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Distinguished Alumni Honored During Homecoming Events

Landon Saunders, a minister who directs the Hearbeat nationwide evangelism outreach, was named Harding University's Distinguished Alumnus of 1981. C. Mac Angel of Searcy, president of the Alumni Association, made the presentation at the Black and Gold banquet Friday during Homecoming festivities on the campus. At 44, Saunders is the youngest recipient to receive the award since it was started in 1960.

Five other alumni from the various divisions of the University were also honored. They are Dr. Jimmie Lawson, professor of mathematics at Louisiana State University, and Dr. Clark Stevens, chairman of the department of biology at Abilene (Texas) Christian University, College of Arts and Sciences; the late Milton H. Peebles, superintendent of schools in Saratoga, Ark. more than 40 years, School of Education; Robert L. Hare, missionary in Europe since 1950, Bible department; and Jack W. McNutt, executive vice president of Murphy Oil Corporation in El Dorado, School of Business. The awards were presented by President Clifton L. Ganus Jr.

Saunders, a bachelor, is a native of Scott Depot, West Virginia. He attended Freed-Hardeman College in Tennessee and transferred to Harding, where he was scheduled to graduate in 1961. However, he began full-time preaching and did not receive the B.A. until 1968. Also he has attended Arkansas State University and the Harding Graduate School of Religion in Memphis.

He was minister of the Corning (Ark.) Church of Christ almost 10 years and has worked as a part-time instructor of Bible at Abilene Christian University. Formerly he was chairman of the board of Crowley's Ridge College and a radio evangelist with the Herald of Truth ministry.

Lawson, who received the B.S. in 1964, was graduated from the University of Tennessee in 1967 with the Ph.D. While a senior at Harding, he was a trainee at the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies in Oak Ridge, Tennessee. He received a NASA fellowship in mathematics at Tennessee. Lawson and his family spent last year in Germany where he had received a Humbolt scholarship from the German government at a technical university in Darmstadt. Also he is an Honorary Fulbright Scholar.

Lawson developed the concept of locally compact semilattices in his dissertation, and because these have proven to be significant in the study of semigroup theory, his peers honored him by calling them Lawson-semilattices. Recently, the importance of his work was further heightened when it was found that Lawson-semilattices can be used as a basis for underpinning the entire theory of computing. Further generalizations and applications are being made daily. He recently jointly authored a book entitled *A Compendium of Continuous Semilattices*, which covers all the theory known up to the present time.

Lawson is married to the former Janie Miller, also a graduate of 1964. They have

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1981 Distinguished Alumni honorees are, l. to r., Mrs. Milton Peebles, Clark Stevens, Brant Bryan, Bob Hare, Jack McNutt and Jimmie Lawson. Brant accepted the award for Landon Saunders, who was unable to attend.

Management Seminar Features Batten, Jones

Harding University's 10th Annual Management Seminar will feature motivational speakers Joe Batten and Charles "Tremendous" Jones January 22-23, 1982.

The seminars are designed to help Arkansas managers maintain the professional edge necessary for successful management, as well as to expose Harding business students to leaders in the field of management.

The program will begin this year with dinner Friday evening at 6:30 in the American Heritage Center Cafeteria. Charles E. Jones, known as "Mr. Tremendous" to friends and public, will speak from 7:30 p.m. until approximately 10 p.m.

This will be the first appearance for Jones at the Harding management seminars, but he is well-known across the nation as a salesman, executive, motivator, lecturer and humorist. His best-selling book on the *Laws of Leadership and Decision* surpassed 80,000 copies in nine months.

On Saturday morning beginning at 9:00, Joe Batten, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of Batten, Batten, Hudson & Swab, Inc., will make his third appearance at the Harding seminars.

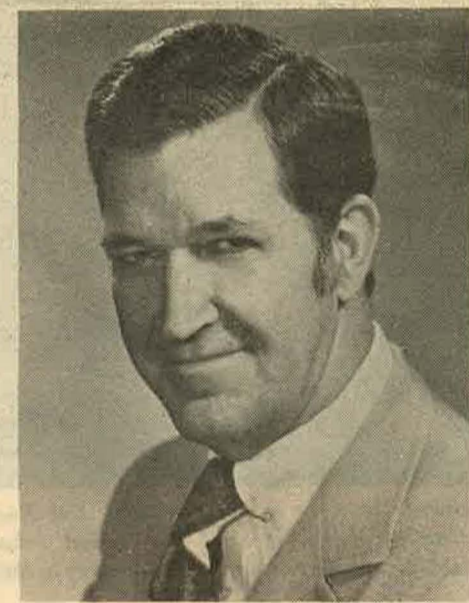
Batten is a renowned consultant and speaker in the United States and abroad who has trained thousands in management and human relationship skills. He holds the MS from Drake University.

Batten, the author of nine books and several films, will speak on principles contained in his latest book, *Expectations & Possibilities*.

Dr. David Burks, dean of the School of Business, said approximately 400 persons are expected to attend the seminars. For further information, contact Dr. Burks at Box 774, Harding University, Searcy, Ark. 72143.



Joe Batten



Charles E. Jones

62 Inducted into Alpha Chi Chapter

Sixty-two students were inducted into the Arkansas Eta Chapter of Alpha Chi National Honor Society Nov. 4 at Harding University. Membership in Alpha Chi is open to the upper 10 percent of the senior class who have a grade point average of 3.5 or above on at least 104 semester hours, and to the upper 10 percent of the junior class whose scholarship level is 3.7 or above on at least 80 semester hours.

New inductees and their academic standings are as follows: Joy Jean Aebi of Vincent, Ohio, 3.96 on 107 hours; Jeannie Spencer Alexander of Starkville, Miss., 3.63 on 117 hours; Randall Grant Anthony of Richardson, Tex., 3.55 on 110 hours; Trudy Jo Baldwin of Claysville, Pa., 3.62 on 107 hours; Robin Solley Barker of Decatur, Ala., 3.50 on 123 hours; Judith Lynne Beckman of Muncie, Ind., 3.70 on 98 hours; Kyle

Robert Blickenstaff of Boise, Ida., 4.00 on 81 hours.

Maries Bobbitt of Memphis, Tenn., 3.67 on 111 hours; Thomas Bolz of Lancaster, Calif., 3.59 on 115 hours; Cynthia G. Boustead of Searcy, 3.57 on 109 hours; Judy A. Boyd of Cabot, Ark., 3.74 on 88 hours; Karen Sue Brock of Monroeville, Ala., 3.75 on 80 hours; Michael C. Brown of Bridgeton, Mo., 3.72 on 92 hours; Thomas M. Bryant of Hope, Ark., 3.62 on 104 hours; Keri Bullard of Searcy, 3.50 on 128 hours; Russell Glen Burkett of Mobile, Ala., 3.53 on 113 hours; Melvin Leroy Cochran of Manaca, Pa., 3.66 on 110 hours; Connie Elaine Corbin of Searcy, 3.69 on 107 hours; Sheila Ann Cox of Lebanon, Va., 3.85 on 129 hours; Mary Cloer Creel of Searcy, 3.68 on 116 hours; Paul Davis of Rockford, Ill., 4.00 on 99 hours.

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Petit Jean Takes First in ACPA Competition Alpha Chi Told

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Harding University's *Petit Jean* won first place in General Excellence honors in the 1981 Arkansas College Publications Association Yearbook contest, held Oct. 27 on the Harding campus.

Awards for work in yearbook production this past year were presented at the association's fall meeting by Gerald Edgar, state sponsor. The books were judged by the Associated Collegiate Press in Minnesota.

Second place in General Excellence went to the *Ouachitonian* of Ouachita Baptist University.

Both books were named All-American books by the contest judges.

Third place in the contest went to the *Agricola* of Arkansas Tech University with the *Heritage* of Crowley's Ridge College and the *Troubadour* of Hendrix College receiving honorable mention.

Those three books received first class ratings by the Associated Collegiate Press.

Also presented were certificates for sub contests, with the placings in each as follows:

Photography, arts and graphics — 1. *Ouachitonian*. 2. *Petit Jean*. 3. *Agricola*.

Copy — 1. *Petit Jean*. 2. *Ouachitonian*. 3. *Heritage*.

Display — 1. *Ouachitonian*. 2. *Petit Jean*. 3. *Agricola*.

Coverage — 1. *Petit Jean*. 2. *Ouachitonian*. 3. *Agricola*.

Concept — 1. Tie between the *Ouachitonian* and *Petit Jean*. 3. *Agricola*.

Special credit for student work was given by the judges, with 100 points each to the *Agricola* and *Petit Jean*, 95 points each to the *Heritage* and *Troubadour*, and 40 points to the *Ouachitonian*.

Some 65 journalism students and media professionals attended the fall meeting of the ACPA. In all, nine colleges and universities were represented.

Individual sessions were conducted at 10 and 11 a.m., and again at 1:45 p.m. A group luncheon was held at 12:15 p.m. in the Heritage Room of the Charles M. White Cafeteria.

Participants and guests of honor included Cone Magie, publisher of the *Cabot Star-Herald*, *Lonoke Democrat* and *Carlisle Independent*; Dr. Dennis Schick, executive director of the Arkansas Press Association; Jim Gray, publisher of the *White County Citizen* and *Searcy Daily Citizen*; Mike James, Harding staff photographer; Stan Green, Harding Public Relations and Sports Information Director; Dean Bawcom, yearbook company representative; Gerald Edgar, yearbook sponsor at Arkansas Tech University and ACPA state sponsor; and

Dr. Joseph Pryor, Dean and advisor of Harding's yearbook, the *Petit Jean*.

In addition, Jay Perdue, editor of the *Bison*, and Susan Pryor, editor of the *Petit Jean*, moderated brainstorming sessions on the particular areas of publication. A film, "The First Amendment," was shown by Jim Gray.

Cone Magie, the luncheon speaker, told students that they were living in the midst of an "electronic revolution," and predicted that computers would become more and more a part of the American scene, both at home and in business operations.

Dr. Heber Taylor, Harding Journalism Chairman, organized the event, assisted by Dr. Dennis Organ, associate professor of English. Organ will become state sponsor of the ACPA in January of 1982. The spring ACPA meeting will be held on the campus of Hendrix College.

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two children, Michal Lynette and John Kevin.

A graduate of the class of 1949, Stevens holds the master's from the University of Arkansas and the Ph.D. from Vanderbilt. He was named by the ACU Board of Trustees as the Teacher of the Year in 1969. Stevens is listed in *American Men of Science* and *Outstanding Educators of America*. Mrs. Stevens is the former Letitia Longley, a 1943 graduate of Harding. They have two daughters. Stevens is a former member of the Harding faculty.

Peebles, who received the B.A. in 1934, was a member of the Harding Board of Trustees from 1950 until his death June 26, 1981. He was also minister of the Walnut Street Church of Christ in Hope. Mrs. Peebles is the former Nannie McQuiddy, an alumnus. Their four sons, Harvey, Larry, David and Sam, are graduates of Harding.

Hare, who received the B.A. in 1950 and the MAT in 1956, has worked as a missionary in Europe since 1950 and was the first missionary from the Church of Christ to go to Austria. He has started congregations in Russia, Poland, East Germany, Bulgaria, Romania, Yugoslavia, Hungary and Austria. He is listed in the 1979 edition of *Men and Women of Distinction*. Mrs. Hare is the former Ruth Bradley, a graduate of 1943. They have three daughters, also Harding alumnae.

A graduate of 1956, McNutt also holds the Master of Science from Columbia University in New York.

Since joining Murphy Oil Corporation in 1957 as an accountant in the controller's department, he has worked as Senior Financial Analyst, Corporate Economist in Planning, and Executive Management Assistant. Since 1972 he has been President of Murphy Eastern Oil Company in London, England, where he resided until recently.

McNutt is married to the former Jerry Chessir, an alumnus. They have a daughter, Marsha.

Kim Rosina Donaldson of Bristol, England, 3.61 on 115 hours; Kathy Lynne Eaton of Memphis, Tenn., 3.75 on 85 hours; Louis Don Ferren of Judsonia, Ark., 3.75 on 97 hours; Margaret Dorothy Finch of San Jose, Calif., 3.94 on 97 hours; Christopher Donald Genry of Alabaster, Ala., 3.56 on 109 hours; Stephan T. Haynes of Little Hocking, Ohio, 3.92 on 85 hours; Penny Hightower of Mt. Pleasant, Texas, 3.56 on 105 hours; Joy Denise Hogge of Ft. Collins, Colo., 3.64 on 105 hours; Millie C. Horsman of Florence, Ala., 3.74 on 102 hours; James Richard Jennings of Hurst, Texas, 3.59 on 119 hours; Carla Marie Kerbey of Searcy, 3.61 on 110 hours; Mary Jane Kerns of Clarington, Ohio, 3.63 on 115 hours; Kenneth Phillip Lake of Matteson, Ill., 3.68 on 110 hours; Ruth Landry of Dallas, Texas, 3.50 on 131 hours; Kimberly Kay Lawrence of Forestville, Md., 3.50 on 107 hours.

Johna Futrell Mannen of Pocahontas, Ark., 3.65 on 109 hours; Katrina Renee McKee of East Point, Ga., 3.92 on 107 hours; Rosemary Moran McLaughlin of Adelaide, Australia, 3.70 on 112 hours; Dana Lynn Miller of Yuma, Ariz., 3.82 on 83 hours; Eric Glen Miller of Cambridge, Ohio, 3.84 on 101 hours; Phillip Vernon Moore of Russell, Ark., 3.62 on 104 hours; Jane Shewmaker Neu of Scotch Plains, N.J., 3.68 on 109 hours; Debbie L. Niswander of Bradford, Ark., 3.70 on 90 hours; Jacqueline Simpson Perkins of Collierville, Tenn., 3.70 on 99 hours; Paul E. Perkins of Rochester, N.Y., 3.62 on 109 hours.

Susan Elaine Quillen of Dover, Del., 3.88 on 102 hours; Judy Ramona Robertson of Romance, Ark., 3.60 on 114 hours; Tracy Lou Shacklett of Marietta, Ga., 3.51 on 119 hours; David Paul Smith of Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, 3.75 on 98 hours; William Russell Summers of McMinville, Tenn., 3.63 on 108 hours; Kathy Carlew Swan of Balch, Ark., 3.66 on 108 hours; Timothy Douglas Tucker of Nitro, W.Va., 3.73 on 108 hours; Robert Evan Ulrey of Searcy, 3.6 on 113 hours; Julie Pearson Vantine of Baton Rouge, La., 3.65 on 107 hours; Tanya Martin Wallace of Bald Knob, Ark., 3.97 on 98 hours; Kandi Darlene West of Fairmont, W.Va., 3.92 on 98 hours; Barbara Elaine Williams of Ft. Worth, Texas, 3.53 on 114 hours; Michael K. Williams of Wichita, Kan., 3.50 on 104 hours; Joan Elizabeth Wilson of Ketchikan, Alaska, 3.65 on 112 hours; Carol Hertel Wise of Tucson, Ariz., 3.85 on 91 hours; Cynthia Whiteford Wood of South Bend, Ind., 3.98 on 93 hours.

Dr. Joseph E. Pryor, sponsor of the Harding chapter and secretary of the national Alpha Chi organization, said, "This group of inductees is among the largest we have had, and they are a very outstanding group of students who represent all the academic disciplines."

Officers of the Harding chapter for 1981-82 are Bobby McLaughlin of Nashville, Ark., president; Danny Flatt of Memphis, Tenn., vice president; Cathy Miller of Morganfield, Ky., secretary; Elaine Sutton of Sikeston, Mo., treasurer; and LaJarle Hogan of Kotzebue, Alaska, representative to the regional council.



Pictured are, l. to r., Mike Ireland, Kae Rae and Dwight Ireland. Miss Rae, a senior psychology major, received the Ireland Scholarship for 1981-82. The scholarship was established by the two brothers in memory of their parents.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Basketball: Evangel College, home	Dec. 1
Lyceum: John Stuart Anderson	Dec. 3
Basketball: McDonald's Classic, Point Lookout, Mo.	Dec. 4-5
Basketball: Christian Bros. College, Memphis, Tenn.	Dec. 8
Final Exams	Dec. 14-18
Fall Graduation	Dec. 18
Basketball: John Brown University, home	Dec. 19
Christmas Recess	Dec. 19-Jan. 4
Basketball: College of the Ozarks, home	Jan. 4
Orientation of new students	Jan. 4
Registration for spring semester	Jan. 4-6
Classes begin	Jan. 7
Basketball: Univ. of Central Ark., Conway	Jan. 7
Basketball: School of the Ozarks, home	Jan. 8
Basketball: Arkansas Tech Univ., home	Jan. 11
Basketball: Arkansas College, Batesville	Jan. 14
Basketball: Ouachita Baptist Univ., home	Jan. 16
Basketball: UA-Monticello, Monticello	Jan. 18
Basketball: Hendrix College, Conway	Jan. 21
Management Seminar, Joe Batten, speaker	Jan. 22-23
Basketball: Southern Arkansas Univ., home	Jan. 25
Basketball: Henderson State Univ., Arkadelphia	Jan. 28
Basketball: College of the Ozarks, Clarksville	Jan. 30

Senior Officers Elected

The senior class officers for the 1981-82 school year were recently elected after a week of campaigning. Officers include Gary McClanahan, president; Mark Peacock, vice-president; Michelle LeFevre, secretary, and Jana Burleson, treasurer.

McClanahan is an economics major from Ardmore, Okla. He is a member of the TNT men's social club.

Peacock is a biology major from Memphis, Tenn. He is a member of the pre-dental club and the TNT men's social club.

Miss LeFevre is a special education major from Merced, Calif. She is the daughter of James and Nelda Boyd.

Miss Burleson is a speech therapy major from Oklahoma City, Okla. She is a member of SSAA and the Ko Jo Kai women's social club. Jana is also the queen for the Sub-T men's social club.

The Time of Day's new album, "Sayin' It While There's Time," would make a great Christmas gift this year. Why not order yours today? Available on cassette or album at \$7 each, Box 762, Harding University, Searcy, Ark. 72143.

CAMPUS NOTES

Raymond Muncy (history) attended the Chancellor's Symposium on the Confederate States of America at the University of Mississippi in Oxford, Oct. 14-15. **Muncy** also attended the Executive Board meeting of the Arkansas Endowment for the Humanities in Little Rock Oct. 23-24, where \$83,000 in grants was awarded to humanities projects in Arkansas. He also accompanied the Barristers to Memphis State Law School Oct. 20, where the group was given a tour of the facilities, and attended a law class . . . **Mike Plummer** (biology) was appointed Adjunct Professor of Biology at Memphis State University recently. The appointment came about through four years of cooperative work between MSU faculty, **Plummer** and Harding graduates. He will serve on the committees of individual graduate students at MSU . . . **Duane McCampbell** (English) attended the Arkansas Teachers of Philosophy conference Oct. 30-31 in Little Rock. He has also published several articles recently, including "Problems of Strong Congregations" in the *Firm Foundation*, and "Human Rights and the Right to Life" and "Waiting for the Tax Cut to Trickle Down" in the *Arkansas Gazette* . . . **David Crouch** (alumni, placement) was selected recently to serve on the College Placement Council's Communications Committee. **Crouch** will represent the states of Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Louisiana during his two year term . . . **William Hollaway** (music) composed "Fantasia for Violin and Piano," and the premier performance took place at the Searcy Beethoven Club meeting Oct. 14. **Travis Cox** (music) was violinist. Harding's A Cappella Chorus and Chorale performed a new piece by **Hollaway** for full chorus, entitled "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains" Oct. 24 at the World Missions Workshop. **Kenneth Davis** (music) directed the combined choruses in this performance . . . **Pat Garner** (speech) was in charge of the fall convention of the Arkansas Speech Communication Association, held Sept. 9 in Little Rock. He is president-elect of the ASCA, and also 1981 director of the Student Congress for the state of Arkansas. The Congress was held Nov. 8-10 at the Old State House in Little Rock, with over 150 high school and college students from across the state attending . . . **Harmon Brown** (mathematics) attended the state convention of the Arkansas Council of Teachers of Mathematics Nov. 5 at Little Rock. He is presiding this year as president of the Searcy Civitan Club . . . **Carl Mitchell** (Bible) spoke at the Pan American Lectures in Merida, Mexico Nov. 2-5 on "Helping Your Missionary Stay in the Field" and "Counseling Fellow Missionaries." The event takes place each year in a Latin American country, and **Mitchell** has spoken 11 of the past 13 years . . . **Heber Taylor** (journalism) had a paper, entitled "Nils Wulfsberg: Norwegian Press Pioneer," read at the Southwest Symposium of Journalism/Mass Communication Oct. 25 at Texas Christian University, Ft. Worth, Texas. **Taylor** was unable to attend due to the death of his mother, but did help to organize the fall meeting of the Arkansas Collegiate Press Association Oct. 27 at Harding. **Dennis Organ** (English) will become state sponsor of the ACPA in 1982.



Muncy

Bradford

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Crockett

. . . **Don Shackelford** (Bible) spoke recently at the Wynne Church of Christ on behalf of missions. His entire family taught classes, and the church contributed \$17,000 for missions work. He was also in charge of the World Missions Workshop Oct. 23-25 at Harding . . . **Cathleen M. Smith** (nursing) presided at the 68th Annual Arkansas State Nurses Association Convention Oct. 12-14 at the Camelot Inn in Little Rock. **Louise Bradford** (nursing) presented a paper on "Counseling Role of the Nurse Practitioner." Other nursing faculty attending were **Nancy Clark**, **Susan Bumpass**, **Vickie Keck** and **Charlotte Stephenson**. The Arkansas Nursing Students Association held their convention simultaneously and 20 Harding nursing students also attended . . . **Eddie R. Campbell** (Dean of Men) has been elected chairman of the regional advisory committee of the Arkansas Regional Blood Services . . . **Lott R. Tucker Jr.** (finance) has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Arkansas State Chamber of Commerce. He took office Nov. 2 during the State Chamber's 53rd Anniversary Meeting in Hot Springs, and was named to the three year term in balloting conducted among the State Chamber membership Oct. 2-12 . . . **Jerome M. Barnes** (education) was a member of the NCATE accreditation team Nov. 15-18 at Indiana State University's New Albany campus . . . **Jim Nichols** (personnel) has been selected for inclusion to the 11th edition of *Personalities of the South*, which annually recognizes thousands of outstanding Southerners in various professions . . . **Fred R. Jewell** (history) will chair a paper session at the Phi Alpha Theta national convention in St. Louis during the latter part of December. **Philip Gould**, a Harding graduate now attending Emory University Law School in Atlanta, will also be reading a paper there. **Jewell** took a Social Studies Methods class to Little Rock Oct. 22 for a meeting with several staff members of the Secondary Education division of the State Department of Education . . . **Neale Pryor** (Bible) was this year's speaker on the W. B. West Lectureship at the Harding Graduate School of Religion in Memphis Sept. 24. He spoke on "The Authority of the Old Testament." **Pryor** was also director of the 58th Annual Harding University Bible Lectureship Oct. 14-17 . . . **Sharen Crockett** (home economics) is president of the Arkansas chapter of the American Home Economics Association this year. Her sister, **Lori Deacon**, a senior at Harding, is president of the state student member section of the AHEA. **Crockett** attended the State President's Unit meeting of the AHEA in Washington, D. C. during September, and visited with Arkansas Representative **Ed Bethune** while there. She also attended the state meeting of the Arkansas Association on Children Under Six Oct. 22-23, and is a member of the AACUS nominating committee and chairman of the parenting committee . . . **Mike James** (publicity) attended the Sony Electronic Field Production Workshop in Little Rock, Nov. 17-19 . . . **Ava Conley** (Spanish) spoke at the Pan American Lectures in Merida, Mexico Nov. 2-5 on "Teaching Bible Classes Among Latin American Christian Women".



AWH SAUSAGE ON A STICK — Mark Clay, left, and Randy Richey purchase sausages on a stick from smiling AWH workers Mrs. Bill Harris, right, and Mrs. Jim City.

Sausages Are Hot Item for AWH

Searcy chapter of Associated Women for Harding tried a new project on the Harding campus this fall which proved highly successful for the enterprising auxiliary group.

At the annual Bible lectureship Oct. 14-17 and also on Homecoming weekend Oct. 30-31, the ladies operated a "Sausage on a Stick" booth and netted \$1,136 for university coffers.

Spearheaded by Maralyn (Mrs. Jim) City, the project involved assembling volunteers to fire up the cooker, keep the sausages available, spear the product on a skewer, add a bread slice and sell to the eager customers waiting in line.

At the first outing, the sausages were sold out within a few hours. For the next try, with a few "bugs" taken care of, the booth

maintained assigned hours, although all the sausages were sold at the end of the time.

As usual, minor problems arose. The packing company's sausage machine broke down, but the ladies managed to borrow from another customer with a promise to replace the sausages when the machine is in working order.

For the Lectureship sale, the ladies used a slice of French bread stop the stick. But for the Homecoming weekend, homemade biscuits were provided through the courtesy of Mrs. Ruby Harris at Harris' Cafeteria, a popular Searcy restaurant.

Judy (Mrs. Jeff) Hopper, president of the Searcy chapter, said the chapter plans to sponsor the booth at other upcoming campus events.

Computer Equipment Purchased

New computer hardware has been purchased by Harding and added to the administrative-academic computer in order to increase the computer's working memory capability by 200 per cent, according to John Nunnally, director of administrative computing.

Nunnally said that by adding one million bytes of memory to the one-half million byte system, the computer center and computer students will be able to cut their processing time significantly during peak times of computer use. Faculty and students will not have to wait as long for the computer to process information on weekdays from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. when the computer is usually overloaded.

Nunnally said that the new \$3,800 worth of equipment would make a big difference in computer operation. "The old system could only handle 12 jobs at a time," Nunnally said. "With the new additional memory, the computer should be able to handle 50 to 55 jobs conveniently and at a faster rate."

"We never had this kind of load on our other system," Nunnally said in reference to the administrative-academic computer Harding had before the present system was bought in 1979. The current computer is a Digital Equipment Corp. model 11-70.

Nunnally said that "by purchasing additional memory more of the jobs the computer works on can be left in very fast, readily accessible storage areas." He indicated that the new memory space should more than triple what the system had before.

ON THE COVER: 1981 Homecoming Queen Lisa Bartee receives a congratulatory kiss from Joyce Johnson, wife of assistant football coach Dick Johnson. Lisa is the wife of senior football co-captain Klay Bartee. (Photo by Yo Kurabayashi)

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ALUMNOTES

WHAT'S NEW

Class of 1957

Lewis M. "Sugar" Stewart (BS), Director, Southeast Georgia Small Business Development Center at Georgia Southern College, was recently named to the Advisory Board of the Georgia Christian Children's Home in Valdosta.

His wife, the former Charlene Kimbro ('59) was appointed the Assistant to the Dean of the School of Education at Georgia Southern College in Statesboro.

Charlene and Sugar have been at Georgia Southern College since 1970. They have two sons, Lewis Jr. and Richard. Stewart also serves as an elder with the Statesboro Church of Christ. The family resides at 211 Wildwood Drive, Statesboro, Ga. 30458.

Class of 1959

Douglas Cloud (BA) received the MA degree from Vanderbilt University and the DBA degree from Arizona State University and is professor in the accounting department at Tennessee Tech University, Cookeville, Tenn. His wife, the former Edna Lamberson (BA '61), is manager of Jay Smith World Travel. The couple has three daughters: Lori, Sherri, and Diana. The family resides at Route 10, Box 335, Cookeville, Tenn. 38501.

Betty Clark Goyno (BA) received the MS degree from Pepperdine University and is Senior Citizen Coordinator for the city of Westminster, Calif. She has two children, Paul and Lisa. They live at 50 Blazing Star, Irvine, Calif. 92714.

Class of 1960

Joe V. Olree (BA) has recently been promoted to president of the New Orleans-based Dixie Federal Savings and Loan Association. Olree, a certified public accountant, joined Dixie Federal in 1978 as treasurer and was promoted to executive vice president in 1979. He will assume responsibility for the day-to-day operations of the association.

He came to Dixie Federal from chief financial officer of Finest Foods of New Orleans, whose operations include the A&G Cafeterias. Olree also spent five years in New Orleans with Price Waterhouse & Company, an international CPA firm.

Olree was also named chief operation

officer of Dixie Federal.

He is married to the former Yvonne Fagan and they reside at 6301 St. Bernard Avenue, New Orleans, La. 70122.

Class of 1961

Eugene Lindsey (BA) is evangelist for the Cedar Grove Church of Christ in Andalusia, Ala. He received the MA degree in 1979 from Alabama Christian School of Religion and was listed in *Who's Who Among Students in Universities, 1979-80*. Lindsey helped establish a mental health clinic in South Carolina and served as president of the board for two years. He also taught school part-time for seven years while involved in mission work in South Carolina. He and his wife, Rose Marie, have three children: Melanie Gae, Jeffrey Neal and Stephanie Erin. They reside at Route 1, Box 48, Andalusia, Ala. 36420.

Marty Beth Birkhead Dietz received the BA degree in elementary education from Wichita State University. She and husband, Dalton, have four children: Vonda, Rodney, Jennifer and Cindy. The family resides at Route 1, Box 20B, Peck, Kan. 67120.

Etta Mae Westbrook (BS) is assistant professor of Expanded Food and Nutrition Program with the University of Tennessee. She is also an agent with the Agricultural Extension Service. Westbrook is listed in the 1981 edition of *Who's Who in American Women*. She is past president of Alpha Mu Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma Society International and past chairman of the coordinating council, Delta Kappa Gamma, Knoxville area. She resides at 7745 Cranley Road, Powell, Tenn. 37849.

Homer L. Anderson received the BS in chemical engineering from the University of Missouri at Rolla and is design engineer with Exxon Nuclear Idaho Company, Idaho Falls, Idaho. His wife, the former Myra Dasher (BS) received the MS degree from the Missouri School of Mines and is group leader with Exxon Nuclear Idaho Company. The couple has four children: Karen, Paul, Sharon, and Richard. They reside at 2295 Evans Drive, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402.

Mrs. Paul Harless, the former Evelyn McLaury, (BA) is an elementary reading teacher in the Perryville School System. She has a stepdaughter, Lisa Marie. The family lives at Route 1, Box 56B, Adona, Ark. 72001.



CLASS OF 1956: Front row, l. to r., Joy Bell Angel, Mrs. Ken Noland, Myrna French Hogan, Johnnie Young Hearn, James L. Hearn, Betty Ruby Tolley, Peggy Futrell Porter, Ann Petree Ergle. Second row: Jerome Barnes, Ron Coble, Ray Wilburn, Andy T. Ritchie III, Lucille Hardin Romine, Betty Nossaman, Neale Pryor, Jeanne King Brown. Back row: Doyle Helms, Troy Almand, Richard Burt, Martel Pace, Winfred Wright, Carol Cato, John Petree, Jack McNutt, Jeanne Bankston Huff.



Fullback James Joyce (44) barrels through the middle of the UA-Monticello line during Homecoming football action with the aid of blocks from two other Bisons.



Mary Beth Hill, freshman class representative for Homecoming royalty, is escorted by her father, William C. Hill of Tupelo, Miss., prior to the Harding-UA Monticello football game.



ALUMNI BREAKFAST — Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dockery, left, visit with Linda Michaels Gooch. Wayne and Linda are members of the 1971 class.

Kenneth L. Randolph (BA) is minister for the Panama Street church in Montgomery, Ala. He also teaches Bible at Alabama Christian College. He received the MA degree from Harding Graduate School of Religion in Memphis. Randolph is married to the former Janice Johnson (BA) and the couple has four children: Stephen, Phillip, Rachel and Laura. The family resides at 4547 Wares Ferry Road, Montgomery, Ala. 36109.

Virginia Ruth Lanham Joliff is a substitute teacher in the Selma High School. She received the BA degree from Fresno State University. Her husband, Bob (BA '56), teaches in the Fowler School District. The couple has four children: Bobby Jr., Daniel Scott, Rachel Denice, and Grace Anne. They reside at 5572 East Saginaw, Fresno, Calif. 93727.

Bob E. Wille is minister for the Central Church of Christ in Bryant, Texas. He has been teaching at the Preston Road School of Preaching in Dallas and plans to teach church history at the A & M church School of World Evangelism.

Wille received the BS degree in ministry and evangelism from Abilene Christian University. He is a member of the board of the Kiwanis Club. He is also a member of the American Society of Church History, the Society of Biblical Literature, the Disciples of Christ Historical Society, the Evangelical Theological Society, and the American Historical Society.

He is married to the former Cecil Wilson ('63) and they have two children, Lisa and Jim. They reside at 2309 Carter Creek Parkway, Bryan, Texas 77801.

James H. Evans Jr. (BA) is public relations officer and assistant high school principal of Oologah Public Schools, Oologah, Okla. He received the MA degree from Northeastern State University. He and wife, Sheila, have two children, Michelle and James Christopher. The family resides at Route 9, Box 139, Claremore, Okla. 74017.

Yoshio Inomata is executive director of OMNI Sound, Inc., a subsidiary of Waring Enterprises in Delaware Water Gap, Pa. His wife, the former Suzanne Speer ('64), works part time with the National Park Service as interpreter. The couple has two children, Kenji and Tomio. Their address is Box 93, Sheperd Avenue, Delaware Water Gap, Pa. 18327.

Richard Baughn is photographer with Indiana University and Purdue University of Indianapolis. He serves as vice president of the Plainfield (Indiana) Band Parents Association. He is also photographer and

call fireman with the Plainfield Fire Department. He and wife, Linda, have two sons, Randall and Gary. The family resides at 524 Brentwood Drive East, Plainfield, Ind. 46168.

Allen Dixon is administrator for West Tennessee AGAPE in Memphis. On June 20th of 1981 he received the alumni citation, "Friend of the Fatherless" from Harding Graduate School of Religion in Memphis.

He and wife, Mary Jo, have three children: Mrs. Kathy Dye, Tom Dixon and Nancy Dixon. They live at 5399 Rappahannock Drive, Memphis, Tenn. 38134.

Neal M. Durgin Jr. (BA) is an elementary teacher in the city schools of Augusta, Maine. He is also assistant minister for the church there. His wife, the former Grace Murphy ('59), is a human services technician with the State of Maine, Department of Human Services. The couple has six children: Albert, Gloria Piselli, David, Jeffrey, Keith, and Gary. The family lives at 57 Patterson Street, Augusta, Maine 04330.

Carl E. Goad (BS) is minister for the Westwood Church of Christ in Hopkinsville, Ky. His wife, the former Joan Elaine Pennock ('63), sells advertising for the TV-TEMPO publication. They reside with their two children, Philip and Gretchen, at 1418 West 7th Street, Hopkinsville, Ky. 42240.

Class of 1965

Hollis M. Black (BS) is employed with Boeing as Finance Manager for their Automated Test Systems group in Huntsville, Ala. He and wife, Tanya, have a daughter, Aubretia. The family resides at 925 Whiting Drive, Huntsville, Ala. 35802.

Class of 1967

Jimmy E. Paul (BA) has accepted the position of corporate tax manager with East Texas Motor Freight in Dallas. His wife, the former Beth Starling (BA), is director of the Thursday School at South MacArthur Church of Christ, and Jimmy is a deacon and church treasurer. The couple and their two children, Holly and Joshua, reside at 625 Thad, Irving, Texas 75061.

Class of 1969

Tom Quattlebaum (BS) has been named "Realtor of the Year" for 1981 with the Arkansas Realtors Association. He was selected from a field of 19 local Board honorees. Quattlebaum, a realtor since 1969 and past president of the White-Woodruff County Board of Realtors, was also elected president of the state association. At 36 he is the youngest president in the history of the Arkansas Realtors Association.

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Brad Kinser, left, and Nicky Valls, right, members of the "No Time at All" band, perform a popular tune during the Blackout variety show.



Lois Lawson, left, and Dot Beck, right, of Searcy, visit during the Black and Gold Alumni Banquet which officially began Homecoming '81.



Homecoming Queen 1981, Lisa Barte, is crowned by head football coach John Prock.



CLASS OF 1931: Front row, l. to r., Mrs. Bertha Hayes, Mrs. J. Lewis Foster, and Mrs. Dorothy Wake. Back row: Dr. L. C. Sears, Dean Emeritus; Marvin Hastings; J. Harvey Dykes, and Burton Springer.

Benson Finds Way to Open Door

by Jon Woodroof

The decision to devote his life to God came early in the life of Dr. George S. Benson, president of Harding College for 29 years and founder-president of the National Education Program.

"I decided when I was still in high school that I was going to devote my entire life to the work of the Lord," said Benson. "I didn't know where or what it would be, but I knew that was what I was going to do."

"In college I began reading and studying to decide what I wanted to do," he continued, "and I decided mission work was the most needy field. We didn't have at that time as many missionaries as I've got fingers on my hands."

"I started reading books to decide what country I'd go to, and I found we had no mission work in China, yet nearly one-fourth of the world's population was there. So I decided that was the place most needed."

Benson left for China in September 1925, completely unprepared for the complexity of spreading the good news of Jesus in a foreign land. He didn't know the language, Chinese history or people. For the first four years, things didn't go well. Contemporary methods of evangelism were not working.

"We saw the methods that were being used," said Benson. "What they did was to establish a home, study the language and make any converts they could. As soon as they had a convert who was able to tell the story of the gospel, he was put on American pay and sent out to preach. I saw this method was not working well."

"The only group I found that was not using that method were the Quakers, and they were getting along better than any of the others. They were more impressive, rated better it seemed with the Chinese people, and were in no arguments with their own converts. There was a very decided difference in the way the Quakers were going about mission work and the way everyone else was going about it. And the difference had to do with support of the native preachers."

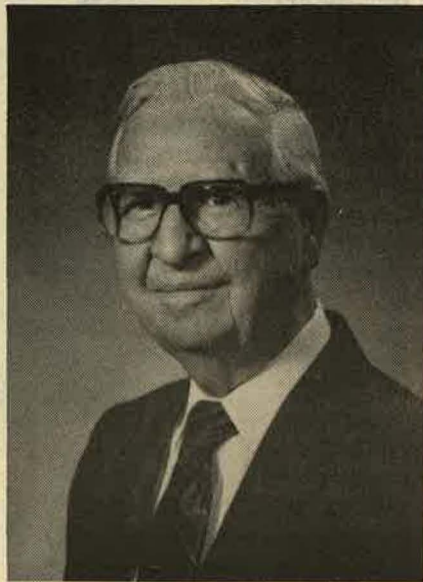
"After four years of floundering, I was offered the job of teaching English in the Sun Yat-Sen University for a year, and I took it. This put me in touch for the first time with a group of educated Chinese. The upper class is hard to get acquainted with, and the educators are in the top class."

"I began for the first time to really understand China. I got acquainted with the fact of their various classes and their attitudes toward foreigners. And I learned that the attitude toward foreigners was very uncomplimentary."

After learning that it was unproductive for native preachers to be supported with foreign funds, Benson adopted a long-range program which he believed would correct that problem — and it did.

"The Chinese people wanted to learn English very much," he said, "so I started an English finishing school. I was soon making friends, breaking down barriers and getting to people."

"Then I started the Canton Bible School, and I made it known in the Canton English School that if you'd like to study in the Bible School, you could get your tuition free, but you'd have to use the Bible as the textbook. So they began coming over. Pretty soon we baptized the man who was boss of all the



George Benson

Chinese employees in the American Embassy in Canton, and his two brothers and their friends.

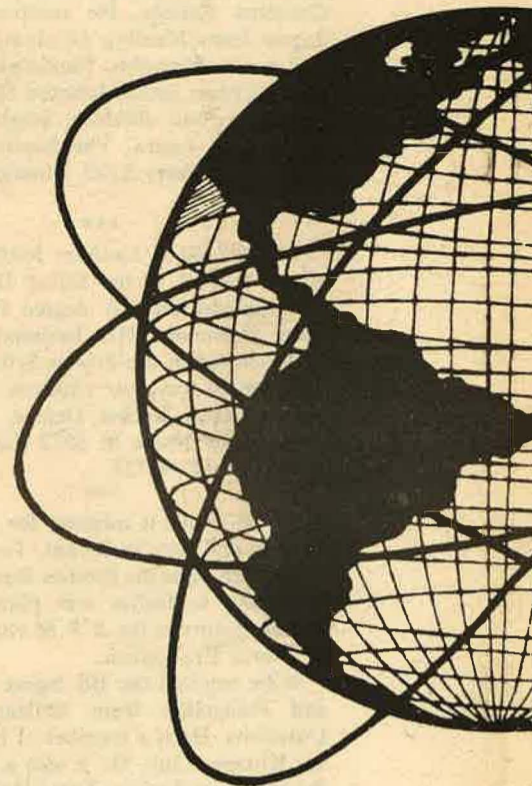
"Men like these came through the Canton Bible School, and we taught them geography, history, English and mathematics. We required an equivalent of a fourth grade education or more to enter the Bible School, and we kept them four more years. An eighth grader in a country where 80 percent of the people can neither read nor write is a pretty

well-educated person. Now he is able to start a little school, take in students, and charge them tuition.

"Now he is an educator, a quite popular guy, receiving his income from his students, and teaching them about the God of the heavens. He isn't talking about foreigners at all, and consequently, he's soon baptizing people. That's the way we worked in China."

Although he had committed his life to mission work, Benson left China in July 1936 after being selected president of Harding College. The decision was difficult, Benson said, but while in China, the Bensons had been joined by other missionary families: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Oldham, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whitfield, and Miss Bernard.

At age 83, Benson still maintains an office on the Harding campus, and puts in a five-day workweek while serving as 1981 chairman of the elders at College Church of Christ. During part of 1981, he also served as acting president of Alabama Christian College in Montgomery, Ala. In May he received the Horatio Alger Honor Medal in a ceremony at Hershey, Pa. Maintaining a pace that many younger persons would find demanding, is nothing new for George Benson; he has been doing it a long time.



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These former missionaries were honored for their longtime service to world missions. The articles were written by journalism students Jon Mabry and Bill Gardner.

Merritt Recalls African Missions

by Ginger Mabry

How would you like to arrive at your new home — a grass hut — in a mule cart? Would you like living 50 miles from the end of the nearest railway, making clay bricks with which to build a house, and hunting in order to feed your hired servants?

Missionary J. D. Merritt arrived in Sinde, Zambia in 1926, and faced such a situation. Along with Ray Lawyer (uncle of Virgil Lawyer, associate professor of history at Harding), Merritt founded Kabanga Mission.

At Kabanga, since they were 50 miles out in the "bush," the missionaries had to make bricks out of clay in order to build buildings. They hired native workers at ten shillings, or about \$2.50, per month. The workers ate corn-meal porridge and pumpkins or sweet potatoes furnished by the missionaries, who also hunted in order to provide the workers with fresh meat.

Grass huts were built for the missionaries' families, who came over the next year. Soon after the families arrived, the Lawyers' hut and all their goods were destroyed in a fire, as were the tires on the Model A Ford parked next to the hut. A few months later, Lawyer was killed in a freak hunting accident when he fell on a native spear.

Eventually, several missions were established, and schools were begun at each in order to educate the people so they could read the Bible for themselves. Prior to these mission schools, there was no school closer than 200 miles away.

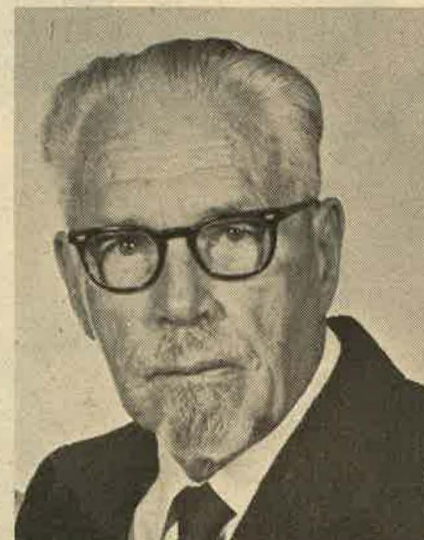
The school at Kabanga was begun with 12 students — all boys — ranging in age from 14 to 18. It eventually grew to as many as 100 boys. Mrs. Myrtle Rowe began a school for girls at nearby Kalomo, with six students. She soon had 18 or 20. Now these two schools have combined into a high school with 200-

300 students at Namwianga Mission. Several students have graduated from or transferred to Harding from this high school.

When asked what the hardest thing about going into a new country was, Merritt replied, "Learning the language. I was too old to go. I was 31. It's hard for a 31-year-old man to learn a new language. Citonga has nine cases and about as many sub-cases (in its generic structure)."

Other difficulties included the lack of available supplies and news. "In the beginning it took at least a month to get a letter," Merritt said. "Now with air mail it only takes about a week. Getting food and medical supplies was a problem, too."

Among the obstacles to progress and the spread of Christianity in Africa was/is witchcraft. The people believe in spirits, especially spirits of the dead. When a person dies, he is buried in the yard or sometimes in his house. Years later, these old village sites make good places to plant a garden, but the people



J. D. Merritt

are still afraid of the spirits buried there. They often dig up a grave, then go to a witch doctor in order to seek protection from the spirit, Merritt said.

There are many African customs which are different from those in America. For example, when a girl is married in Africa, she usually has no say in the matter. Often her family will give her to whoever offers the most for her.

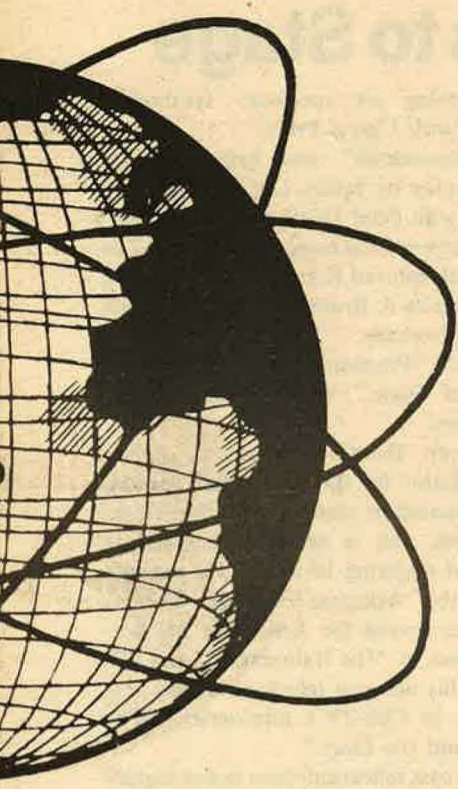
Customs or traditions in churches are different as well. In many African congregations, the people sit on the floor instead of on pews or chairs. The gospel invitation is never formally offered as it is in America. "People would come forward because they thought you wanted them to, and to please you," Merritt said.

Worship services are sometimes held outside, either by choice or out of necessity. "After an elephant stampede crushed one church building, we met under the trees," Merritt recalled.

"People were baptized in rivers and streams," he said. "During the dry season when the rivers were low, we'd just find a deep hole in the river. The people called them all 'Jordan.' Once I remember a man so tall that I had to have him sit down on the river bottom, then lie all the way down in order to baptize him, the water was so low."

When asked if he would like to go back to Africa, Merritt gave an emphatic "Yes!" but added, "I'm old; I've got high blood pressure, and medicine is still hard to get there." His ties to Africa are still strong, however. Merritt's son, Roy, is in Africa now, and Merritt's first wife and one child are buried in Zambia.

In addition, there are many friends in Africa, and many memories as well. But after a long, useful life, J. D. Merritt is content to pray for the work in Africa and keep in touch with the work there through his family.



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Shewmaker: 38 Years in Africa

by Tony Bono

J. C. Shewmaker has been a school teacher most of his life. For 38 years he taught in Christian and public schools of Northern and Southern Rhodesia (now Zambia and Zimbabwe) in Africa.

Two weeks after Shewmaker arrived in Northern Rhodesia, he became the principal of a Christian elementary school at Sinde, which is about 20 miles from Livingston. He accepted this position even though unable to speak the native tongue, Cifongan. He admits that it wasn't easy. "I taught Bible the first year by using an interpreter, and the interpreter many times didn't understand what I was saying," Shewmaker said.

The early years of his African work were done in what he called "the bush" or outlying areas. There, comforts such as indoor running water, electric lights, oil lamps, and indoor plumbing were a rarity.

The natives lived and worked there for two four-month terms and then returned to their villages. For the balance of the year they attended classes four hours per day and also worked in the school fields four hours per day. In the beginning years of the school, students did not pay for their education. Later, students were charged two dollars for each four-month session.

Shewmaker was principal of the Sinde school until 1946, when he moved to an elementary school at Namwianga. His purpose was to establish an elementary facility for European (white) children. Before the school began in 1951, the children of evangelists and teachers were being taught by their mothers at home.

Shewmaker also taught at the native elementary and at the high school which began in 1965. "We taught the basics, but the Bible was the main subject taught," he said. The European school was conducted for 17 years.

In 1967, Shewmaker closed the European school at Namwianga because of an impending political conflict. He then moved to Bulawayo, Southern Rhodesia, where he taught Scripture at the government schools. Southern Rhodesia had made Bible teaching a requirement for their public schools; this gave Shewmaker the opportunity to teach both high school and elementary school classes. He worked here for ten years before returning to America in 1977.

Shewmaker explained that changing the natives required time. "It's not a speedy process; it requires patient teaching year after year, line upon line, precept upon precept," he said. "The natives of the 'bush' have a form of religion in which they worship the spirits



J. C. Shewmaker

of their forefathers; superstition constitutes most of it. They have a different concept of God: they believe in spirits; they don't believe in one God, but they do believe in a super spirit in some way. I never did quite understand it," he said.

Shewmaker became a Christian in 1912 at the age of ten. He was born on a farm in Paragould, Ark. to a third generation Christian family, and his education was obtained at Christian schools beginning at the Christian academy in Paragould. At David Lipscomb Academy in Nashville, Tenn., Shewmaker heard a speech given by an evangelist from New England. It was this speech which inspired him to move overseas. "From 1923 to 1939 that speech was turning in my mind until I finally did go," he said.

In 1924 Shewmaker transferred to Harding Academy, studied at Harding College and graduated with a BA in education and mathematics in 1930. He met and married Joyce Copeland while at Harding and after graduation he began teaching elementary school in Wiseman, Ark. He spent three years teaching at Enola, Ark. and was also superintendent of a consolidated district at Guy, Ark.

But then Shewmaker decided to meet the need for evangelism in Africa. "There were a few going," he said. "I remember the Sunday morning before we were to sail. We were in New York; we had a six-month-old child who was ill, and we had very little money. George Benson raised a hundred dollars that Sunday and gave it to us. Four other young working men discovered our need and donated the rest. When we boarded ship, our child was well, we had our tickets, and \$500 in the bank."

During their life overseas, the Shewmakers raised a Christian family of four. Their eldest, Stan, graduated from Harding and received a masters at Fuller Theological Seminary in Los Angeles, Calif. He returned to Zambia and worked on a committee which translated the Bible into the "Tonga" language, and is now working for an oil company in Abilene, Texas. Claudia graduated from Harding and attended nursing school in Memphis, Tenn. She is married and lives in Columbia, Mo. Samuel David also graduated from Harding and married. He went to Zambia as an evangelist and is now on furlough in the U.S., awaiting a return to Africa. Their youngest, Sherman, has just received the Ph.D. from the University of Indiana at Bloomington, and teaches at the University of Georgia.

Morehead Is Friend to Missionaries

by Bill Gardner

Barney Dallas Morehead, one of four missionaries honored Oct. 24 during the 22nd Annual World Missions Workshop at Harding University, has devoted a majority of his life to being a missionary.

J. C. Choate, publisher of a 1978 biography of Morehead, entitled *A Man With World Vision*, called him a "genuine friend to all missionaries," while Randy Becton, who prefaced the book, wrote, "'Uncle' Barney's ministry has been a ministry of encouragement. He has consistently refused to center the activities of his life on lesser goals than the missionary task of the church."

George Gurganus, co-author of the book, said the Lord put the jigsaw puzzle of Barney Morehead's life together, and indeed there have been pieces to fit together. Morehead's parents died when he was a boy, and as an orphan, he was shuffled from relative to relative. At the age of 15, he was baptized by Wilburn Derryberry, preacher at Columbia, Tenn., in a brush arbor church.

As a young man, Morehead worked for Southwestern Book Company and McQuiddy Publishing of Nashville, Tenn., and also sold subscriptions for the *Gospel Advocate*.

Eventually he attended David Lipscomb College. Lipscomb President H. Leo Boles was a positive thinker, and helped instill this quality into Morehead's own life. In 1933, Claude Hall, a Lipscomb teacher, looked at him after class one day and said, "You are going to preach."

Morehead said it was the middle of the week, and Hall's statement didn't really sink in. But on Saturday he was asked, or "drafted," to preach on Sunday. Hall was the only full-time preacher in the area at that time, with other congregations using part-time ministers.

After this sermon, the *Gospel Advocate* reported that Morehead had "filled in" for Hall. Many preaching offers followed this exposure.

About this time two things happened to change Morehead's life: he met J. M. McCaleb, missionary to Japan, and he met and married Nellie Hertzka. McCaleb was a quiet, unassuming man who thought a lot and spoke in a soft tone. Something about him gave Morehead the desire to spread the Word, and in 1925 the Moreheads were on their way to Japan to do mission work. On board their ship was a couple who would become lifelong friends: the George Bensons.

In 1930 a decision was made by Morehead, with a lot of encouragement from E. A. Rhodes, fellow missionary, to return to the States and become a missionary in his own culture by promoting missions work and getting others to go overseas.

In 1935 he found in Proverbs 29:18 the idea of "world vision." Morehead helped find editors, writers, subscribers and

financial supporters, and began publishing *World Vision* magazine. After 27 years, he decided to discontinue publication because of the financial burden, but also because of the publicity given to world missions by other brotherhood publications.

During this time, Morehead also published *A Missionary Pictorial* and served as circulation manager of *Contact*, a mission periodical produced by Otis Gatewood.

For the last 45 years, Morehead has urged every returning missionary to write books about their mission work in order to help stimulate interest in missions. He encouraged J. D. Merritt, African missionary, to write his experiences, and even raised \$12,000 to get *The Dew Breakers* published. He also helped Myrtle Rowe find a publisher for her book, *Silhouettes of Life*.

Morehead stated that in 50 years of traveling for the Lord, he has been to over 4,000 churches and spent about 50 percent of his time on the road. A bookstore, run by his wife, has helped them make a living.

When asked what he thought the greatest threat to mission work today is, Morehead, 84, said there are many tools the devil is using. "One of the greatest things is that good Christians, good people, become complacent," he said. "People don't get excited over mission work any more. They feel Matthew 28:19 is not binding on us today because the world has already been evangelized."

Many of the characteristics one sees in Morehead's life are those possessed by Paul, Peter, James and John as well as others in the Bible. Ultimately these qualities are but reflections of the One who is the "author and finisher of our faith." The priorities of Barney Morehead's life truly make him a man with world vision.



Barney Morehead

Quattlebaum is serving his third two-year term on the Searcy City Council. He is a member of the Searcy Chamber of Commerce, and has designations of the graduate Realtor's Institute and Certified Residential Specialist.

He and his family reside at 113 Western Hills, Searcy 72143.

Class of 1970

George Gary Walker (BA) is the family life minister with the Sunset Church of Christ in Lubbock, Texas. He also teaches in the India City Evangelism School, which is a part of Sunset School of Preaching. Walker is a missionary to India as well. He is married to the former Kathy Walter ('72) and they have three children: Joel, Benjamin, and Micah. The family resides at 5710 37th, Lubbock, Texas 79407.

Mrs. Thomas S. Smith, the former Sonja Buffington, is teaching art in the Paulding County High School in Dallas, Ga. Her husband is a civil engineer and they reside with their two daughters, Shanna J'nai and Lac'e Simone, at Route 5, McCready Drive, Dallas, Ga. 30132.

James R. Cooke (BA) is a chaplain in the U.S. Air Force with the rank of Captain. His wife, Dinah, is a real estate agent. They have four children: Tamara Hanby, Diana Hanby, Kristina Hanby and new son James Ryan, born May 6, 1981. The family lives at 3832 Cresthill Road, Fort Worth, Texas 76116.

Class of 1971

Stanley J. Clanton (BS) is minister for the Northeast Church of Christ in East Detroit, Mich. He graduated from the Sunset School of Preaching in 1975. He and wife, Tawnya Turner ('72), have two children, Shawn and Jennifer. The family lives at 32419 Rhode Island, St. Clair Shores, Mich. 48082.

Alvin Leach (BA) is preaching for the church in Junction City, Kan. He received the MS degree in mathematics from Arkansas State University and does substitute teaching in the junior high school in Junction City. Leach is married to the former Carolyn Keck ('72) and they have two children, Lana and Gayla. The family resides at 506 Countryside, Junction City, Kan. 66441.

David Sain (BA) is the youth minister at the Highland Street Church of Christ, Memphis, Tenn., and is also a deacon and head of the youth committee.

He is financial consultant and controller for Care Inn Management Company in Memphis. He and wife, the former Brenda Shores ('76), reside at 2989 Dothan, Memphis, Tenn. 38118.

Larry J. Crone (BA) is minister for the Westside Church of Christ in Indianola, Iowa. This is a mission area and he is part of a group that started the congregation in Indianola four years ago. Crone served on the board of directors of Midwest Bible Camp in Iowa from 1978-1981. He and his wife, the former Barbara Cross (BA '72) have two children, Jeffrey and Angela. The family is at home at 610 West Salem, Indianola, Iowa 50125.

Kenneth M. Barry (BA) is supervisor with United Parcel Service in Colby, Kan. He and his wife, the former Mary Cox ('70) have two children, Toni and Kenneth Jr. The family resides at 310 West 5th, Colby, Kan. 67701.

Class of 1972

Carol Mannen Smith (BA) teaches piano to elementary and high school students as well as adults. Her husband, Steve (BA) is assistant professor of music at Oklahoma Christian College. The couple has two children — Emily and Abby — and the family resides at 3209 Rankin Terrace, Edmond, Okla. 73034.

Former Harding Star Returns to Stage

by Jay Simpson

Ray Wright brought maturity and experience to the Harding stage in the lead role of the Homecoming musical "Shenandoah" Oct. 30-31.

Chairman of the English Department at Harding Academy, Wright has sang and acted in several plays and musicals. As Charlie Anderson, a strong-willed Virginia farmer who tries to keep his family from being involved in the Civil War, Wright headed a 36-member cast.

Because a 50-year-old man was needed for the leading role, Charles Parker, director of the play and assistant professor of speech, opened auditions to the faculty as well as students. Wright said there was sometimes a problem when students tried to play older men.

Wright's experience in theater spans back to his college days in the '50s. While at Harding, he played in "Harvey," "Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court," and "Silver Whistle." He was the leading tenor in Harding's first opera, "Martha," in 1953.

He also represented Arkansas in collegiate drama competition with five Chekhov plays called "Five Vaudevilles," and while a student at North Texas State University, he sang in the operas "Carmen" and "Fleder Maus." Last year Wright appeared in the Searcy Dinner Theater's production of "The Fantastiks."

The Wright family is very musically oriented. Three of his children — Barbara, David and Susan — have been members of the Belles and Beaux, and this year Susan has been chosen to be a Spring Sing hostess. David was a member of the "Shenandoah" orchestra,



Ray Wright

performing on spectrum synthesizer along with Cheryl Priest.

"Shenandoah" was based on the screenplay by James Lee Barrett, who, along with Peter Udell and Philip Rose, also authored the book *Shenandoah*. The musical featured 15 song titles, including "We Make A Beautiful Pair," "Violets and Silverbells," "The Only Home I Know," "Freedom," and "Raise the Flag of Dixie." Wright sang six solo numbers.

Steven Holder served as music coordinator for the production. He has participated in many of Harding's past musicals, and is presently a graduate student majoring in music. He recently won the Arkansas College Theater Festival Award for Acting for his performance in "The Rainmaker," and will make his national television debut next season in CBS-TV's mini-series, "The Blue and the Gray."

The cast rehearsed three hours nightly for six weeks, and Wright estimated that he put in 150 to 200 hours in preparation for the show. But when asked if he thought all the time and effort had been worthwhile, he said that it had.

"The play has a message," he said. "It's not just for entertainment." Wright said the main theme of the play is that taking vengeance does not help anybody.

Wright said that preparing for the play was "fun — when things are going well." He said he had enjoyed getting to know the student actors and other participants in the production.

Wright encouraged everyone who did not get involved in the play this year to do so next year. "It's an exciting thing to do," he said.

Danny Lee Lamb (BA) received the MA degree from Harding Graduate School of Religion and is campus minister and Bible chair director in Martin, Tenn. He is director of Kiwanis in Barnesville, Ohio and Martin, Tenn. He has an assistantship while working toward a doctorate at Tennessee Graduate School of Christian Doctrine and Apologetics. Lamb was selected to the 1981 *Outstanding Young Men of America*.

He and his wife, Dianne, have two children, Justin and Benjamin. They reside at 107 Mt. Pelia, Martin, Tenn. 38237.

Daniel H. King (MA) is evangelist for the Downers Grove Church of Christ in Downers Grove, Ill. He and wife, Donna Jean, have two children, Jennifer and Daniel Jr. The family lives at 541 Cambridge Way, Bolingbrook, Ill. 60439.

Phyllis A. Clark (MAT) is currently working as Title I supervisor of instruction, Parent Program Coordinator in Decatur, Ala. She is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma and is active in education association functions. She resides at 103 Penni Place, Athens, Ala. 35611.

Gerald R. Burrow (BA) is a high school teacher in Shreveport, La. He received the MA degree in history from Arkansas State University, and is working toward a specialist degree in counseling at Louisiana Tech University. Burrow was recently named to *Outstanding Young Men of America*. He resides at 8821 Paulette Lane, Shreveport, La. 71106.

Lambert Murray (BA & BS) is a research physicist with Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tennessee. He received the Ph.D. in physics from the University of Florida. He is married to the former McKay Shields (BS '73) and they

have one son, Nathan Edward. The family resides at Route 7, Box 223A, Clinton, Tenn. 37716.

Brenda J. McClain is development assistant with the Arkansas Children's Hospital in Little Rock. She resides at 209 Brown, Little Rock, Ark. 72205.

Dr. Ellen Kramar Banks (BS) received the M.D. degree from the University of Texas at Dallas, Southwestern Medical School, and is a family practitioner with Kaiser Permanente in La Mesa, Calif. She is also a Chicano Community Clinic volunteer. Dr. Banks resides with her husband, James H. Banks, at 4260 58th Street, San Diego, Calif. 92115.

Mrs. Morris Legg, the former Meredith Ellen Bobbitt (BA), is an elementary teacher with Atlantic Christian School, Hialeah, Fla. She received the MS degree in reading from Florida International University. She and her husband, Morris, reside at 933 West 79 Place, Hialeah, Fla. 33014.

Mrs. Tim Johnson, the former Diana M. Denham (BA), is living in Canada where she and her husband are supported by Christians in the U.S. to do mission work in Eastern Canada, especially Moncton, New Brunswick, where they have lived and worked for the past five and one-half years. There are very few Christians in that area. Tim is full-time minister for the church there. The Johnsons have three children: Paul, Benjamin, and Daniel Mark. The family resides at 229 Downey Avenue, Riverview, New Brunswick, Canada E1B 1W6.

Michael Lawyer (BA) has the State Farm Insurance firm in Pine Bluff. He is married to the former Linda Leasure ('69) and they

have two children, Robert Michael Jr. and Janessa LeeAnn. The family resides at 1002 Meredith, Pine Bluff, Ark. 71602.

Daniel Griggs (MA) received the M.Div. degree from Pittsburgh Theological Seminary and is minister for the Christian Church in Parma, Ohio. He and his wife, Harriet, have two children, William D. Jr. and Sarah Elizabeth. The family lives at 7600 Royal Ridge Drive, Parma, Ohio 44129.

Mrs. Randall Griffin, the former Connie Merriman (BA), is a learning disabilities aide in the public schools at West Plains, Mo. Her husband is a math instructor and coach there also. The couple has two children, Jonathan and Jamie. The family resides at 2121 Greenbriar, West Plains, Mo. 65775.

John M. Howlett (BA) is a pilot with Eastern Airlines, and flies Boeing 727s from New York and Newark, N.J. He is also Aircraft Commander in the U.S. Air Force Reserves and flies C141 Starlifters. Howlett is married to the former Barbara Lou Messer (BA) and they have two children, Jason and Karla. The family resides at 10 Babbitt Lane, Willingboro, N.J. 08046.

Linda Jean Mahan (BA) is an elementary teacher in the public schools at Flippin, Ark. Her address is P.O. Box 594, Flippin, Ark. 72634.

Charles L. Dye (BS) is claims supervisor with Shelter Insurance Company in Ft. Smith, Ark. His wife, the former Marcia Hays (BA '71) teaches English in the public schools there. The Dyes have one son, Benjamin Houston, and reside at 540 North 48th, Ft. Smith, Ark. 72903.

Edwin D. Hendrix (BA) is in the catalog department of the library staff at California State University, Fresno. He works with the international student ministry of the College Church of Christ at Fresno in an effort to reach with the gospel approximately 1,200 international students at CSUF from about 70 countries. He is active in World Bible School and last year traveled to Europe, Africa and South America. Hendrix resides at 6684 North Third Street, Fresno, Calif. 93710.

Joe W. Walker is General Manager of Crowell Motor Lines in Franklin, Tenn. He and his wife, the former Beth Levins (BA) have three children: Chad, Michael and Jeffrey. Beth is a third grade teacher in the city schools. The family resides at 202 Oxford Drive, Franklin, Tenn. 37064.

Ronald D. Roberts (BA) received the MSE degree from Arkansas State University at Jonesboro and is teaching in the public elementary schools in Kennett, Mo. He is married to the former Marla Capps (BA) who received the BSE degree from Arkansas State University. The couple resides with son, Brandt, at 1612 West Washington, Kennett, Mo. 63857.

Janice M. Sewell (BA) received the MA degree from Texas Woman's University and is teaching physical education in the Mesquite (Texas) elementary and high school. She resides at 9281 Forest Lane No. 1002, Dallas, Texas 75243.

Wayne Luallen (BA) is radiologic technician with Visalia Medical Clinic in Visalia, Calif. His wife, the former Donna Wright ('75) also works there as a medical transcriptionist. The couple lives at 4601 West Laurel, Visalia, Calif. 93277.

Susan Kilday Clifton (BA) received the MS degree from the University of Tennessee. She is a housewife, and looks after children Christy Anne and Keith. Her husband, Danny, is field director for the Boy Scouts of America. The family lives at 1602 Pinebark Drive, Knoxville, Tenn. 37921.

Larry A. Stewart (BA) is employed with Michigan Christian College as director of admissions. He recently was listed in *Outstanding Young Men of America*. He and wife, Lynne, have a daughter, Beth Allison, and they live at 360 Eastlawn Drive, Rochester, Mich. 48063.

Jerry W. Cook (BA) received the M.Ed. degree from East Texas State University and is principal of the high school in Allen, Texas. He and wife, Patricia, have two daughters, Amanda and Sara. The family resides at 519 Hightrail Drive, Allen, Texas 75002.

Mark R. Stanley (BS) is associate manager of F. W. Woolworth in Brookfield, Wis. He resides with wife, Victoria, and son, Andrew, at 204 South West Avenue, Waukesha, Wis. 53186.

Debra Krummel Abram (BA) is employed as an accountant with Century Sales in Albuquerque, N.M. She and her husband, Michael, reside at 8809 Alvera SW, Albuquerque, N.M. 87105.

Kathy Barton (BA) is a social studies teacher in Thomasville, Ga. She received the MA and MS degrees from Florida State University. She resides at Wildwood Apt. No. 6, Thomasville, Ga. 31792.

Class of 1973

Harry L. Ware Jr. (BA) is manager with Russell Brown and Company in Little Rock. He is married to the former Sandy Williams (BA '72) and they have a son, Scott Andrew. The family resides at 2824 Circlewood, Little Rock, Ark. 72207.

Dr. Jack R. Holt (BS), formerly with the University of Oklahoma Biological Station,

has been named assistant professor of biology at Susquehanna University in Selinsgrove, Pa. He holds the MS and Ph.D. degrees from Oklahoma.

Beverly Ann Martin (BA) received the MME degree from the University of Arkansas and is a vocal music teacher at Overholser Elementary School in Bethany, Okla. She sings with the Canterbury Choral Society in Oklahoma City and is working toward the doctorate at the University of Oklahoma. Miss Martin resides at 5805 NW 36 No. 4, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73122.

Class of 1975

John W. McGee (BA) is minister for the church in Noel, Mo. while working for the McDonald County School District. His wife, the former Debbie Almand (BA), is a consultant with the Faye Swafford Originals luggage firm. They have a three-year-old daughter, Lora.

This past summer John was the track coach for the Southwest Track Club of Springfield, Mo. The family's address is Box 18, Noel, Mo. 64854.

Glen Flagler (BA) is employed as an attorney with the Westerville, Ohio law firm of Metz, Bailey and Spicer. He has been selected to be on the Columbus (Ohio) Bar Association Business Law and Municipal Court Committees.

Flagler is married to the former Janet Brofft (BS) and they have two children, Adam Glen and Michael Joseph. They reside at 326 E. Walnut St., Westerville, Ohio 43081.

Class of 1976

Donald Zern (BA) has accepted a position with the Fort Lauderdale *News-Sun-Sentinel* in Florida. For the past three years he has been the sports editor of the Hot Springs (Arkansas) *Sentinel-Record*, and before that was sports editor of the Jacksonville *Daily News*.

Zern is married to the former Margaret Fullerton ('79).

Keith Medford (BA) is at Reese AFB in Lubbock, Texas where he is attending undergraduate pilot training. Prior to joining the Air Force he worked on the MBA degree at Texas Tech University where he was a teaching assistant in the undergraduate business department. His wife, the former Pam Blank (BSN '77) resigned as day charge nurse in the neonatal intensive care unit at Lubbock General Hospital to care for their new daughter, Becky. They reside at 5806 27th Street 1-D, Lubbock, Texas 79407.

Class of 1977

Mrs. Leonard Torres, the former Patricia Fox, is employed as a social worker with the Texas Department of Human Resources in Beaumont. She and her husband reside at 8129 Gladys, Beaumont, Texas 77706.

Melinda Howell Miller (BA) is first grade teacher with the Living Word Christian Academy in Bethany, Okla. Her husband, Chris, originally from New Zealand, is a management trainee with Office World Furniture. The couple lives at 3033 North Rockwall No. 209, Bethany, Okla. 73008.

Myra Evans (BS) is working with the Continental Bank in Philadelphia, Pa. She has been a senior credit analyst with the bank, and in March was promoted to staff officer in charge of monitoring and analyzing bank customer profitability. Evans resides at 106 Butternut Drive, Hatboro, Pa. 19040.

Jim Edmonds (BS) received the Juris Doctorate degree in 1980 from the University of Tennessee and just recently passed the bar exam. He accepted a position effective November 1 with Freed-Hardeman College in Henderson, Tenn. as director of alumni relations and estate planning.

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Tennyson, Carlock Win State Offices

Two Harding students were among the candidates elected to state College Republican offices this fall. Jeff Tennyson, a sophomore from Harrison, Ark., was elected vice chairman and Byron Carlock, a junior from Blytheville, Ark., was elected secretary of the group.

Harding University's College Republicans had 25 of its members travel to Little Rock for a reception at the Governor's Mansion prior to the election of officers. The evening was an informal gathering for members of the College Republicans to meet with various state representatives and the Governor and Mrs. Frank White.

Blair Bryan, a Harding student and president of Harding's College Republicans,

said that Governor White was pleased with the number of students from Harding who were present at the reception. Bryan said, "I received a telephone call from one of Governor White's press secretaries saying how impressed Governor White was with the people from Harding."

Tennyson has also been named to the National Youth Council of the March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation. The six-member national youth council assists the March of Dimes in planning and coordinating youth programs for prevention of birth defects. Tennyson is a past governor of the Missouri-Arkansas District of Key Club International.

Civil War Buff Furnishes Guns, Advice, Acting in 'Shenandoah'

by Sharon Goetting (BA '81)
Searcy Citizen Staff Writer

Buddy Baker of Searcy has been interested in the Civil War ever since he was a boy growing up in Mississippi. "I found a confederate market on my great-grandfather's grave as a kid and I wondered why it was there," Baker explained.

Digging into the past, he found that his great-grandfather had fought with General Bedford Forrest during the Civil War.

Another event that sparked Baker's interest in Civil War history was the discovery of an authentic weapon of the era. "I was duck hunting in the Mississippi Delta, and tripped over the handle of a Civil War sword. It had been buried up in the delta mud there. I dug it out and took it home," Baker said.

Since then, Baker has studied military history and collected relics from the Civil War. He helps authenticate and restore original Civil War pieces for people, and builds reproductions. He has spoken at several schools on Civil War topics.

Baker has recently been involved in the Homecoming play, "Shenandoah," at Harding. He said he was asked to help authenticate the props used in the play, and he decided to try out for a part.

Baker was cast in the role of Reverend Byrd, a character Baker described as "very God and country oriented." Baker commented on the play, "It conveys two

important messages. It shows the importance of family unity and belief in God. Then it projects the horrors and misfortunes of war."

The cast used guns supplied by Baker. He said he tried to make everything in the play as realistic as possible. "We actually fired the muzzle-loaders on stage," he said.

Baker graduated from high school in Hernando, Mississippi, and went on to receive a BS degree in education from Delta State University in Mississippi. Baker said he taught a couple of years in Quitman, Mississippi before being drafted into the Army. He served for a year in Viet Nam in the 9th U.S. Medical Lab.

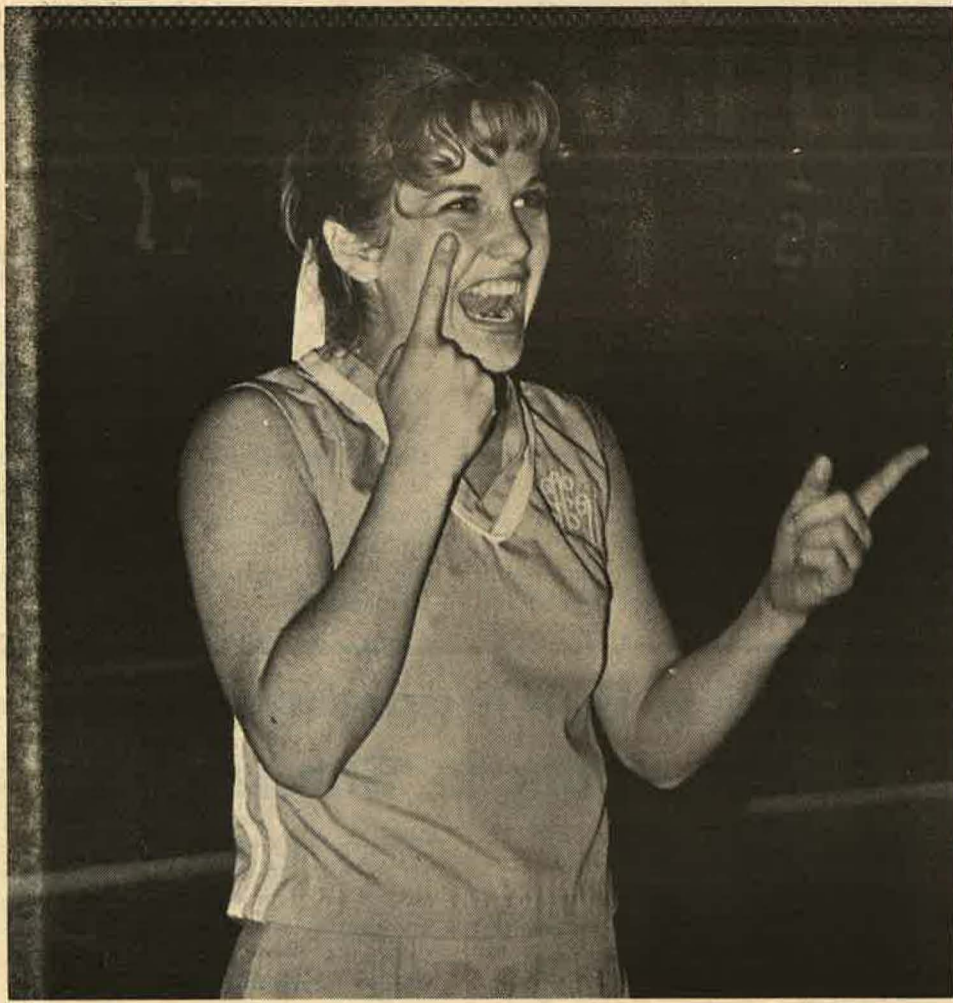
Baker later worked in the lab at St. Luke's Hospital in Denver, Colorado. Then seven years ago he began work at the White County Hospital as lab supervisor.

Baker is also a student at Harding where he is working on an MEd degree in education with an emphasis in history. He and his wife Suze, who is also a Harding student, have a six-year-old son, Jason, and were joined by another son in November, Thomas Edward.

Baker was in several dramatic productions as a student at Delta State, including "South Pacific," "Bells are Ringing," and "Bell, Book, and Candle."



Buddy Baker, left, officiates at the wedding ceremony of Robin Cannon and Kim Hudson (center) during "Shenandoah." Soldier at right carries an authentic rifle supplied by Baker, who owns several other antique guns and Civil War memorabilia.



"Let's Go, Bisons," yells Lori Pittman, as she leads the Harding fans in a rousing cheer during a recent football game. (Photo by Yo Kurabayashi)

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Edmonds is married to the former Susan Cannon (BA). Their address is P.O. Box 524, Henderson, Tenn. 38340.

Class of 1978

Mrs. Samuel E. Gayton, the former Kimberly Myers (BS), received the Master of Social Work degree from Ohio State University. She is employed as unit secretary with St. Anthony Hospital in Columbus, Ohio. She and her husband reside at 1416 Striebel Road Apt. 318, Columbus, Ohio 43227.

Janet Lee Thomas Gardner and family have recently moved to Biloxi, Miss. where her husband, Ron, is working in Civil Service with the Department of the Navy. They reside at 109 Martin Road, Biloxi, Miss. 39531.

Kevin Hammond (BS) is working with the Alpha Omega-Delta Chi Alumni Association. They are busy gathering names and addresses and are urging responses. He is married to the former Lea Anne Waites (BA) and they reside at 3605-I Woodbriar Circle, Tucker, Ga. 30084.

Michael Moshier (BS) graduated from Baylor School of Medicine in June, 1981, and is in his first year of the residency program in family practice at the Northwest Texas Hospital of Amarillo, Texas. He resides at 3308 Eddy, Apt. 167, Amarillo, Texas 79109.

Class of 1979

K. Wesley Davis (BA) is deputy chief, public affairs division for McConnell Air Force Base, Wichita, Kan. He and his wife, Danita, reside at 1157 South Webb Road No. 312, Wichita, Kan. 67207.

Jo Anne Hambrick Newton (BA) is special education teacher at Des Arc High School. Her husband, Eddie, is with Riceland Foods. Their address is P.O. Box 442, Des Arc, Ark. 72040.

Bruce Nunnally (BS) passed the CPA exam May, 1981 and is employed with the WIL-MC Oil Corporation of Irving, Texas as assistant controller. His wife, the former Robin Roberts ('80) is secretary in the personal executive banking division of

Mercantile National Bank at Dallas. The couple resides at 2820 Weather Vane Lane, Dallas, Texas 75228.

Mark Hesselrode (BA) received the MA degree in June from the University of Nebraska and is working toward the doctorate at Vanderbilt University. He is also working with the Radner congregation as a counselor and working with the Inner-City ministry in Nashville, Tenn. He and wife, the former Patti May (BA), reside at 228A E. Morton Avenue, Nashville, Tenn. 37211.

Class of 1980

James R. Griffith (BA) is attending Universite' de Nantes, a language school in France, and is working with the church there. He plans to be in France for two years. His address is: 1 rue des Magnoliers - 44800 St. Herblain France.

Stephen Beliech (BS) is working in sales for KWCK and KSER radio in Searcy. He also assists with the youth group in the Downtown Church of Christ. Steve resides at Route 5, Box 505, Searcy, Ark. 72143.

Class of 1981

Barry D. Packer (M.Th.) is minister for the Southern Hills church in Abilene, Texas. He and his wife, Diane, reside at 3765 Varsity, Abilene, Texas 79602.

Mrs. Timothy L. Caldwell, the former Laurie Till (BBA), is an accountant with Kraft, Miles & Tatum CPA firm in Kennett, Mo. She resides with her husband at 714 Wiggs, Kennett, Mo. 63857.

Philip Gould (BA) is attending Emory University School of Law in Atlanta, Ga. His address is 1372 Normandy Drive NE, Atlanta, Ga. 30306.

Class of 1982

David Hill assumed his duties September 1 as database applications specialist in the central services area of controller operations of Merck & Company, which is headquartered at Rahway, N.J. David will be working full time while attending Rutgers University and will be able to complete requirements to receive his degree from Harding University in 1982. His address is P.O. Box 1255, Union, N.J. 07083.

45 Inducted in Kappa Delta Pi

Forty-five students were inducted recently into the Kappa Delta Pi Chapter at Harding University. KDP is an honorary education society for junior and senior education majors with at least a 3.0 grade point average.

New members are as follows: Kathryn Barnick of Trenton, Ohio; Debbie Bastin of Collinswood, N.J.; Helen Bedwell of Yorkstown, Va.; Wayne Braun of Seminole, Texas; Jana Bureson of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Jill Burroughs of Memphis, Tenn.; Kathy Coley of McRae, Ark.; Belynda Davis of Hurst, Texas; Donna Davis of Walnut Ridge, Ark.; Scott Dawkins of Ketchikan, Alaska; Kathy Eaton of Memphis, Tenn.

Kelly Eversole of Clearwater, Fla.; Lynnette Forbes of El Dorado, Ark.; Cynthia Garner of El Dorado; Kay Hall of West Memphis, Tenn.; Melanie Harding of Glenwood, Ark.; Teri Hazelip of Birmingham, Ala.; Cyndie Hearn of Harrison, Ark.; Jennifer Henderson of Piggott, Ark.; Priscilla Henderson of Marabella, West

Indies; Kevin Isenberg of South Williamsport, Pa.; Tami Denise Jeter of Texarkana, Texas; Kevin Kehl of Arlington, Texas.

Karen Kinney of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Carter Lambert of Pearl, Miss.; Sandra Markley of Kansas City, Mo.; Kim McLarty of Memphis, Tenn.; Carrie Miller of St. James, Mo.; Maresa Moon of Searcy; Pat Moreland of Dongola, Ill.; Gale Pitts of Palestine, Ark.; Gail Porter of Fayetteville, Ark.; Lisa Powers of Evansville, Ind.; Treva Pryor of Searcy; Patricia Ramsey of Baton Rouge, La.; Debbie Stanley of Charlotte, Ark.

Rebecca Stewart of Walnut Ridge, Ark.; Rae Stockberger of Frankfort, Ind.; Ronda Street of Memphis, Tenn.; Rebecca Swartwood of Woodbridge, Va.; Beth Taylor of Ivyland, Pa.; Mitzi Thompson of Carrollton, Texas; Lisa Ulrich of Ponca City, Okla.; Mrs. Larry Walters of Monroe, La.; Melody Ward of Baton Rouge, La.

MARRIAGES

Roberta Lynn Tompkins (BA '81) to Denis E. Ruiz September 12 in Garland, Texas. The couple will be living in Caracas, Venezuela.

Melinda F. Howell (BA '77) to Chris Miller August 15 in Lubbock, Texas. The couple lives at 3033 North Rockwall No. 209, Bethany, Okla. 73008.

Terry Williams (Grad.) to Shirley Wooldridge September 18 at Camp Wyldewood in Searcy.

Kimberly Myers (BS '78) to Samuel E. Gayton August 1, 1981 in Columbus, Ohio.

Patricia L. Fox ('77) to Leonard Torres April 18, 1981.

Glenita Kaye Hale (BA '80) to Larry V. Anderson August 2, 1981 in Garner. Glenita teaches 5th grade half-time at Batesville Intermediate School. The couple resides at 1610 College Street, No. 9, Batesville, Ark. 72501.

Peggy Chesney (BA '81) to Douglas Lester January 3, 1981.

Paula Litland (BS '81) to Rick Walker May 15, 1981 in DeSoto, Texas.

BIRTHS

Son, Daniel Mark, to Tim and Diana Denham (BA '72) Johnson May 5, 1981 in Riverview, New Brunswick, Canada.

Son, Jonathan Darrell, to Bob (BA '69) and Carol Bucy (BS '74) Knight September 29 in Memphis, Tenn.

Son, Joel Wesley, to Greg (BA '78) and Sherry Shepherd September 24 in Piketon, Ohio.

Daughter, Meagan Kaye, to David (BA '75) and Sally Kritz ('76) Hawley July 23, 1981 in Wichita, Kan.

Son, Joshua David, to David (BS '78) and Rebecca Slinkard (BA '78) Williams July 8 in Searcy.

Daughter, Erin Rebecca, to Dale and Kelda Easley (BS '74) Jones January 9, 1981 in Mountain Home, Ark.

Daughter, Natalie Anne, to Lynn and Katrina Hyde (BA '74) Smeltzer August 3, 1981 in Conway, Ark.

Son, Brandon Carl, to Larry (BS '75) and Aleta Fonville (BA '75) Tittle September 5 in Dallas, Texas. He joins sisters, Melissa, 3, and Amy, 2.

Daughter, Alison Leigh, to Steve (BA '79) and Sharon Goad (BA '79) Johnson May 4, 1981 in Jefferson City, Mo.

Son, Ryan Christopher, to Ron and Brenda Dyer (BA '75) Wigginton August 13, 1981 in Memphis, Tenn.

Daughter, Kristen Nicole, to Glenn (BA '75) and Sherilyn Rigdon (BA '76) Barron September 12 in Fayetteville, N.C.

Son, Andrew Edward, to Mark (BS '72) and Victoria Stanley July 28, 1981.

Son, William Keith, to Danny and Susan Kilday (BA '72) Clifton April 18.

Son, Brandt Ashley, to Ron (BA '72) and Marla Capps (BA '72) Roberts January 1, 1981 in Memphis, Tenn.

Son, Seth Austin, to Larry and Sheba Beasley ('72) Thomas November 20, 1980.

Twin sons, Michael James and Jeffrey Allen, to Joe ('72) and Beth Levins (BA '72) Walker May 27, 1981.

Son, James Ryan, to Jim (BA '70) and Dinah Cooke May 6, 1981 at Carswell AFB Regional Hospital.

Daughter, Rebecca Shari, to Keith (BA '76) and Pam Blank (BSN '77) Medford April 11 in Lubbock, Texas.

Daughter, Ashley Dawn, to Vince (BS '77) and Suzanne Priddy (BSN '77) Adams recently in Houston, Texas.

Son, Benjamin Michael, to Mike ('74) and Carolyn Mann (BS '77) Malone February 19, 1981 in Memphis, Tenn.

Son, Bradley Russell, to Scott ('80) and Joyce Caughron (BS '74) Bellamy October 7 in Searcy.

Son, Jared Arthur, to Robert (BA '75) and Pam Lee (BS '76) Hemingway May 17, 1981. He joins older brother, Jonathan Lee, age 4. They reside at Route 1, Box 38, Hindsboro, Ill. 61930.

Son, Philip Landis, to James (M.Th. '79) and Sherri Ferguson ('78) Draper July 17, 1981 in Memphis, Tenn.

Son, Michael Joseph, to Glen (BA '75) and Janet Brofft (BS '75) Flagler September 26, 1981 in Westerville, Ohio.

SYMPATHY

Our Sympathy To

Nancy Royse Hendricks ('67) whose husband, Howard, died April 28, 1981 in Monroe, Wash.

Dennis Swayne (BA '74) in the death of his mother, Mrs. Andrew Swayne, September 26.

Harvey Riggs (BA '25) in the death of his wife, the former Alice Gray ('26), September 18 in Dyersburg, Tenn. She was the mother of Grace Riggs Hougey ('48) of Concord, Calif. and Robert G. Riggs ('50) of Brightwaters, N.Y. She was the grandmother of Sandy Hougey Rogers (BA '80) and Richard Hougey ('80).

The family of Myrla Russell Oakley (BA '54) who died in Union, N.J. October 13 after a lengthy illness. She is the aunt of David Hill ('82) and the sister of Jane Russell Davenport (BA '57). Funeral service was in New Jersey with burial in Old Hickory, Tenn. Her husband's address is William H. Oakley, P.O. Box 1255, Union, N.J. 07083.

Men, Women Sweep AIC, District Cross Country Titles

Carter Lambert captured individual honors and Harding University won its 11th straight Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference cross country championship at the Bald Knob Country Club November 6.

Lambert pushed out to a 100-yard lead at the halfway point and completed the rolling five-mile course in 25:58. A senior from Pearl, Miss., he was the first of four Bison runners to place in the top ten.

Dominating the team competition, Harding scored 42 points to defeat runner-up University of Arkansas-Monticello, which had 66. Ouachita Baptist University placed third with 67.

With the conference victory, which also counts as the NAIA District 17 meet, the Bisons qualified for a return trip to the NAIA National Cross Country meet November 21 at Kenosha, Wis. Last year Harding placed 10th in the national meet behind senior All-America runner Richard Teixeira.

Also scoring for Coach Ted Lloyd's Bisons were junior Joe O'Connor of Shelter Island, N.Y., sixth in 26:41; junior Jeff Westover of Sidney, Ohio, eighth in 27:18; freshman Steve Hubbard of Brentwood, Tenn., ninth in 27:21; and junior Mitch McCohn of New Londond, Ohio, 18th in 28:05.

For Lambert, who was the runner-up in 1980, it was his first individual championship.

"I went out too fast, so it wasn't quite as easy as it could have been," Lambert later said. "I was in pretty good shape at the three-mile mark. I made up my mind that I was going all out since I'm a senior and this is my last time through. I was going to finish even if I had to crawl."

By winning its 9th consecutive NAIA District 17 title, Harding placed Lambert, O'Connor, Westover, and Hubbard on the All-District team. Harding will represent the conference at the national meet in Kenosha, Wis., November 21.



MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY TEAM: Front row, l. to r., Ken Berry, Jimmy Alderdice, Steve Hubbard, Jason Fitzgerald. Second row: Shaun Perry (Tr.), Roy Alston (Tr.), Mitch McCohn, Carter Lambert, Jerry Harris, Joe O'Connor. Third row: Joe Boyle (Coach), Travis Crowe, Alan Adams, Jeff Westover, John Woodell, Tomy Sitton, Ted Lloyd (Coach).



1981 DISTRICT CHAMPIONS — The Harding Women's Cross Country team won the NAIA District 17 Championship with a victory at Batesville November 11. Coached by Ted Lloyd and Joe Boyle, the Bisonettes competed in the NAIA National Meet at Kenosha, Wis. November 21.

Bison Netters Sweep Hendrix Invitational

In an outstanding team performance, Harding swept the highly regarded Hendrix Invitational Tennis Tournament with junior David Redding capturing the number one singles title October 2-3.

The Bisons rolled up 20 points to defeat Southern Arkansas University and became the first Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference school to win the tournament in 12 years of play. SAU finished with 14 points, and Christian Brothers (Tenn.) was third.

Redding, a native of Nevada, Mo., won the number one singles for the second straight year with a 6-4, 6-2 victory over Bob Lucky of the University of Arkansas at Monticello. He also teamed with Kent Casey of Roanoke, Texas to place second in the number one doubles play.

Harding senior Tommy Tabor of Tucker, Ga. took the number five singles title with a 6-0, 6-4 victory over Bill Claw of UCA. Richard Branam of Bella Vista, Ark. defeated Rick Gardner of Hendrix 6-4, 6-2 to win the number six singles play. Eric Dawkins, a senior from Ketchikan, Alaska, finished second in number three singles, falling to Jeff White of SAU 4-6, 3-6.

The Bisons' number two doubles team of Dawkins and Rex Fowler was victorious with a 6-4, 4-6, 6-4 win over Christian Brothers. Branam and Tabor defeated Central Arkansas 6-4, 6-2 to win the number three doubles.

Swimmers Face Depth Problem

A small but energetic group of swimmers will lead the Harding University Water Buffaloes in the 1981-82 season.

According to Coach Jack Boustead, things look bright for the team. "We've got a good group of men this year," he said. "They've been working since August 31, and I think they are in the best shape ever going into their first meet."

The swimmers spent six weeks working on weights before they started swimming, Boustead said. They now workout three mornings a week and swim two hours every afternoon. "All of the guys are unified on one purpose," Boustead said, "and that is to win the conference championship."

According to Boustead, depth could be a major problem throughout the season. "We only have 11 swimmers this year on the team. That means several people will be doubling up in different races," the coach said.

Veterans returning include co-captains Ben Waites and Steve Froehlich. Waites, a junior from Atlanta, Ga., has steadily improved, according to Boustead, and will swim both middle and long distance races. Froehlich, a senior from Clay, N.Y., will compete for the fourth consecutive year. His strength is the breast stroke, and Boustead feels that he could be a title contender in the AIC.

Another letterman who will be counted on is Richard Denney, a sophomore from Rock Island, Ill. Denney will participate in the sprints and the backstroke events.

Two freshmen who are expected to contribute are Matthew Ford and Ben Andersen. Ford hails from Neptune Beach, Fla.; and Andersen, whom Boustead said can swim everything, is from West Port, Conn.

Eligibility looms as a problem in the diving events. One of the team's five divers will be eligible for only one semester, and one must be voted on to retain eligibility. Senior Jim Davenport of Walden, New York will dive for only the fall semester as he will reach the maximum hour level for athletic competition in the AIC. Richard Andrzejewski, a senior from France, will not compete in the fall semester. A question concerning classes which Andrzejewski took in France is to be considered by the AIC eligibility committee.

Others to be reckoned with are Jay Savage, a junior from Graham, Texas, and Terry Jones, a sophomore from Rogers, Ark. Jones was strictly a swimmer, but when Boustead entered him in the diving competition in last year's conference championship, he responded with a seventh place finish.

The Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference meet is set for February 18-20.

With a decisive victory in the NAIA District 17 cross country meet in Batesville November 11 Harding University won the first NAIA women's championship ever held in Arkansas.

Taking four of the top six places, Harding tallied a team score of 24 points to overcome Arkansas College's 32 team total. Diane Marshall of Arkansas College was the individual winner with a 19:12 time for the 5000-meter run.

Harding junior Marla Upton of Greenwood, Ind. ran a personal all-time best time of 19:25 for second place, and teammate Kim Castle of Longmont, Colo. was third in 19:59.

"We had a super effort," Coach Ted Lloyd said. "The times of our athletes surpassed anything we ever thought we'd be able to do this year."

Harding's third runner to place was Sherry Harris of Lawrenceville, Ga., who clocked 21:12 for fifth position. Senior Sharon Westover of Sidney, Ohio was sixth in 21:30 which bettered her previous best performance by more than two minutes. The Bisonettes' fifth scoring runner was Lee Belew of Romance, Ark., who was timed in 22:32. Tiny Fraley of Turrell, Ark. placed 10th in 24:10, and Gina Hodel of Naperville, Ill. was not able to finish the race.

"I'm really proud of the way the girls competed," said assistant coach Joe Boyle. "They went out with the determination to win."

In a presentation ceremony following the race, District 17 Chairman Harry Olree presented the first NAIA women's championship plaque to the Bisonette team. Olree also announced that Marshall and Murphy of Arkansas College and Upton, Castle, and Harris of Harding were named to the NAIA District 17 All-Star team for their standout performances.

By virtue of the team championship, Harding qualified for the NAIA national women's cross country championship at the University of Wisconsin-Parkside in Kenosha, Wis. November 21.

In Harding's first season of intercollegiate women's cross country, the team has posted a 2-0 record in dual meet competition and placed fourth in the highly regarded Washington University Invitational in St. Louis, Mo.

"Starting a new team is always difficult at best," Lloyd said, "but the enthusiasm and spirit of the girls made it all worthwhile. They are a joy to work with."

Bisons Win Tourney

In a come from behind effort, Harding won its own invitational tournament with a highly charged 70-57 victory over the University of Arkansas-Pine Bluff November 21.

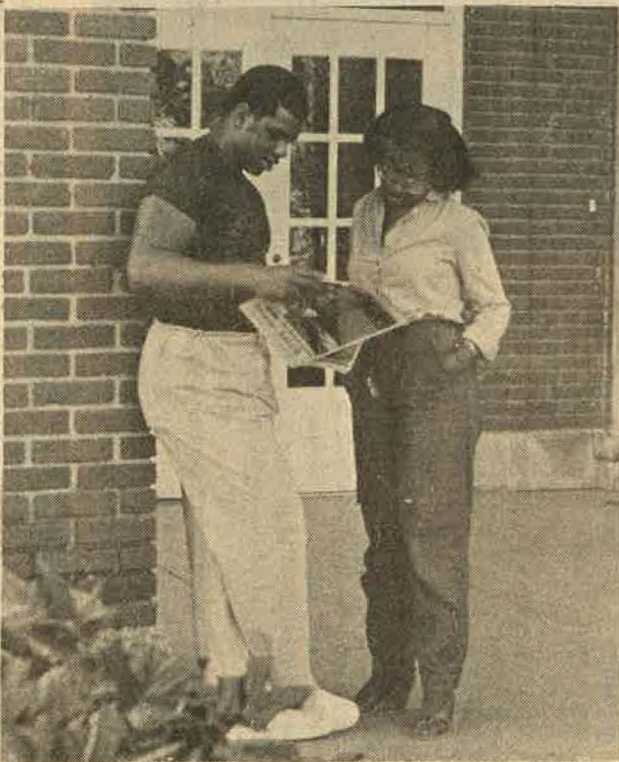
The Bisons earned a spot in the finale with a 62-60 win over Christian Brothers the night before, and overcame cold shooting early to down the talented Golden Lions for the championship.

Charles Gardner led Bison scorers with 18 points, and David Presley finished with 16. Lawrence McNutt scored 11 points, followed by eight for Hubie Smith and seven for Allen Gibbons. Danny Starkey tallied six and Alan Pearson added four to round out the scoring.

An all-tournament team was selected for the tournament and included Presley and Gardner of Harding, James Davis of UAPS, Darrell Spencer of Christian Brothers, and Dan Zoellner of Culver-Stockton.

Presley was named the tournament's most valuable player.

Clockwise, Dr. Jerry Jones, chairman of the Harding Bible Department, speaks during the 58th Annual Harding Bible Lectureship . . . Drum major Bill Anthony of Richardson, Texas directs the Thundering Herd in a halftime number . . . Tyran Baker and Julie Martin relax with conversation in front of Pattie Cobb Dormitory while enjoying the last days of fall weather.



Lisa Bartee, 1981
Homecoming Queen