, Mo., and the couple has six children.

1979-80 BISON CAGE SCHEDULE

Nov. 12	Central Bible College	Springfield, Mo.
Nov. 13	School of the Ozarks	Point Lookout, Mo.
Nov. 17	Bethel College	Searcy
Nov. 20	School of the Ozarks	Searcy
Nov. 23-24	Evangel Classic	Springfield, Mo.
Nov. 27	Christian Brothers College	Searcy
Nov. 29	Central Bible College	Searcy
Dec. 3	Henderson State Univ.	Arkadelphia, Ark.
Dec. 6	Arkansas Tech Univ.	Russellville, Ark.
Dec. 10	Univ. of Ark.-Monticello	Searcy
Dec. 11	Christian Brothers College	Memphis, Tenn.
Dec. 21	Southwest Baptist College	Searcy
Jan. 3	Bethel College	McKenzie, Tenn.
Jan. 7	Ouachita Baptist Univ.	Searcy
Jan. 10	College of the Ozarks	Clarksville, Ark.
Jan. 14	Arkansas College	Batesville, Ark.
Jan. 17	Univ. of Central Ark.	Searcy
Jan. 21	Southern Ark. Univ.	Magnolia, Ark.
Jan. 24	Hendrix College	Searcy
Jan. 28	Henderson State Univ.	Searcy
Jan. 31	Arkansas Tech Univ.	Searcy
Feb. 4	Univ. of Ark.-Monticello	Monticello, Ark.
Feb. 7	Ouachita Baptist Univ.	Arkadelphia, Ark.
Feb. 11	College of the Ozarks	Searcy
Feb. 14	Arkansas College	Searcy
Feb. 18	Univ. of Central Ark.	Conway, Ark.
Feb. 21	Southern Ark. Univ.	Searcy
Feb. 25	Hendrix College	Conway, Ark.



Stan Eckwood [12] lets a jump shot fly against the nationally-ranked Henderson State University Reddies. A two-time All-AIC and NAIA District 17 selection, Eckwood was drafted in the ninth round of the NBA draft by the Portland Trail Blazers.

Portland Selects Eckwood In Ninth Round of NBA Draft

Stan Eckwood of Harding, a two-time All-Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference and NAIA District 17 selection, was drafted by the Portland Trail Blazers in the ninth round of the National Basketball Association Player Draft on June 25.

Eckwood, a 6-4 guard from Brinkley, Ark., led the AIC in scoring both as a junior and a senior. He compiled a 26.2 points per game average as a senior enroute to an eighth place ranking in the NAIA scoring statistics. He also averaged 9.9 rebounds a game.

"I think Stan has an excellent chance of doing well with Portland," Harding coach Jess Bucy said. "He has the attributes that a guard in the NBA needs. He's a quick outside shooter, handles the ball well, and does a good job on defense."

Eckwood is the all-time Harding leader in single season scoring with 759 points as a senior. That total resulted in the 26.2 points per game average, which is also a Harding record. He is the second all-time leading career scorer at Harding with 1,579 points.

An NAIA All-America Honorable Mention performer, Eckwood was the only 6-4 athlete among the top four rebounders in the AIC last season. He

was named the AIC Player of the Week three times during the 1978-79 season.

"Development is the key to Stan's success. Every season, every game, he's better than before. The greatest part of his talent is still in front of him," Bucy said. "He's a tremendous shooter, can put the ball on the floor with anybody, and better yet, can play defense. That's a hard combination to beat."

Eckwood is the first Bison basketballer to be chosen in the NBA Player Draft. He is the son of Mrs. Hattie Eckwood of Brinkley, Ark.

All-American Gardner Joins Coaching Staff

Former NAIA All-America Butch Gardner will join the basketball staff as assistant coach, according to an announcement by President Clifton Ganus.

"We're extremely pleased that Butch will join us fulltime," Dr. Ganus said. "He has served as a graduate assistant for us and we feel he will make an excellent addition to our coaching staff."

Gardner, a three-time NAIA All-America selection for the Bisons, has served as a graduate assistant while pursuing his graduate degree.

"Butch was an outstanding athlete and has demonstrated the same level of dedication as a coach," Bison Jess Bucy said. He will complete the staff of Bucy and assistant Wilt Martin.

Gardner is a graduate of Searcy High School where he was a two-time all-region selection for Lion coach Birdie



Butch Gardner

Rogers. Heavily recruited as a prepster, he signed with Harding and compiled an illustrious four-year record as a basketballer.

During his collegiate career, Gardner scored a record 2,255 points and was a

four-time selection in the All-Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference and NAIA District 17 all-star teams. He carried a 21.2 ppg. scoring average over his college career and was named to the NAIA All-America second team in 1976-77 and 1975-76 and the third team in 1974-75.

His collegiate career at Harding was culminated by being selected winner of the M. E. Berryhill Award as the Outstanding Senior Athlete for 1976-77. Since graduation he has continued his basketball competition as a member of the championship Carder Buick AAU team. He was named to the 1979 AAU All-State Tournament Team.

Gardner is married to the former Sheila Patterson, and they have a daughter, Heather Nicole, age one month. A physical education major, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Gardner of Searcy.

Calendars Marked?

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October 2-5
HOMECOMING
November 9-10

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A WEEK OF CITIZENSHIP — [Clockwise from top] More than 300 delegates of the 23rd annual Harding Youth Citizenship Seminar gather in front of the Administration Building before the day's activities . . . "Super Sid" Moncrief, the popular Arkansas basketball player, delivers a keynote address to the high school students from Arkansas, Alabama, Florida and Tennessee . . . A formal banquet closes the seminar held June 10-16 . . . Harding President Clifton Ganus Jr. listens to one of the citizenship students deliver her honor address . . . Stephen Harris, an officer aboard the U.S.S. Pueblo when it was captured by North Korea in 1968, takes time before his lecture to grant an interview to Harding junior Linda Hilbun. Other speakers for the program included Dr. Walter Judd, former member of the U.S. House of Representatives; Vo Than Duc, Vietnamese refugee; Lori Cox, Freedoms Foundation Award Winner; Dr. George S. Benson, president emeritus of Harding and president of the NEP; Dr. Bill Cox, director of the American Studies Program, and Dr. Ganus. The week-long meeting was sponsored by the American Studies Program, the Arkansas and Tennessee Farm Bureaus and Civitan clubs.

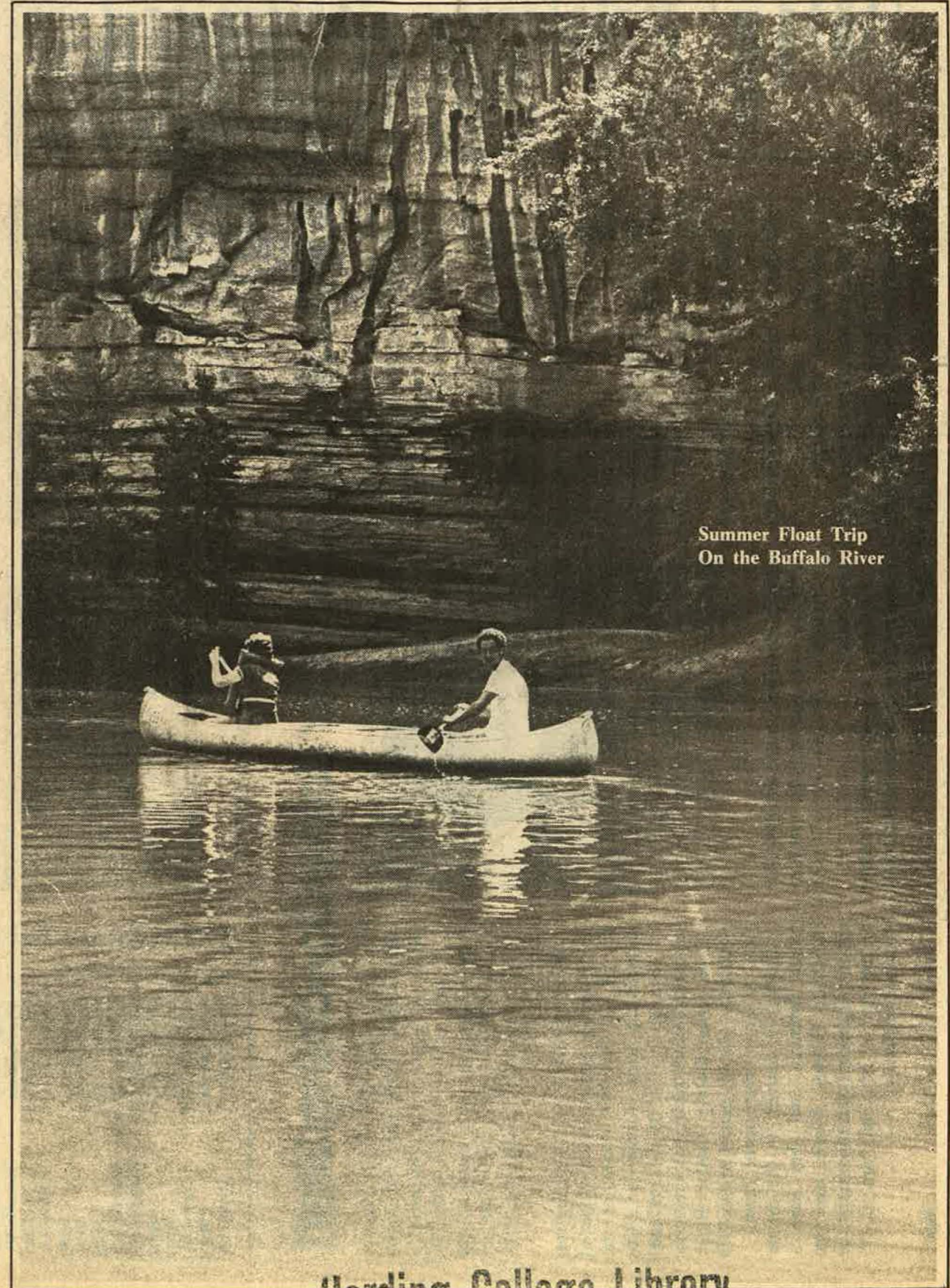


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