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Fall Lecture Program Announced for American Studies

Featured in the 1982 fall program of the Harding University American Studies Lecture Series will be Dr. Don Beck, organizer and director of the National Values Center; Jack Evans, mayor of Dallas, Texas; George Gilder author of *Wealth and Poverty*; and Lt. Gen. Vernon Walters (Ret.), United States Ambassador at Large.

The announcement was made by Dr. David Burks, Director of Harding's award-winning American Studies Program.

Beck initiated the fall series September 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the American Heritage Auditorium. He received a Ph.D. degree from the University of Oklahoma, and for 18 years taught at North Texas State University, where he was selected Outstanding Professor in 1969 and Honor Professor in 1970.

Beck organized the National Values Center in 1975 and is actively involved in the fields of human resources development, strategic planning and organizational psychology in the United States and several foreign countries such as Spain, Ireland and South Africa. He acts as a consultant to several large corporations, health care institutions, governmental agencies, professional and college athletic programs, educational organizations and law enforcement agencies.

Evans, a talented businessman as well as politician, will visit the campus October 4 for a 7:30 p.m. address in the George S. Benson Auditorium. He is president and chief operating officer of Cullum Companies, Inc., and has been a successful businessman for 35 years.

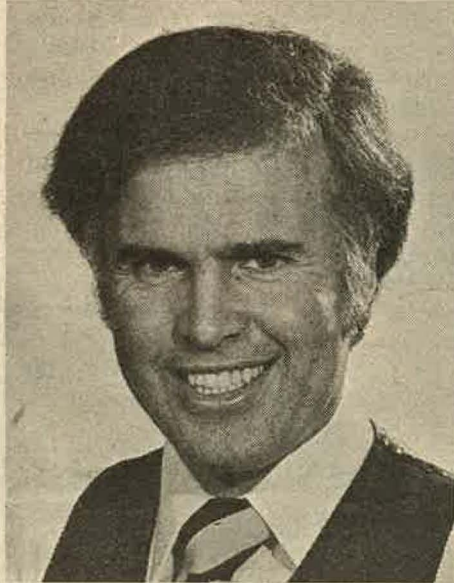
He entered the business field in 1947, opening ten Evans Food Marts before merging with Wyatt Food Stores. After the Kroger Company acquired Wyatt in 1958, Evans was promoted to divisional vice president. In 1966 he joined Cullum Companies as executive vice president of Tom Thumb Stores, and was later promoted to president of Page Drug Stores and executive vice president of Cullum. Since 1977 he has been president of Cullum.

Scheduled for November 8 at 7:30 p.m. is Gilder, a well-known author and lecturer whose book *Wealth and Poverty* has been called "the Bible of supply-side economics" and "the Emancipation Proclamation of 1981." It has also been described as "a powerful statement of hope for the future of free enterprise and free men," and "Promethean in its intellectual power and insight."

Gilder is a graduate of Harvard University, where he studied sociology and government. He is the author of several other books and is a regular contributor to *The Wall Street Journal*, *Harper's Magazine*, *The Washington Post* and other publications. He also lectures extensively throughout the United States and Europe.

Currently Program Director of the International Center for Economic Policy Studies, he has also served as Chairman of the Lehrman Institute's Economic Roundtable. His address will be presented in the 3,429 seat Benson Auditorium.

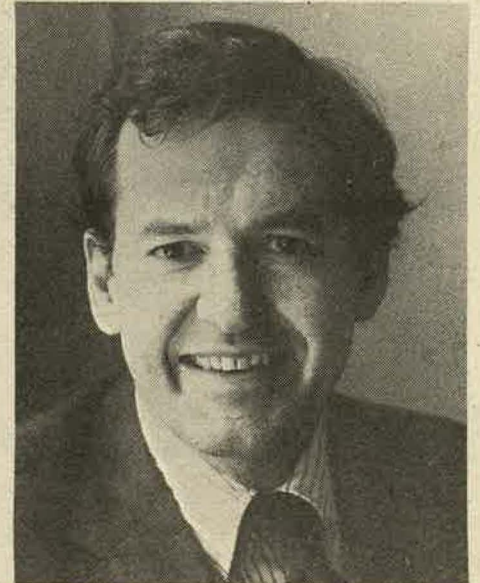
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Don Beck



Jack Evans



George Gilder



Vernon Walters

Oct. 4 is Dedication of Business Center

Dedication ceremonies for the \$1.88 million J. E. and L. E. Mabee Business Center at Harding University have been scheduled for October 4, according to President Clifton L. Ganus, Jr.

Work began on the 34,700 square foot building in the spring of 1981 and it will be open and ready for classroom use at the beginning of the fall semester.

Ganus said, "We will coordinate the building dedication at 4:30 p.m. with our first American Studies speaker of the year, Jack Evans, the mayor of Dallas, Texas. Mr. Evans will speak in our American Heritage Auditorium at 7:30 p.m."

The structure will house the Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guffey Educational Media Center, the Belden Center for Private Enterprise Education, the Center for Management Excellence, an academic computer center, 11 classrooms, the James Hedrick Memorial Conference Room, and 19 faculty offices.

"We are excited about this facility," said Ganus, "because it will enable us to do our work in a more efficient way."

The construction of the business facility is one of the projects in a three-year \$6.1 million development campaign.

Economics Team Repeats National Championship

Harding University's national champion Economics Team successfully defended its title by defeating college and university teams from seven regions in the finals of the 1982 Students in Free Enterprise competition July 25-27 in Dallas, Texas.

The Harding team, which won the championship in 1981 and shared it in 1980 with New Mexico State University, received a first place trophy and a check for \$1,500 for the University's general fund.

Harding's 1981-82 Economics Team was composed of members Paul Holliman (student co-chairman) of Bartlesville, Okla.; Sally Florence (student co-chairman) of Columbus, Ohio; Byron Carlock of Blytheville, Ark.; Susan Collins Miller of Atlanta, Ga.; Debbie Garrett of Brookston, Ind.; Steve Haynes of Little Hocking, Ohio; Penny Hightower of Mt. Pleasant, Texas; Ellen Reid of Sugarland, Texas; and Jeff

Tennyson of Harrison, Ark. Team sponsor is Dr. Don Diffine.

"This proves that our students are more serious," said Dr. Diffine, Associate Professor of Economics and Director of the Clark David Belden Center for Private Enterprise Education. "They got up earlier and stayed up later, and displayed that true Harding commitment to excellence."

"One reason I feel our teams have been so successful is that three years ago we decided to let graduating senior members of the teams pick their replacements. They hand-pick, interview and screen prospective members, then make their recommendations. By this method, we know from the start that we'll be getting well-rounded, qualified, hard-working individuals."

Two other participating institutions which received awards were the College of
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1982-83 Economics Team members are, standing l. to r., Don Diffine - sponsor, Steve Haynes, Byron Carlock, Jeff Tennyson; seated, Ellen Reid and Debbie Garrett.

Ganus Receives Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree

An honorary Doctor of Laws degree was conferred upon Harding University President Clifton L. Ganus Jr. August 7 at the commencement exercises of Pepperdine University in Malibu, California.

Presenting the degree was Dr. Howard White, president of the Frank R. Seaver undergraduate college of the University. One hundred twenty-six students were graduated during the program, which also included the presentation of an honorary Doctor of Laws degree to Larry Roberts, president of Northeastern Christian College in Villanova, Pennsylvania.

Dr. Ganus stimulated the graduating class with an address entitled "Freedom: Friend or Foe." His remarks centered on the contrast between life in China and in the free world, and the balance between license and responsibility.

He is entering his eighteenth year as president of Harding, and his illustrious career spans more than three decades in Christian education. Dr. Ganus earned his

bachelor's degree in history and Bible from Harding and a master's degree in history from Tulane University. He then accepted a teaching position at Harding and was later named chairman of the department of history. He continued his education and earned the Ph.D. in history at Tulane.

In 1952 Dr. Ganus was named dean of the School of American Studies at Harding, and has served in that post until recently. Today the American Studies Program is one of the most highly respected citizenship education programs in the United States, and is the recipient of numerous awards and medals.

An outstanding lecturer, Dr. Ganus has received seven George Washington Honor Medals for public addresses by the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge. He has traveled in over 60 foreign nations conducting studies on the economic, social and political conditions throughout the world. Active as a minister and elder in the church of Christ, Dr. Ganus and his wife, Louise, reside in Searcy.



Harding President Clifton L. Ganus Jr. receives the honorary Doctor of Laws degree, August 7, at Pepperdine University in Malibu, Calif.

Two Students Succumb During Summer Vacation

Two students died this summer, one following surgery and the other as the result of an automobile accident.

Cathy Deanna Dandridge, 19, a sophomore from Somerville, Tenn., died August 11 at the University of Alabama Medical Center in Birmingham following heart surgery. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dandridge Jr. of Somerville.

Funeral services were conducted Aug. 13 at the Somerville Church of Christ by David George and James Teague. Burial was in Thyatira Cemetery in Tate County, Miss.



Deanna Dandridge

Dandridge was a photography major and a member of Sigma Phi Mu social club.

Survivors include her parents; a sister, Debbie JoAnn Dandridge; a maternal grandmother, Mrs. Juanita Hawkins of Senatobia, Miss.; a paternal grandmother, Mrs. Velma Dandridge of Thyatira, Miss.; and her great-grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Hawkins of Clarksville, Miss.

The family requests that memorials be made to the Medical Scholarship Fund in care of the Somerville Church of Christ.

Kenneth Terry Rose, 22, a senior from Dallas, died Aug. 18 when he and a police officer were struck by a car whose driver was allegedly under the influence of alcohol. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy C. Rose of Dallas.

Rose was a chemistry major and a member of Alpha Gamma Omega social club in which he served as athletic director and vice president. He was a beau for Chi Lambda Chi social club and active in in-

tramural sports.

A member of College Church of Christ, Rose was involved in community service activities.

Funeral services were held Aug. 21 and burial was in Laurel Gardens Cemetery in Dallas.

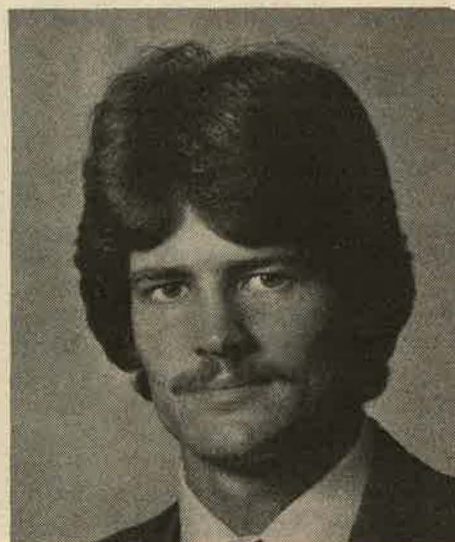
Memorials may be made to a scholarship fund established under his name for seniors who meet specific qualifications and demonstrate financial need.

Nominees for the scholarship must be current Harding students who are entering their senior year and who have completed no fewer than three semesters at Harding. Students applying for the scholarship must demonstrate qualities comparable to Rose: an orientation to serving others, perseverance and self-improvement academically, physically, socially and spiritually.

Nominees will be asked to supply some information about themselves and provide at least three letters of recommendation from faculty members, including one from a Bible professor and two from teachers in other fields. Letters should be turned in to the faculty representative of the scholarship committee no later than April 1.

The scholarship will be awarded yearly and will probably be for one half of tuition.

Nominations for the scholarship may be made by any member of Alpha Gamma Omega social club, of which Rose was a member, or any member of the faculty. Nominations should be turned in no later than March 1 each year.



Kenneth Rose

11 Faculty Members Promoted

Eleven Harding University faculty members received promotions at the beginning of the fall semester.

Five were advanced from associate professor rank to full professor. They are Donald P. Diffine, professor of economics; Clifton L. Ganus III, professor of music; Robert L. Helsten, professor of Bible; Don D. Robinson, professor of art, and Jack D. Thomas, professor of psychology.

New associate professors are Nancy Clark, associate professor of nursing; Patrick Garner, associate professor of speech; and Kenneth L. Johnson, associate professor of accounting.

Named as assistant professors are Levester "Butch" Gardner, assistant professor of physical education; Dwight E. Ireland, assistant professor of psychology and James Walters, assistant professor of Bible.

Administrative appointments that have

American Studies

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Closing out the fall Lecture Series will be Lt. Gen. Vernon Walters (Ret.) on December 6 at 7:30 p.m. in American Heritage Auditorium. A former Deputy Director of the Central Intelligence Agency, he has lived at the center of world history and helped to influence its course over the past 35 years.

He entered Rome with General Mark Clark during World War II, witnessed President Harry Truman's historic Wake Island meeting with General Douglas McArthur, and has served as an interpreter, negotiator, troubleshooter and adviser for six presidents. Most recently, he served as senior aide to former Secretary of State Alexander Haig before his current appointment as President Reagan's Ambassador at Large.

"We are pleased at the caliber of men who will be speaking on our campus this fall," said Burks. "We feel they will uphold the tradition of excellence associated with the American Studies Program at Harding, and we want to invite Central Arkansas residents to attend these informative presentations. I feel it is a unique opportunity for citizens to meet and hear firsthand some of today's top leaders in America."

occurred since the opening of school last fall include Timothy Baird, director of software support of the computer center; Alva Gene Dugger, director of academic computer center; and John W. Nunnally, director of administrative computer center.

The announcements were made at the annual pre-session conference at Camp Tahkodah.

Economics Team

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the Southwest, Hobbs, New Mexico, second place; and the University of Akron, Ohio, third place.

The competition results, combined with five previous regional victories, a second place in national competition, and the two other national titles, firmly established the student-staffed Belden Center for Private Enterprise Education as one of the premier organizations in America that is effectively emphasizing the concept of freedom applied to the market.

Since 1976, the Freedoms Foundations at Valley Forge, Pa. has honored Dr. Diffine, the Harding Economics Teams, and their projects with 11 awards in the categories of private enterprise education, advertising and public affairs, non-profit publications, and platform addresses.

ON THE COVER: The new J. E. and L. E. Mabee Business Center is home for more than 800 business majors this fall, the largest single group of declared majors among the 2,971 students enrolled.

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Guffeys Honored as 1982 Trustee Award Recipients

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guffey of Dallas, Texas were honored as recipients of the 1982 Trustee Award by the Harding University Board of Trustees May 27 in Dallas.

With former Board chairman Richard Burt presiding as master of ceremonies, the Guffeys were presented the annual award by Board Vice Chairman James Cone of Little Rock.

The award, given annually since 1974 to an individual who has contributed significantly in his or her chosen field of endeavor, and whose values are consistent with the principles of Harding University, was presented at a dinner in honor of the Guffeys at the Bent Tree Country Club.

"All of our awardees have started life in a humble way, but because they have lived in America, and had the opportunity to achieve, they shared generously with others, and have been deeply interested in the education of American youth. The Guffeys are very deserving of this honor," Harding President Clifton L. Ganus Jr. said.

The Guffeys, prominent names in the Texas oil business for over 40 years, were married August 29, 1929, in New York City. During their first year of marriage, they moved seven times in order to follow the various oil booms.

The former Josephine Russell, Mrs. Guffey was born in Winsboro, Texas and grew up in Pauls Valley, Okla. She attended the University of Oklahoma, and received a BA in education in 1927.

Born in Columbus Grove, Ohio and raised in Shawnee, Okla., Guffey also attended the University of Oklahoma where he was a football and track letterman, and graduated with a degree in business.

After a two-year stint in pro football with the Buffalo Rangers, Guffey started his career as an oil roughneck in Texas. Perhaps his greatest contribution to the oil and gas business was his innovative switch from steam to power drilling rigs in the early stages of development of the East Texas oil field, where he was active for a number of years.

Guffey also successfully experimented with the use of four-inch O.D. tubing as drill pipe, and is well remembered as the inventor of a rotary drilling unit known as the "Spad" and a later unit for deeper wells known as the "Super Spad." In these operations he participated in designing special tool joints to handle his new equipment.

Guffey went on to form Roy Guffey Drilling Company, which has since expanded to become Roy Guffey Oil Company, in which he is a partner with son, William R. Guffey, who is a member of International Petroleum Association of America (IPAA), Dallas Petroleum Club, Roughnecks Club, Texas Independent Petroleum and Royalty Owners (TIPRO), and is on the board of directors of Highland Park Methodist Church and the University of Oklahoma Foundation.

In 1974, Guffey was presented a special award by being named "Chief Roughneck," a one-year titular honor signifying leadership of oil men the world over.

Mrs. Guffey is an active member of the Dallas Women's Club, Mariann Scruggs Garden Club, Delta Delta Delta Alumni group, Eagle Forum, numerous book clubs, and Highland Park Methodist Church, where she teaches Bible classes and works in the Prayer Tower program.

In addition to their son, the Guffeys have two daughters: Mrs. Jerry Pittman and Mrs. Jim James. All three children live in the Dallas area.

Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guffey, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Guffey, John Guffey, Mark Guffey, Dr. and Mrs. Clifton Ganus Jr., Dr. and Mrs. Richard Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim James, Stephen and Claire James, Mrs. Jerry Pittman and Mary Frances Pittman, E. O. Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. DeWitts, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bright, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. James Cone, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Scarlett, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hambrice, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Cook.



President Clifton Ganus presents the 1982 Trustee Award to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guffey.

National Phonothon Used for \$3 Million Alumni Challenge

Approximately 50 percent of the goal of Harding's \$3 Million Alumni Challenge has been raised. After just two weeks of a national alumni phonothon more than \$1,074,000 in gifts and pledges has been secured.

From September 12 to October 14 volunteer callers on the campus are contacting alumni in the phonothon campaign. During the first weeks of the phonothon almost 4,300 calls were completed. The volunteer callers will be contacting more than 9,000 alumni.

As an incentive for alumni giving, a member of the University's Board of Trustees and a member of the President's Development Council have challenged alumni to give \$2 million over the next five years (1983-87) and they together will make a \$1 million gift. The Board member and the Council member will give \$1 for every \$2 pledged by alumni.

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"In 1974 the Mabee Foundation gave \$500,000 when alumni pledged to give \$1 million. Alumni have the rare opportunity to respond to the largest single fund-raising

challenge in the school's history," said President Clifton L. Ganus.

Each Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings 30 volunteer callers assemble in the ping pong room of the Hammon Student Center which has become the center of phonothon activities. To complete the project by October 14, more than 2500 man-hours will be used in calling the alumni.

Alumni are being asked to pledge \$20 monthly or more from 1983 through 1987. Thus far more than 53 percent of those contacted have made a positive response to the request for pledges or one-time gifts.

"This is an unusual time for Harding. For the next ten years or more we are faced with a declining enrollment because of fewer 18-year olds. Federal financial aid to students has been reduced. Utilities along will be approximately \$1.5 million this fiscal year, despite the use of energy-saving techniques and devices. We must do something to reduce high annual tuition increases lest we price ourselves out of the market of many good students. This alumni challenge is one way our alumni can help us respond to these unusual times," said Ganus.

"Ultimately I believe that Harding's \$3 Million Alumni Challenge will be successful because Christian education is worth our time and our financial support," he added.

A full report on the phonothon will appear in the next issue of the *Harding Bulletin*.

Speech Department Schedules Four Productions for 1982-83

"Four Views of America" has been adopted as the theme for presentations of the Harding University department of speech for 1982-83, with the Homecoming production of "Oklahoma" as the first feature Nov. 5-6.

The others are "The Pride of the Brittons," Nov. 18-20; "The Tavern: A Melodrama," Feb. 24-26 and "The Greatest American Heroes," a children's play with original script, Apr. 21-23.

"Oklahoma" will be a part of the annual Homecoming festivities, with presentations at 8:15 both nights in Benson Auditorium. The play, based on Riggs' *Green Grow the Lilacs*, was winner of a special Pulitzer Prize for Drama and was first produced in 1943. The story of love and rivalry between the farmer and cattleman, the score includes a hit parade of songs such as "Oh What a Beautiful Morning," and "Surrey With the Fringe on Top." Reserved seat tickets are \$3.50.

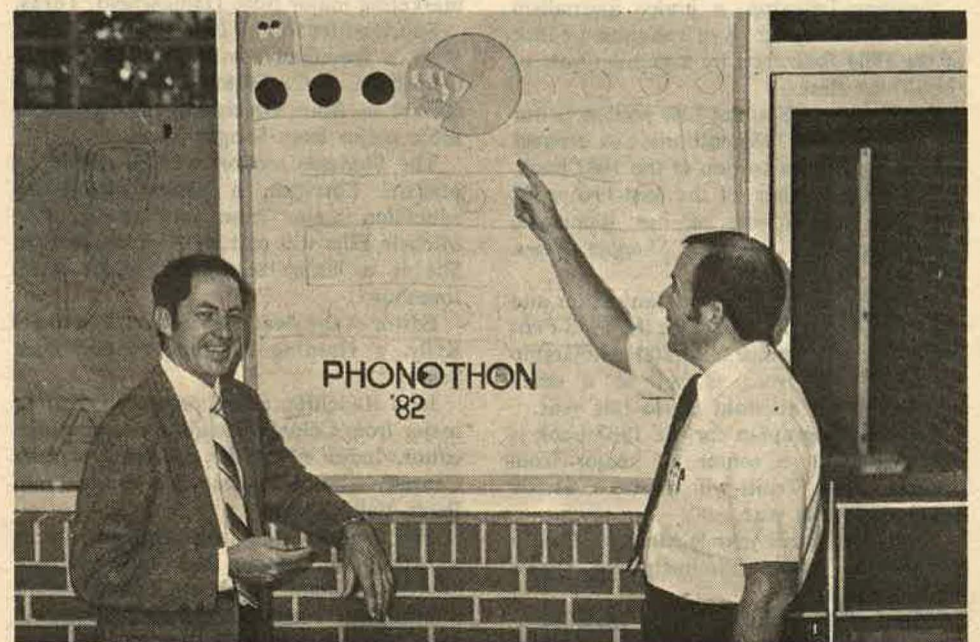
"Brittons" will be presented at 8 p.m. in the administration auditorium. The premiere production of a script by Kenneth Robbins, the play involves the Brittons, who

find themselves caught in the struggle for survival in the blockade of the Civil War. The drama is Harding's entry in the American College Theatre Festival and is available for touring performances. Admission is \$2.50 or Harding ID.

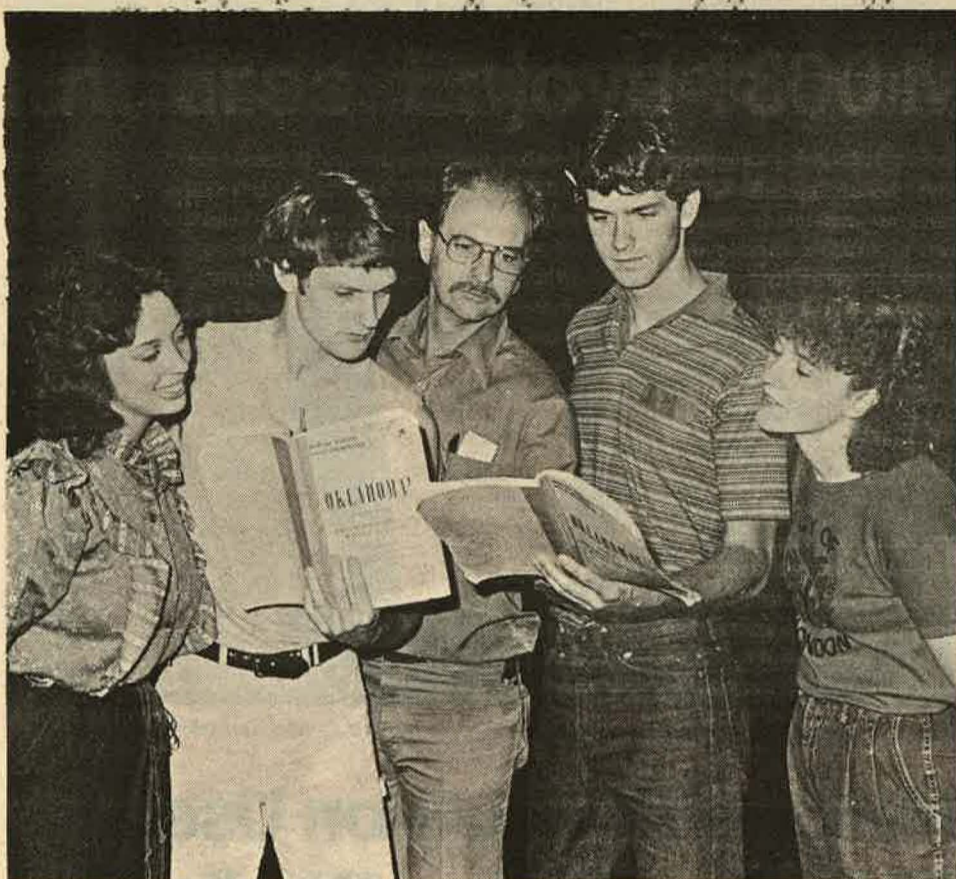
Written by Goerge M. Cohan, "The Tavern" was first performed in 1920 with Cohan starring as the Vagabond. The play revolves around the mysterious events that occur in a tavern during a stormy night. The play will be at 8 p.m., in the administration auditorium. Admission is \$2.50 or Harding ID.

The original script for the children's play to be performed in the administration auditorium will be based on American folktale heroes such as Paul Bunyan and Pecos Bill. The play will be available for touring. Shows will be at 7 p.m., plus a matinee on Apr. 23. Admission is \$2.50, or \$1 for children under 12. A special 50 cent charge will be made for the matinee.

Further information may be obtained from Morris Ellis, Harding University, Box 771, Searcy, Ark. 72143.



David Crouch, right, Director of Alumni Relations, and Mike James, Director of Photography, help chart the million dollar mark of the Alumni Phonothon.



Left to right, Sherry Alkire, Joe Aaron, Director Morris Ellis, Jeff Johnson and Kathy Eaton rehearse for this year's Homecoming musical "Oklahoma," a perennial favorite.

Board Approves Record Budget

A record budget of \$20,512,319 has been approved by the Harding University Board of Trustees for the 1982-83 fiscal year, according to President Clifton L. Ganus Jr.

The total represents an \$811,334 increase over the 1981-82 budget and covers the Searcy undergraduate and Academy programs and the Graduate School of Religion in Memphis.

Of the total, 7.7 million is represented by financial aid which is available to the nearly 3,000 students enrolled this fall. The funds include federal, state and institutional plans in the forms of grants, scholarships and work programs.

For the school year, Harding sponsored scholarship funds available exceed \$1 million. These funds cover academic, departmental, athletic, endowed, missionary, orphan and foreign scholarships.

"The financial aid situation is one that is constantly changing," said Lott Tucker, vice president for finance. "Under the present guidelines, fewer students are qualifying for

funds, but those who do qualify are receiving what they need."

Due to the recent changes in federal programs, Tucker said it will be necessary for Harding students and their parents to work closer with school officials in order to meet their financial needs.

"Generally speaking, financial needs should not be looked upon as a barrier to anyone who really wants to attend school," he said. "There is a way to put together the right kind of financial aid package."

Cost increases in tuition, fees and room and board are approximately eight percent, or \$350 per year based on a normal student load.

On the campus, the dedication of the J.E. and L.E. Mabee Business Building is set for October 4. The event will culminate 18 months of construction and the 34,700 square foot facility is in class use for the fall semester. The \$1.88 million building is one of the projects included in Harding's \$6.1 million development program.

1983 Petit Jean Staff Finalized

Suzanne Johnston, a junior journalism major from Paducah, Ky., was chosen editor of the 1984 *Petit Jean* by a popular vote of the junior class.

Johnston was Student Life section editor for the 1981 and 1982 editions. She assisted on the Academics section of the 1982 book. A *Bison* staff writer for the past two years, she also edited one of her hometown newspapers, the Paducah *Shopper News*, this past summer.

Johnston is serving as assistant editor and Student Life section editor for the 1983 *Petit Jean*. She will receive a \$1,500 scholarship as editor next year as well as a small scholarship as assistant editor this year.

Head photographer for the 1983 book is Darrell Truitt, a senior art major from Amana, Iowa. Truitt will receive a \$1,500 scholarship this year.

Copy editor this year is Mariann Cox, a sophomore public administration major from Newnan, Ga.

Sherri Chapman, a junior mass communications and advertising major from Mountain Home, is Social Clubs section editor. Nancy Thompson is editor of the Organizations section. She is a junior

marketing major from Daingerfield, Texas.

Sports editor for the 1983 edition is David Wall, a freshman advertising major from Goldsboro, N.C. Editor of the Scholars section is Alan Greenhaw, a sophomore Bible major from Sanger, Calif.

The Students section will be edited by Michael Corrigan, a junior elementary education major from Jacksonville, Fla. Michele Ellis will edit the Honors section. She is a junior economics major from Jonesboro.

Editor of the Academy section is Michael Kelly, a Harding Academy senior from Searcy.

John Radcliffe, a sophomore advertising major from Colonial Heights, Va., is photo editor. Index editor for the book is Jena Conrad, a junior accounting major from Pauls Valley, Okla.

The entire staff participated in a workshop on campus last Saturday conducted by John Clark, the *Petit Jean's* publication consultant from Oklahoma City. The workshop dealt with the fundamentals of yearbook production and was designed to aid staffers to produce work of better quality.

Schedule of Events Homecoming 1982

Friday, Nov. 5

- 1 p.m. Registration opens, Lobby, American Heritage
- 5:30-8 p.m. Black and Gold Banquet, \$5, Heritage Cafeteria - F. W. Mattox, speaker; Doug Lawyer, emcee
- 8:15 p.m. "Oklahoma" in Benson Aud., Tickets \$3.50

Saturday, Nov. 6

- 7:30-9 a.m. Muffin Roundup, Hammon Student Center - Complimentary continental breakfast for alumni
- 9-10:15 a.m. Alumni Chapel, Heritage Aud. - Class of '57 in charge
- 10-11:15 a.m. Social Club Reunions
- 11:15-12 Noon Belles and Beaux, Administration Auditorium
- 12:30-1:30 p.m. Class of '57 Luncheon, Olen Hendrix Bldg.
- 2 p.m. Football Game, Bisons vs. Southern Ark. Univ.
- 4 p.m. Reception for Morrilton Alumni, Olen Hendrix Bldg.
- 6:30 p.m. Blackouts Variety Show, Administration Aud., 50¢ admission
- 8:15 p.m. "Oklahoma," Benson Aud.
- 8:30 p.m. Blackouts Variety Show, Administration Aud., 50¢ admission

Classes

- Class of '32 - Dutch treat luncheon, Patti Cobb Dining Room - 12:15 p.m.
- Class of '42 - Buffet, home of Cliff Ganus, 208 S. Cross - After game
- Class of '47 - Buffet, home of Bob Helsten, 41 Harding Dr. - 5 p.m.
- Class of '52 - Light supper, home of Alice Ann Kellar, 1410 Randall - 5:30 p.m.
- Class of '57 - Dinner, Harris Cafeteria, Courtsquare - 7 p.m.
- Class of '67 - Pizza Hut East - 6-8 p.m. - (Short program at 7 p.m.)
- Class of '72 - Reunion at College Church fellowship room - 5 p.m.
- Class of '77 - Reunion at Harding Academy Home Ec. room - 5 p.m.
- Football Players and Cheerleaders - Athletic Center, Room 100, After game

Clubs - 10-11:15 a.m.

- Alpha Gamma Omega - Home of Larry Long, 1 Wiseman Pl. (Breakfast)
- Alpha Omega and Delta Chi - Game Room of Student Center
- Ko Jo Kai - Heritage Room
- Phi Delta - Bible Building, Room 111
- Tri Kappa and Kappa Sigs - Bible Building, Room 206
- Oege - Bible Building, Room 207 (Brunch)
- GATA - College Church Fellowship Room

Reunions

10,000th Graduate Recognized

When Yvette Autrey received her diploma in spring commencement ceremonies in May, she became the 10,000th graduate to receive a degree from Harding.

A fashion merchandising major, she was a member of Ka Re Ta women's club, serving as president one year. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Autrey of Yorba Linda, California.

Currently she is employed in management training as an assistant apparel manager with K Mart Discount Stores in Little Rock.



Yvette Autrey

Lyle Chosen for National Committee

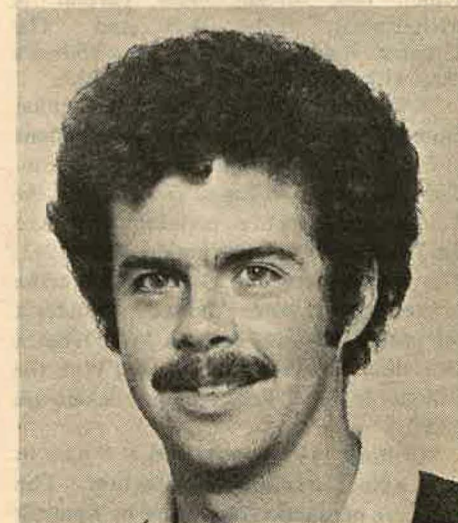
Mike Lyle, a senior at Harding University has been appointed to the national budget committee of Kappa Delta Pi, an international education honor society.

A 1979 honor graduate of Edmond Memorial High School in Edmond, Okla., Lyle will serve as a member of the committee until the biennial meeting of Kappa Delta Pi in Montreal in 1984.

"This is a very significant honor," chapter sponsor Dr. Ed Sewell said. "And one in which all the chapters in Arkansas can be proud."

Lyle is an English major who served as president of the Harding Nu Lambda chapter of Kappa Delta Pi during the 1981-82 school year. He represented Harding as a delegate to the international convention at San Antonio, Texas in March of this year. Lyle also is a member of Sigma Tau Delta, an English Honor society.

The 21-year-old Lyle is married to the former Teresa Autry of Nashville, Tenn.



Mike Lyle

Four Elected to Positions in Harding Alumni Association

Results have been finalized in the recent election for officers of the Harding University Alumni Association, and several Searcians will be assuming new positions in November. Dwight Smith of Searcy was chosen President-elect. He will take office in November 1984. Dr. David Smith, a cardiologist in Little Rock, will become President this fall at the annual alumni meeting.

Officers' terms are for two years.

Pat Young of Searcy, Dr. Donald Brown of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Gwen Futrell Campbell of Memphis, Tennessee have been elected Vice Presidents of the Association. They will begin their duties on November 6, according to David Crouch, Director of Alumni Relations at Harding.

Dwight Smith graduated from Harding in 1960 with a bachelors degree in physical education. He served as athletic director at Northeastern Christian College in Villanova, Pa. and also as minister for the church of Christ in Tabernacle, N.J. He is currently campus minister for the College church in Searcy. He and wife, Barbara, have three children: Tanya, Chuck and Dirk.

Pat Young earned a bachelors degree from Harding in 1957 in business education and immediately went to work for the University. She has been with the school for 26 years and is cashier and office manager in the Business Office. She is a member of Harding Business Women and a life member of Associated Women for Harding, and received the Distinguished Staff Award in 1975.

Dr. Brown, Class of 1955, attended Purdue University for two years and then to Georgia Tech, where he received the Ph.D. degree in 1963. He currently is senior development engineer, patent division, with Phillips Petroleum Co. He is a member of the President's Development Council at Harding and is married to the former Jo Anne King. They have three children: Scott, Delany and Thomas James.

Mrs. Campbell is a mother and homemaker, and graduated from Harding in 1949. She has been active in fund-raising projects for Greater Atlanta Christian Schools and was appointed to the City

Beautiful Commission while living in Memphis, Tennessee. She has also been a camp counselor and ladies' Bible class teacher. She and husband, Leo, have four children: Claudia, Carol, Price and Jane.

Dr. Smith, Class of 1967, graduated from the University of Missouri School of Medicine. In 1973 he was listed in *Outstanding Young Men of America*. He is a member of the President's Development Council at Harding and is married to the former Linda Byrd. They have two children, Jennifer Rene and David Lucas.

The Harding Alumni Association is comprised of the more than 21,000 alumni who have attended the institution. Alumni now live in all 50 states and in 49 foreign countries.

Draw Nets Twice Red Cross Quota

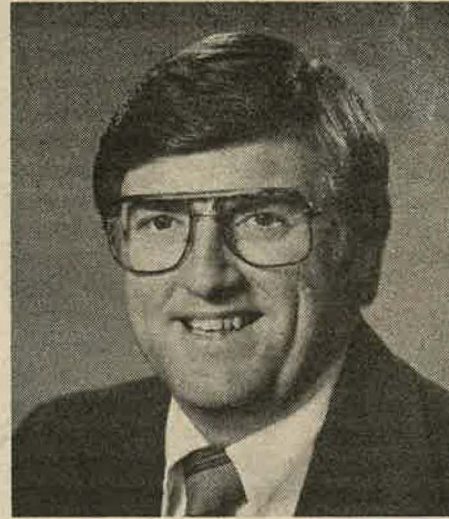
The White County Chapter of the American Red Cross sponsored their annual fall blood draw at Harding University September 13-16. With a goal of 800 units, 916 units were received according to County Blood chairman Eddie Campbell.

The Compassionate Blood draw was dedicated to four Harding students and their families, Ken Rose, Deanna Dandridge, Chris Becker, and Lee Hamm. Two of the students were killed this summer in auto related accidents. One is suffering from cancer and the other is in a coma.

Each year White County Chapter conducts four blood draws at Harding, beginning with this, the second largest draw. Others are held for three days in December, four days in April, and one day in June.

A new Student Auxiliary of the American Red Cross was recently organized and approved by the Student Affairs Committee two weeks before the draw.

Sophomore Martin Owens, student coordinator of the blood draw and member of the White County Red Cross Board, decided that an auxiliary would be beneficial to the community and the students. Membership is open to all Harding students, faculty, and staff. Its main objective is to teach and instruct students in first aid, Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation, and the Disaster Service Program. The



Dwight Smith



Pat Young



Don Brown



Gwen Campbell

members will also help with Harding University Blood drives and assist the White County Red Cross Chapter.

Owens stated, "I decided to organize this for the purpose of motivating students to participate in community activities."

According to Campbell, the blood draw more than doubled the 381 unit quota set by the Red Cross.

Some members of the White County Red Cross who are qualified instructors will come to the campus at various times to give courses to the auxiliary. These will include an eight-hour course in basic first aid, an

eight-hour course in CPR, a shorter course dealing with major disasters such as tornadoes, plane crashes and nuclear disasters, and swimming training.

One of the goals of the auxiliary is to become self-sufficient within two years. Owens hopes that by then, volunteers on the campus will be able to teach new volunteers the methods of coping in an emergency.

Other officers were elected. They are Debbie Young, vice president; Kathy Moss, secretary; Blake Eubanks, chaplain; and Darrell Gentry, treasurer.

New Faculty Added

Eighteen new members have been added to the faculty at Harding University for the fall semester. Five have joined the School of Nursing, two the School of Business and the others are in the College of Arts and Sciences.

Nursing additions are Anna Chambless, MNSc, Ann Canaday Clardy, MNSc, and Helen Lambert, MSN, assistant professors; and Glenda McClary, BSN, and Patty Woods, BSN, associate instructors.

Joining the School of Business are David Johnson, MBA, CPA, instructor in accounting; and Marlea Johnson, BA, associate instructor.

Three have been added to the department of music, including Arthur Shearin, DMA, associate professor; and Warren Casey, MME, and Neva White, MM, assistant professors.

The others are Louis Butterfield, EdS, assistant professor of speech; Alan Edwards, MA, instructor in sociology; Loleta Higginbotham, MAT, instructor in home economics; James Johnson, MSW, instructor in social work; Bill Lambert, MA, assistant professor of English and Bible; Randall Maddox, BS, associate instructor in mathematics; Lambert Murray, PhD, assistant professor of physics; and Gailyn G. VanRheenen, MA, visiting professor of missions.

Spring Sing '83 Hosts, Hostesses Selected

Laura White, Veronica Williams, Art Woods and Mark Evans were announced September 9 in chapel as hosts and hostesses for Spring Sing to be April 1 and 2, 1983.

Miss White is a sophomore voice major from Searcy. She is a member of the A Cappella Chorus and Zeta Rho social club. Last year she performed in the Homecoming musical "Shenandoah" and toured with the Chorus this summer in Europe. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William D. White.

Miss Williams is a junior transfer from Southwestern Christian College in Terrell, Texas. She is a voice major and sings soprano in the A Cappella Chorus. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Williams of Ft. Worth, Texas.

Woods is from Corning, Ark. and is a senior marketing major. He is a member of Chi Sigma Alpha social club and serves as beau for his sister club, Regina. He performs with the A Cappella Chorus and Belles and Beaux, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Woods, Jr.

Evans, one of last year's hosts, was a member of A Cappella Chorus and Belles and Beaux for two years. He worked last summer in the Southern Palace show at Six Flags over Texas and worked this summer as a singer and dancer at Opryland, U.S.A.

in Nashville, Tenn. He is a member of Chi Sigma Alpha social club and is a senior

marketing major. He is from Piggott, Ark. and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Evans.



Laura White, Veronica Williams, Mark Evans, standing left to right, and Art Woods, kneeling, have been chosen as the Spring Sing Hosts and Hostesses for 1983.

'High School Day'

to be Held Oct. 23

Dr. Neale Pryor, Harding Bible professor, lecturer and teacher, will highlight Harding University's fall High School Day October 23. The Saturday program will be held during one of the most beautiful times of the year on the Harding campus, as the many trees will be arrayed in colors as bright as spring flowers, and is an opportunity for young people to see and hear the sights and sounds of Harding.

Activities include musical performances by the "Belles and Beaux" and "Time of Day" groups from Harding, a Bison football game against conference opponent Henderson State University, a slide show about Harding, and a two-part lesson from Dr. Pryor on "Ten Commandments for Young people."

All of the activities will be held in Benson Auditorium except for the football game. Youth directors, especially, should MARK THEIR CALENDARS! Plan to bring a group from your area and spend the day. This will be the perfect opportunity during the fall semester for such a trip, as well as providing entertainment and spiritual encouragement.

3 Choruses Added

Three new music groups — the Troubadours men's chorus, the Bel Canto Singers women's chorus and Commonwealth, a mixed chorus — have been started by Dr. Arthur Shearin, associate professor of music.

Dr. Shearin, a new faculty member, and the music department felt a need for additional choral groups, he said. Because of scheduling difficulties, lack of time and other reasons, many student who enjoy singing have been unable to participate in the A Cappella Chorus or Chorale. These new groups give those students, faculty and others a chance to take part in a singing group, he said.

The Troubadours meet Tuesdays at 3 p.m., and the Bel Canto Singers meet Mondays at 3 p.m. Both groups are joined by audition with the exception of those who are also members of A Cappella or Chorale.

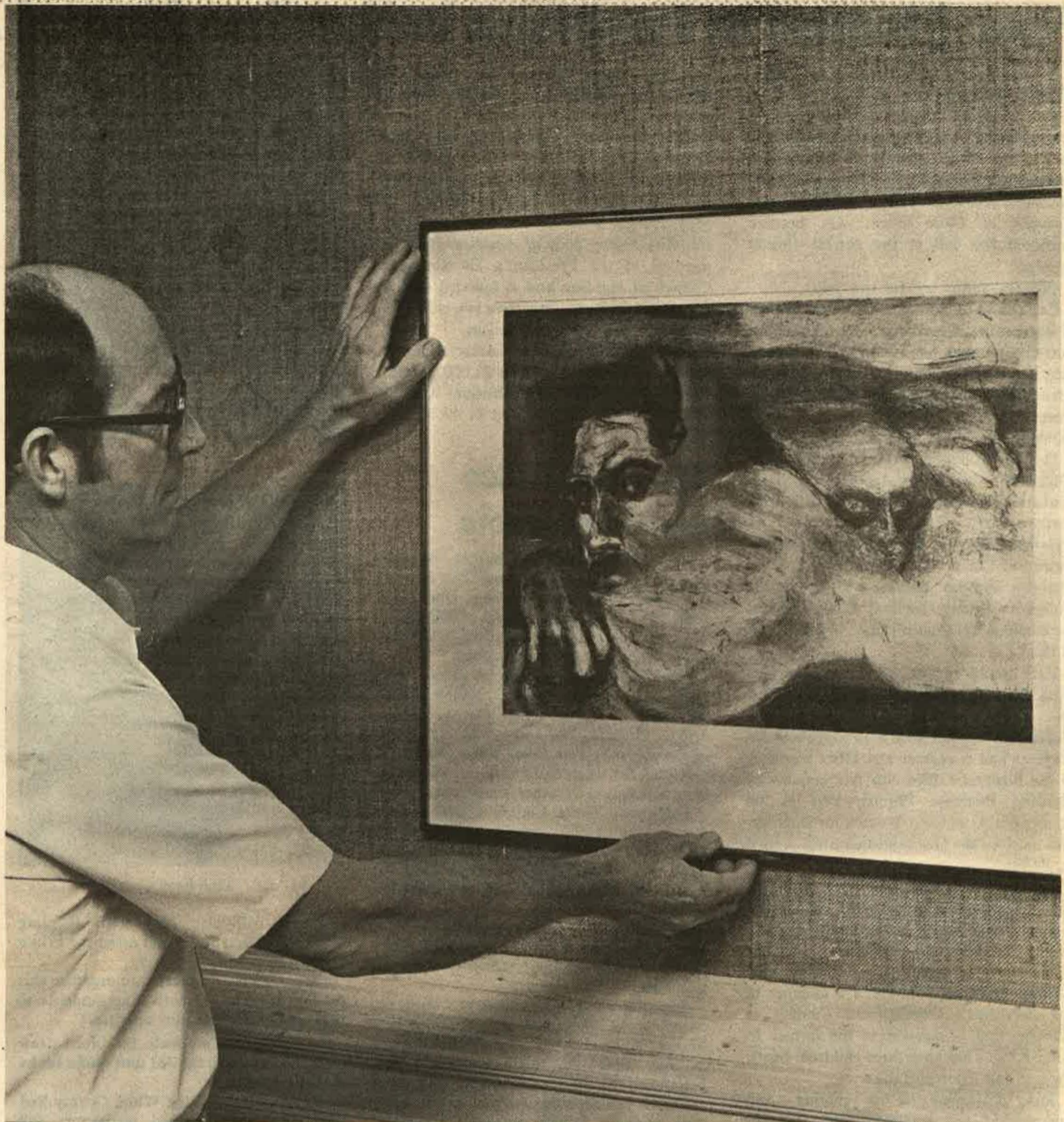
The repertoire of these choruses is more diverse than the other choruses, having secular and accompanied pieces. Their performances are geared toward campus and civic club programs, Dr. Shearin said.

Although these choruses cannot be taken for credit, the mixed chorus, Commonwealth, may be taken for one hour's credit and meets each Wednesday and Friday at 3 p.m. This group also requires an audition. It currently has 45 members.

Dr. Shearin, a Harding graduate, taught here from 1972 to 1974. He then did doctoral work at the University of Colorado, specializing in choral music. For the past six years he was the chairman of the music department at Freed-Hardeman College in Henderson, Tenn.

Campus Calendar

Football: Evangel College, Springfield, Mo.	Oct. 2
American Studies Speaker: Jack Evans, Mayor of Dallas	Oct. 4
J. E. and L. E. Mabee Business Center Dedication	Oct. 4
Lyceum: Riverboat Ragtime Revue	Oct. 5
Football: Arkansas Tech University, Russellville	Oct. 9
59th Annual Harding Bible Lectureship	Oct. 13-15
Football: Southwestern College, Memphis	Oct. 16
Football: Henderson State University, Searcy	Oct. 23
American Studies Program Fall Trip, Houston, Texas	Oct. 24-28
Football: UA-Monticello, Monticello	Oct. 30
Homecoming: Black and Gold Banquet, Blackout, "Oklahoma"	Nov. 5-6
Football: Southern Arkansas University, Searcy	Nov. 6
American Studies Speaker: George Gilder	Nov. 8
Football: Ouachita Baptist University, Arkadelphia	Nov. 13
Football: University of Central Arkansas	Nov. 20



Don Robinson, Chairman of the Art Department, arranges one of 12 works by Sarah Sears, a Harding graduate, entitled "Saul Etchings."

'Saul Etchings' Display Powerful Imagery

A suite of prints about the life and death of King Saul by Sarah Sears, a Harding alumnus, were the feature exhibit at Stevens Art Gallery August 30 through September 17.

The Saul Etchings and other works by the Webster Groves, Missouri artist were on public display from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The exhibit marked the opening of the 1982-83 season at the Stevens Gallery, located in the art center across from the American Heritage building. Don

Robinson, chairman of the art department, said that an announcement for other exhibits throughout the year will be made soon. The shows are open to the public without admission charge.

Sears, who was graduated in 1975 with majors in both art and French, is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Kern Sears of Webster Groves and the granddaughter of Dr. L. C. Sears, Dean Emeritus of Harding.



Don Shackelford, Tom Howard and 31 students prepare to depart the Searcy campus August 30 to attend the Harding University in Florence Program this fall.

Alumnus Seeks to Prevent Drunken Driving

By Sharon Goetting (BA '81)
of the Searcy Daily Citizen

Denise Miller of Searcy, one of five people who addressed the Governor's Task Force on Drunk Driving recently in Little Rock, said she is optimistic about the group's perception of the seriousness of the problem.

Mrs. Miller said, "It is very important that we make people aware of their attitude toward drinking and driving because it is a problem that affects all of us. Drunk driving is the only socially-acceptable form of homicide that exists today."

"More people are killed and more property damage is caused by drunken drivers than any other single reason.

"About the only time the average person comes to grips with the intoxicated driver is when it affects you directly. Most people don't realize, however, that one out of every two of us will eventually be affected in some direct way," she said.

Mrs. Miller, whose husband Harry was killed September 5, 1980 in an alcohol-related traffic accident as he rode his moped home on Highway 36 was asked to give details of the accident and the effect it has had on her family.

The fatality left Mrs. Miller with two children to rear alone, Jennifer, 4 and Michael, who is 7.

She also told of the other driver in her husband's wreck having a record of multiple drinking and driving arrests prior to the accident, and no insurance.

That is one area of the drunken driving problem she has started speaking



Mrs. Denise Miller

out against. She hopes to start a local chapter of concerned citizens to press for stricter enforcement of present laws as well as possible revision of the laws.

She said that one item in particular needs to be changed — getting the classification of first offense arrests changed from a misdemeanor to a felony.

"It's the only area of the law so serious to be considered a misdemeanor," she said. "It's not equitable with the rest of the laws."

"The 'good ole boy' attitude is beginning to change. So often we look at the drunk driver as the victim, rather than the ones he endangers.

"One reason it is not equitable is that drunk driving kills more people every year than murders and the other hard crimes, yet we consider them much more serious." She said she doesn't think a tough law is a cureall, but that it would cut down on alcohol-related accidents and deaths substantially.

"More than 55,000 people are killed in automobile accidents and at least one-half of them are drunk-driver related," she said. "And, one third of those who die are in the 16-24 year old age group."

A local group of volunteers has been organized to address the problems and

Mrs. Miller encouraged those who might be interested to contact her.

Mrs. Miller has been speaking to civic groups in Searcy on the DWI problems, from the dangers of it to the leniency of sentencing. An organizational meeting was held September 7 at the Carmichael Community Center for anyone interested in being in the local chapter.

There would be several aspects of the local group, she said, including: educating the public about the seriousness of the problem; monitoring the local courts to keep a record of the DWI dispositions; and setting up an outreach program for victims of drunk driving. It might also involve lobbying efforts for a new or revised DWI law, she said.

Mrs. Miller indicated DWI first offenders in Arkansas are handed a \$200 fine, one day in jail (often suspended) and loss of license for 60-90 days unless they attend a driving school program.

She described a recently enacted law of Tennessee which, on the first DWI offense renders a minimum \$250 fine and at least two days in jail. Mrs. Miller indicated that the first week of the new law's implementation (July 1-7) there was reported a 37 percent drop in DWI cases in the state.

CAMPUS NOTES

Mary Shock (sociology) spoke on "The Contented Single" Aug. 7 at the singles seminar sponsored by Sixth and Izard church of Christ in Little Rock. . . Byron A. Rowan (finance) completed the College Business Management Institute at the University of Kentucky this summer . . . Ted Lloyd (physical education) lectured on cross country at the Oklahoma High School Coaches Association Clinic July 29. He is planning a Track Coaches Clinic at Harding for early next spring . . . Avon Malone (Bible) spoke at the Mid-South Evangelistic Workshop July 23 in Jackson, Tenn. on the subject, "Standing on the Promises I Cannot Fall" . . . C. Floyd Daniel (development) spoke at the Southern Hills church of Christ in Shreveport, La. June 16 and August 4 on the "The Stewardship of Estate Planning for Christians" . . . Bobby Coker (education) was the commencement speaker at Des Arc High School this year . . . Mike Plummer (biology) attended the joint annual national meetings of the Society for the Study of Amphibians and Reptiles and the Herpetologists' League in Raleigh, N. C. August 1-5. Plummer, Jack Greenshaw (BS'81) and Jim Jacob of Memphis State University presented a paper entitled "Seasonal Androgenic and Testicular Activity in Rough Green Snakes" . . . Jack D. Thomas (psychology) attended the Biofeedback Society of Arkansas Workshop at the Camelot Inn in Little Rock July 23. Topic of discussion was "Essential Hypertension" . . . Stan Green (public relations) was named a Distinguished President of Kiwanis International for the MO-ARK District during 1980-81. Green attended the pre-season Sports Information Directors conference in Arkadelphia for the Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference, and is serving again this year as NAIA District 17 Secretary . . . Charles Walker (business) was named a Distinguished President of Arkansas by Civitan International for 1980-81. The award was presented in Montreal, Canada in July. During his year as president the club experienced a 90 percent increase in membership and was honored as the outstanding small civic club in White County by KWCK-KSER Radio . . . James Walters (Bible) spoke at a retreat for Western Kentucky University in Bowling Green July 17. The topic was "How to Study Your Bible More Effectively." He also conducted a seminar on Colossians entitled "Life Beyond Taste Not, Touch Not, Handle Not," in Lafayette, La. July 23-25 . . . Van Tate (sociology) taught during the spring semester at Harding University; in Florence and spent 10 weeks in Kenya, Africa this summer where he had previously lived for 10 years. He worked with four-student couples from Harding during six of the weeks and did general mission work the rest of the time . . . Neale Pryor (Bible) spoke at Columbia Christian College July 21-23 in Portland, Ore. on "The Gospel of John." He also spoke at the fall meeting of the College church of Christ in Searcy Aug. 29-Sept. 3 . . . Avon Malone (Bible) since May graduation has spoken in meetings at Indianapolis, Ind.; Glasgow, Ky.; Corsicana, Texas; Natchez, Mis.; Greenville, Texas; and Bentonville, Booneville and Malvern, Ark. . . . Edward White (English) conducted a gospel meeting at Shadyside, Ohio in July and plans to attend the Conference on Christianity and Literature Sept. 30-Oct. 1 at Houston, Texas . . . Mark Van Rheenen (accounting) attended a planning session Aug. 22-23 of the Arkansas Society of Certified Public Accountants' Committee for Continuing Professional Education, which is responsible for scheduling over 500 hours of post-graduate education for accountants annually . . . Jess Bucy (physical education) participated in the basketball program of Harding Sports Camps this summer. Many players and coaches express the opinion each year the Harding camp is the best high school basketball camp in the state . . . Henry Terrill (library) was elected Vice Chairman/Chairman Elect of the Government Documents/Microforms Roundtable of the Arkansas Library Association September 13 . . . Terrill, Frank Hayes, Suzanne Spurrier, and Winnie Bell (library) attended the State Arkansas Library Association in Little Rock, Arkansas September 12-13 . . . David Crouch (placement) is serving as Chairman of the College Placement Council's Communications Committee until July 1, 1983.

'The Church: Renewal or Ruin' to be 59th Lectureship Theme

"The Church: Renewal or Ruin" will be the theme of the 59th Annual Harding University Bible Lectureship October 13-16," according to Dr. Neale Pryor, Lectureship director and professor of Bible.

Each lecture will be presented by a well-established gospel preacher or Bible teacher. In all, 32 day and evening lectures are scheduled over the four-day period. Also, Lynn Anderson will present two chapel programs: "What Is Your Crutch?" and "Help My Unbelief."

In addition, several dinners have been planned for different groups, and music performances by the Harding Chorale, A Cappella Chorus, and Academy Chorus are scheduled.

Lectures and speakers include: "The Church of the New Testament," Tom Holland; "The Place of Preaching in the Church," Tom Holland; "Ephesian, The Epistle of the Church," Harvey Floyd; "The Christian Wife and Mother," Clara Shannon; "Easy on the Eyes," Jule Miller; "Church Growth," Mac Lynn; "The Father's Business," Jerry Jones;

"Women's Role in the Church," Judy Miller; "The Church in Acts," Bill Allen; "The Bible and Archaeology," Harvey Porter; "Reaching into the Community," Oliver Rogers; "Developing Leaders," Harvey Porter; "The Whole Body Ministry," Carl Mitchell; "The Church as Viewed in the Book of Revelation," Joe Jones; "Personal Evangelism," Silas Shotwell; "Subliminal Stimulation," Buddy Barwick; "The Christian and Mental Health," Bill Flatt; "The Church in the 1980's," Harold Hazelip;

"Church Discipline — The Neglected Commandment," Harold Hazelip; "Acres of Diamonds," Jule Miller; "Undenominational Christianity," Jimmy Allen; "Graduate Studies for the Ministry," Bill Flatt; "Extremism," Mel Snook; "Fear of Failure — The Grasshopper Complex," Roger Johnson; "The Threat of Division," Bill Sherrill; "The Future of the Church," Bill Teague; "The Reel Thing," Jule Miller;

"Public Schools and Children — Value Clarification," Brodie Harrell; "In the World, But Not of the World," John Davis; "Cults," Ed Sanders; "What Is Right with

the Church?" Neale Pryor; "The Church in the Eternal Plan of God," Avon Malone.

This year's theme was especially chosen in order to sound a note of optimism to those who feel the church is on the decline, Pryor commented. "We feel the Lectureship will address this problem," he added. "The topics and speakers reflect a concern in our Brotherhood today about growth."

"We have continued last year's format," Pryor said, "because we found it to be successful. We feel that having a Saturday session gives more people an opportunity to attend. This makes the second year now that we have scheduled the lectures in this way."

A special display area will be set up in the American Heritage Center for both commercial and non-commercial exhibits. "The cost for a commercial display is \$10," Pryor said, "and space for a non-commercial display is free." Space may be reserved by contacting Dr. Pryor before October 1.

Those attending may find housing in the homes of local church members. For more information concerning the Lectureship see pages eight and nine inside or contact Neale Pryor, Lectureship Director, Box 767, Harding University, Searcy, AR 72143.

Broadcast Scheduled

A seven-station radio network will broadcast the Harding-Southwestern of Memphis football game October 16, according to Ron Sherman, owner and general manager of Searcy radio station KSER.

Included in the broadcast will be stations KFFB in Fairfield Bay, Ark., KCCL in Paris, KDEN and KDW-FM in Dewitt, KAKA in Monticello and KALC in England. The game will be played in Memphis and will begin at 1:30 p.m.

"We're especially pleased that the network will be available," Stan Green, director of public relations, said. "It's a tremendous opportunity for statewide exposure for Harding's athletic program."

Southwestern is an independent private school, and this is the first competition in football between Harding and Southwestern.

ALUMNOTES

WHAT'S NEW

CLASS OF 1950

James D. Mooneyham (BA) of Memphis, Tenn. has been elected Vice President, Data Processing and Purchasing of Southern Central Company, Memphis, a converting division of Bradner Central Company, Chicago, Ill., a 130-year-old paper merchant founded in 1852.



He joined Southern Central Company in 1968 as Data Processing Manager and Purchasing Agent.

Monneyham is married to the former Margaret Chaffin (BA) and they reside with their children at 6342 Manor Ridge Dr., Memphis, Tenn. 38115.

CLASS OF 1957

Alan E. Highers was recently appointed by Governor Lamar Alexander to the Tennessee Court of Appeals. Judge Highers has been Judge of the Circuit Court in Memphis since January 1977 and he will take his place on the Court of Appeals on September 1, 1982.

He and his wife, Sandra, have two children, Mrs. Andra Hurst and Kimberly.

Claudette Harris Alexander (BA) is currently serving as secretary to Dr. Ken Davis, Chairman of Harding's Music Department. Her husband, Fred, is Regional Director for American College Testing Program's Arkansas and Louisiana Division with offices in downtown Searcy. They reside at 15 Indian Trail, Searcy.

CLASS OF 1958

Ed Rockwell is a pilot with Pan American World Airways. He and his wife, the former Myrna Morford ('60), have four children: John, Rebekah Price, Deborah, and Arthur. They reside at 11222 Voltaire Dr., Houston, Texas 77065.

CLASS OF 1962

Edith Faye Woodham Hall (BA) received the M.Ed. degree in Reading and a Ryan Reading Specialist Credential from La Verne University, La Verne, Calif. on July 7, 1982. She is employed as a first grade teacher at Rosamond, Calif. She was recently selected to be the treasurer of the Rosamond Teachers Association for the 1982-83 school year. Her husband, Don, is a security guard in Palmdale, Calif. They reside at 45453 Genoa, Lancaster, Calif. 93534.

CLASS OF 1970

Larry Shelley (M.Th.) is the new Bible Chair Director at Cameron University in Lawton, Okla. He is married to the former Nancy Scott (BA'67) and they have three children: Andrea, 10, Jason, six, and Eric, two.

The family resides at 2319 N.W. 75th, Lawton, Okla. 73505.

Boyce W. McClain (BA) is superintendent of Administration for Costa Christian Schools in Martinez, Calif. Costa serves students from preschool through high school. McClain previously served as youth

minister for the church of Christ in Martinez.

His wife, the former Beth Underwood (BA'71), is a "Special Day" class teacher in Byron Elementary School District. This is a learning and emotionally handicapped class for grades one through six. The family resides at 934 Meadowvale Ct., Martinez, Calif. 94553.

CLASS OF 1971

Layton McCown (BA) has been appointed controller of Centex Corporation, Dallas, Texas. He has been with Centex since 1976, when he joined the company as an accounting supervisor. He was promoted to assistant to the vice president of finance a year later, and previously was with Arthur Andersen & Co. in Memphis. McCown holds degrees in both political science and accounting.

Centex is a diversified, Dallas-based company with operations in home building, general construction, cement, and oil and gas.

McCown is married to the former Teresa Mooneyham (BA'74).

Bruce Stidham (BA) accepted a position as Director of Creative Services for KXII-TV, the CBS affiliate in Sherman, Texas. He is responsible for planning and producing all commercial advertising for the station. For the past nine years Bruce has lived in Los Angeles, Calif. and worked as an actor and literary agent.

Karen A. Darwin (BS) has been promoted to the position of County Extension Agent-Home Economics for Jefferson County, Texas. She is enrolled in the doctoral program at Texas Women's University in Denton, Texas and was selected for inclusion in the 1981 edition of *Outstanding Young Women of America*. Karen resides at 6550 Phelan Blvd. Apt. 126L, Beaumont, Texas 77706.

CLASS OF 1972

Mrs. Bruce Blankenship, the former Paula Paden, received the B.S. degree from the University of North Alabama in May and will be teaching kindergarten at the Colbert County branch of Mars Hill Bible School in Muscle Shoals, Ala.

Mrs. William E. Mitchell, the former Merlyn Weygandt, is a dental hygienist and resides with her husband at 667 Irving St., Winston-Salem, N.C. 27103.

Carol Lagrone Johnson (BA), reading teacher at McArthur Elementary School, has been chosen "Teacher of the Year" for the Escambia School District in Pensacola, Fla.

She was the first reading teacher for the new McArthur Elementary School, an assignment that gave her the responsibility and opportunity of establishing an overall reading program at that school.

She is the wife of Samuel F. Johnson, Jr., an architectural engineer, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lagrone of Montevallo, Ala.

David Jackson (BA) and his wife, the former Kay Crawford (MA'77), have moved to Jackson, Miss., where David is serving as fulltime pulpit minister for the Meadowbrook church of Christ, 4261 I-55 North, Jackson, Miss. 39206.

CLASS OF 1973

Tony Felker (BA) has taken a position as assistant football and basketball, head track



The 1982-83 Bison Cheerleaders are (top row, l. to r.) Cheryl Corbin, Cindy Whitfield, Vicki Peat. Row 2: Jeanne Chambers, Charlotte Bray, Kellee City. Bottom row: Melanie Earnheart, Angie Hutchinson, and Lori Pittman.

coach and teacher at Dallas Christian High School. He has taught the past nine years at Harding Academy in Searcy.

He is married to the former Kay Patton (BA), who will be staying home with their son, Micheal, age two. The family resides at 518 W. 12th St., Dallas, Texas 75208.

Marceline Lasater (BA) received the M.A. degree in 1974 from Sam Houston State University and the J.D. in 1979 from Bates College of Law, University of Houston. She has recently moved to Austin, Texas to join a private law firm after several years of government legal service. The firm is Gibbins, Burrow & Bratton which specializes in products liability and other civil trial work. Her address is P.O. Box 1452, Austin, Texas 78767.

Richard Fowler (BA) has been manager of Finance and Accounting with Ozark Border Electric Coop in Poplar Bluff, Mo. for four years. He has recently been selected to appear in the 1981 edition of *Outstanding Young Men of America*. Upon graduation from Harding, Richard served as an auditor with the Arkansas Public Service Commission in Little Rock.

Fowler is married to the former Barbara Roll (BA'75) who taught sixth grade at Central Arkansas Christian Schools while in Little Rock and more recently taught first and second grades with the Doniphan (Mo) public school system.

The couple reside with their son, David Ryan, at Route 9 No. 4 Carrie Ann Circle, Poplar Bluff, Mo. 63901.

CLASS OF 1974

David Miller is service technician with Hayes Typewriter in Searcy. He and his wife, the former Pamela Stevenson, have three children: Catherine Elizabeth, Phillip Edward, and David Lee. The family resides at Route 1, Box 217-A, Judsonia, Ark. 72081.

Stanley R. Sanderson (BA) received the M.S. degree in 1982 from Abilene Christian University in Religious Education. He is with the church of Christ in Texas City, Texas, as coordinator of evangelist efforts and director of the Montessori Learning Center. He and his wife, the former Kathleen Looney (BS), have two children, Aaron Matthew and Sarah Ruth. The

family resides at 934 23rd Ave. N, Texas City, Texas 77590.

Michael Hanks (BS) received the M.D. degree from the University of Guadalajara in December, 1980, and on April 25, 1981 he married Araceli Nieblas. He is now a resident in pediatrics at Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland. They reside at 127 N. Symington, Catonsville, Md. 21228.

CLASS OF 1975

Alan W. Harris, D.V.M. (BS) has recently become a partner in the veterinary practice of the Animal Care Center, Inc. in Fort Scott, Kan. with three other veterinarians. His wife, the former Valerie Markley, M.S. (BA), has opened a part-time marriage counseling service in the home. They have one daughter, Lisa, age two. The family lives at 523 S. Judson, Fort Scott, Kan. 66701.

David Mangum (BA) received the Master of Arts degree May 16 from Wichita State University. He and wife, Lynette, reside at 325 S. Poplar, Wichita, Kan. 67211.

Dr. Phillip Eichman (MAT, M.Ed.) recently completed the doctorate in Biology from Ball State University, Muncie, Ind. He has accepted a teaching position at Columbia Christian College in Portland, Ore.

He is married to the former Nancy Chaffin (BA) and they have a son, John, three. Their address is Columbia Christian College, 200 N.E. 91st Ave., Portland, Ore. 97220.

Byron W. Howell (BA) has been appointed to serve a three-year term on the Board of Directors for Sharpstown Christian School. He is a computer programmer-analyst for IMSL, Inc. and preaches for the Clayton church of Christ. He resides with wife, Jeanette Riddell (BA'74), and son, Alan, at 10802 Sandstone, Houston, Texas 77072.

D. David Dalton (BA) has accepted a position as Assistant High School Principal at Marion High School, Marion, Ark. for the 1982-83 school year.

He is married to the former Elaine Jorgensen (BA'74) and they have two children Sarah Ruth, three, and Daniel David Jr., one. Their new mailing address is P.O. Box 344, Marion, Ark. 72364.

After Eight Years, An Alumnus Looks at Harding

By Mike Justus

Time becomes a sieve which allows the events of life holding little significance to slip quietly, painlessly away. Left behind is a collection of memories on which pasts are treasured and on which futures are built.

In 1970 Harding College loomed as an invitation for challenge — to study, to compete, to mature, to serve and to walk away a better person for having been her student. That challenge became reality for those of us who knew her then.

Harding provided a springboard of education for professional schools and vocational careers. She ignited the flame of missions that has since permeated cultural and geographical barriers. She shared a heritage that still allows alumni to pause and reflect on the piece of their lives which lies in the foundations of campus buildings and lives in the sounds



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of campus life. It is a piece of life which has been invested and which continually draws interest from and for the investor.

I expected a great deal from Harding but received much more. I left with the satisfaction that my four years had not been wasted. I had been given opportunities to explore my talents, excelling with some and failing with others. I left Harding knowing that challenge in itself was not to be feared but was to be addressed.

I left richer for having been a part of the Harding family in the dormitories, the social clubs, the campus organizations and intramurals.

I left with the beginnings of my own family, having joined a life-partner with whom my religious principles were underscored.

I left knowing that God leads us by permitting us to stumble but supporting us when allowed.

I left thinking that life would dilute my memories of Harding, but I am writing to acknowledge that my memories of

Harding have diluted the strains of life.

As entering freshmen we looked at Harding hoping to find our place as students. Twelve years later we look retrospectively knowing that as students we found our place at Harding, and as alumni and friends Harding has found her place within us.

Editor's Note — Mike Justus [BS'74] was Student Association President his senior year. He completed medical school at the University of Arkansas and is now practicing at The Malvern Family Medical Center, Malvern, Ark. He is married to the former Elaine Shipp [BA'74], and they have two children.

The Public Relations office welcomes articles such as the one printed above for consideration for inclusion in forthcoming publications.

Mail manuscripts to Stan Green, Editor, Box 759, Harding University, Searcy, AR 72143.

CLASS OF 1976

David L. Clark is an electrical engineer for Computer Sciences Corporation. He is married to the former Linda Mae Franklin (BS'73) who recently took a leave of absence from teaching. They reside at 115 Catherine Dr., Owens Cross Roads, Ala. 35763.

Thomas W. Crafton (BS) has recently been appointed President of Defensive Security Southwest, a major independent distributor of leading alarm lines. Crafton previously served as Vice President of Finance, and has extensive business background. He has received numerous recognitions, including *Outstanding Young Men of America* and *Who's Who in the West*. He received the Master of Business Administration degree from Pepperdine University in 1980.

Crafton is active in various organizations including the National Association of Accounting, Lions Club, and the American Cancer Society.

Defensive Security maintains corporate headquarters in Jasper, Texas, with offices in Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, El Paso, and Ft. Worth.

Neil Swain (BA) has been promoted to lieutenant in the U.S. Navy. Neil is presently stationed at King's Bay Naval Submarine Base where he is officer in charge of the Explosive Ordinance Disposal Detachment. Neil is married to the former Sheila Rhodes (BS'77). They reside with their two children Kelly and Nathan, at 214 S. Julia St., St. Marys, Ga. 31558.

Jeff Schlender, a former member of Harding's "Time of Day" singing group, is singing popular religious music with a group called "Promise." The group came in second out of 60 groups in Atlanta, Ga. recently in competition. Jeff is married to the former Vickie Potts ('77) and they reside at 505 Yellowstone Dr., Birmingham, Ala. 35206.

CLASS OF 1977

Russ Dyer (BA) has recently moved to Guthrie, Okla. to preach for the church there. He and his wife, the former Paula Wright ('80) and son, Joshua, reside at 1827 W. Vilas, Guthrie, Okla. 73044.

Thomas G. Justus (BS) received the O.D. degree from Southern College of Optometry in June where he was a member of Beta Sigma Kappa, International Optometric Honor Fraternity, and was named to *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

He and his wife, the former Leah Formby (BA), reside at 428 Clardy, Malvern, Ark. 72104 where he has opened his office for the practice of optometry.

Dan Stockstill (BA) accepted the challenge to work with the church of Christ in Aurora, Mo. in June, 1982. For the past two years he has worked with a congregation of the Lord's people at Senatobia, Miss. There he served as Minister of Education, Youth, and Campus. Dan will be preaching in his new work effort. Dan was selected as one of the *Outstanding Young Men of America* for three consecutive years (1979-1981). During his work at Harding Graduate School of Religion he received the Velma West Greek Award (1980).

Dan and his wife, the former Cindee Mansur (BA'76), have two daughters, Daisha and Claudia. The family resides at 907 Tyler, Aurora, Mo. 65605.

Dr. Michael Murphy (BA) received the M.D. degree from the University of Missouri Medical School May, 1982. He has begun a three-year family practice residency program with St. Francis Hospital in Peoria, Ill. He is married to the former Marcia Johnson (BSN), and they have a two-year-old daughter, Monica. The family resides at 2525 W. Ardmore, Peoria, Ill. 61604.

Phillip T. Goad (BS) received the Doctorate in Interdisciplinary Toxicology in May, 1982, from the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences in Little Rock.

While conducting research at the National Center for Toxicological Research, he received such scholastic honors as inclusion in *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities* and the *National Dean's List*.

Dr. Goad's research concerning the toxicity to the fetus of alcohol consumption by pregnant mothers gained national attention when he received the Mead-Johnson Excellence of Research Award at the 1982 National Student Research Forum.

He is employed as staff toxicologist at Intox Laboratories, Inc. of Little Rock and serves as head of the Developmental-Reproductive Toxicology Department.

His wife, the former Starla Jarrell (BA'76), is a homemaker and care for their two-year-old daughter, Rachael. The family resides at 5204 W. 13th St., Little Rock, Ark. 72204.

James Edmonds II (BS) is currently serving as Director of Alumni Relations and Estate Planning for Freed-Hardeman College. He is listed in the 1981 edition of *Outstanding Young Men of America*. His wife, the former Susan Cannon (BA) is a receptionist for an optometrist.

The couple lives at 225 East 3rd, Henderson, Tenn. 38340.

David L. Bearden (BA) is minister for the Maryland Heights church of Christ. He and his wife, the former Vicki Davenport ('80), have two children, Angela, three, and Alisha, 13 months. The family is at home at 107 Midland, Maryland Heights, Mo. 63043.

CLASS OF 1978

James F. Sudbury (BA) received the M.A.R. degree in May from the Harding Graduate School in Memphis. He is an account executive with E.F. Hutton in New Orleans, La. His wife, the former Andrea Scott ('80), is billing clerk with Artistic Florist. They reside at 209 Normandy, Slidell, La. 70458.

CLASS OF 1979

Richard Luther Corwin (CCP) is associate minister for the church of Christ in Carbondale, Ill. He completed the M.Th.

degree at Harding Graduate School of Religion May 15, 1982. He and his wife, Roxanne, can be reached at P.O. Box 435, Carbondale, Ill. 62901.

Miss Chris McKenzie (BA) received the M.Ed. degree May, 1982 from the University of Arkansas. She resides at 22 Brooklawn Dr., Little Rock, Ark. 72205.

Eugene Conner (BS) is CPA and senior accountant with Arthur Young & Co. in Dallas, Texas. He was named to *Outstanding Young Men of America* for 1982.

Conner received a fellowship to attend the 11-month fulltime MBA program at the University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Business beginning August 30, 1982. He will be on a leave of absence from Arthur Young & Co. to attend school. He resides at 701 Hardwood Trail, Mesquite, Texas 75150.

Rodney W. Porter (BS) is a third year medical student at the University of Arkansas. He was selected to the *Outstanding Young Men of America*. His wife, Joan, is a Spanish teacher with Little Rock School District. They reside at 5206 Nelson, North Little Rock, Ark. 72118.



1982-83 Time of Day members are l. to r. David Slater, Wayne Bailey, and Kent Wells.

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William Joseph Clark (BA) has accepted the position as head of the music department at Forth Worth Christian School and began teaching in August. He is teaching vocal music primarily. He and his wife, Becky, live at 7640 Terry Dr., Fort Worth, Texas 76118.

Sammie L. Berry (BS) has been promoted to senior accountant with Price Waterhouse in Duncanville, Texas. Upon informing the Alumni Association of his advancement, Richard Chapman of Price Waterhouse stated, "We appreciate your giving him the excellent education which has contributed to his advancement in the business world with Price Waterhouse."

Berry is married to the former Renee Ruffin (BA). They reside at 1143 Aspen, Duncanville, Texas 75116.

Sam Ross (BS) received the MBA degree in 1980 from Tennessee Technological University and is comptroller with National Coal and Recovery in Kingsport, Tenn. He was selected to appear in the 1980 edition of *Who's Who Among America's College and University Students and Outstanding Young Men of America* in 1981.

Ross is married to the former Pamela Lynn Perkins (BA'81) who is an elementary resource room teacher. The couple lives at 1109 Fordtown Rd., Kingsport, Tenn. 37663.

Amos ('81) and Anne Marie Waller (BA) Allen left in August to go to Kenya, East Africa to begin working to share the gospel with the people there. The work is sponsored by the Hunter Station church of Christ in Montgomery, Ala.

J. H. Lemmons (BA) is working fulltime for AT&T in Piscataway, N.J. as computer programmer. He is also part-time minister for the church of Christ in New Egypt, N.J.

Lemmons is married to the former Wanise Brewer (BS) and they have two daughters; Jennifer and Amanda. The family resides at RFD 1, Box 232, New Egypt, N.J. 08533.

CLASS OF 1980

Scott P. Dawkins has accepted a position with Columbia Christian High School in Portland, Oregon. His wife, the former Nancy Wilson (BS) is working as a computer programmer-analyst and pursuing the MBA degree at Portland State at night.

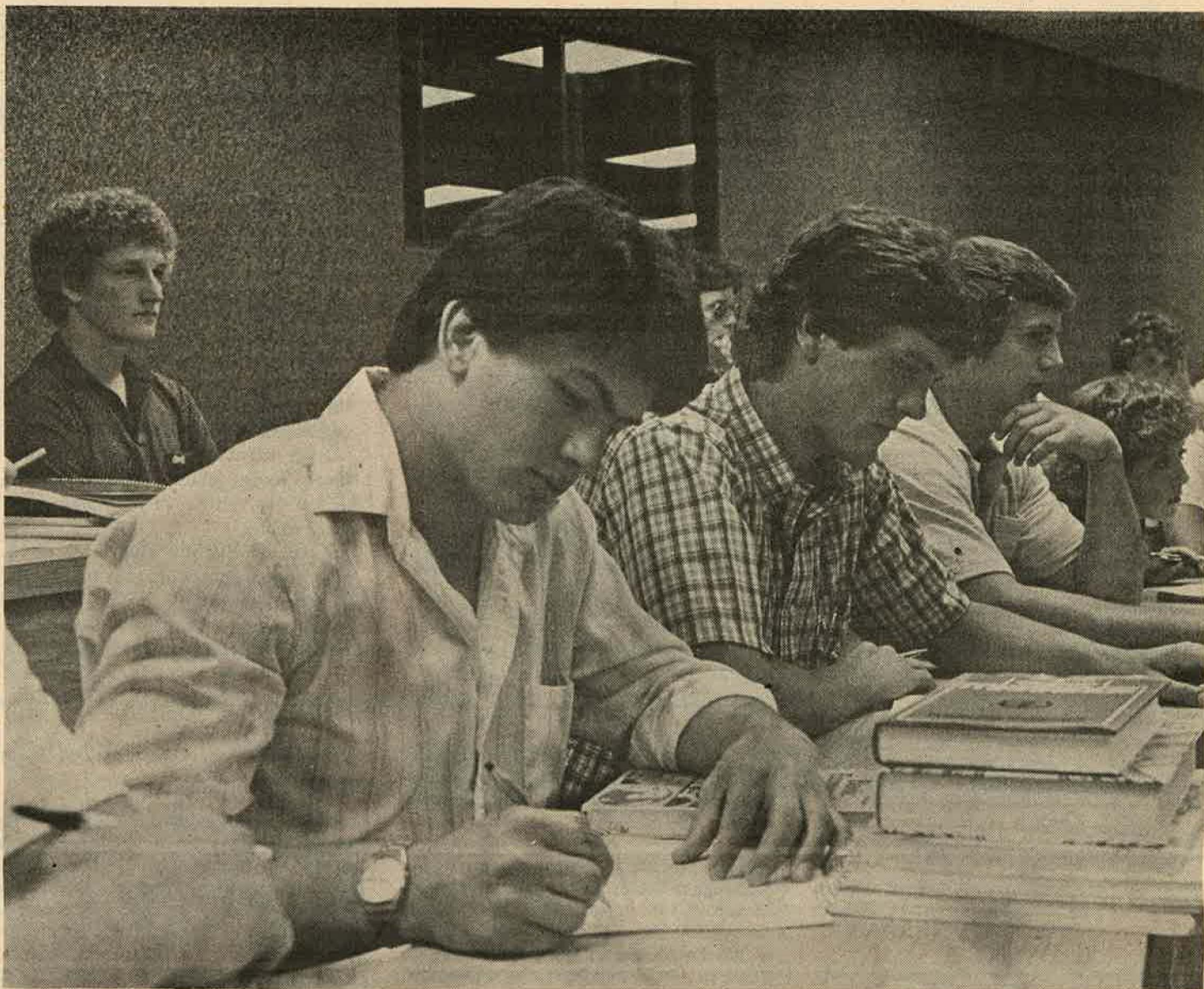
Dan Sears (BS) is a junior at The Indiana University School of Medicine where he has been awarded for the third consecutive year the E.B. Rinker Academic Fellowship. He resides at 48 Lansing St., Indianapolis, Ind. 46223.

David P. Osborn (BA) began his third year in the Industrial Organizational Psychology doctoral program this fall at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville. His wife, the former Phyllis Higgins (BBA'81), is working as the administrative assistant to the campus minister at UT. The Osborns reside at 1821 Melrose Ave., Knoxville, Tenn. 37916.

CLASS OF 1981

Joe F. Alexander (BS) has an assistantship to Memphis State University and is working toward an MBA in Marketing. He has just been selected to appear in the 1982-83 edition of *Outstanding Young Men of America*. He resides at 794 Greer, Memphis, Tenn. 38111.

Robert W. Harrington (BA) received the MAR in Counseling in May from Harding Graduate School of Religion in Memphis. He is accounts manager with Goliath Tractor Service in Calgary, Alberta, Canada. He also teaches in a preaching school. He and wife, Cindy Higgins (BA'80),



Students enjoy class in one of the 11 new classrooms contained in the J. E. and L. E. Mabee Business Center.

reside at 133 210 86th Ave. S.E., Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2H1N6.

Evelyn Bowland (BA) is teaching at Atlantic Christian High School and is also cheerleading sponsor. She resides at 8971 Sunset Dr., Apt. 230, Miami, Fla. 33173.

Norwood "Woody" Square (BA) is attending Pepperdine University with a major in Theology and preaching during the summer. He resides at 3521 Solano Ave., Richmond, Calif. 94805.

John L. Permenter is an electronic technician with Triad Systems Corp., Santa Clara, Calif. His wife, the former Michele Hutton (BBA'80), is a tax accountant with the same company. The couple resides at 777 S. Mathilda No. 281, Sunnyvale, Calif. 94087.

Fred Strasser (BA) has been working as the full-time minister with the church in Henderson, N.C. since his marriage to Rebecca Jordan (BSN) in August of 1981. She is an RN with Maria-Parham Hospital in Henderson, working on a surgical floor. The couple resides at 119 Hamilton St., Henderson, N.C. 27536.

Kelly Kemp (BBA) and his wife, Lee Ann Jones (BA) have recently moved to Pauls Valley, Okla. where Kelly is employed by Halliburton Oil Services as a Field Service Operator trainee. They have a four-month-old son, Jared Paul. The family resides at Route 1, 203 Arrowhead, Pauls Valley, Okla. 73075.

David Edward Satterfield (BBA) is currently associate manager of Cloth World, while wife, Cheryl Ballenger (BA) is Accounts Representative with National Data Corp. They reside at 1999-D Woodlake Dr., Marietta, Ga. 30060.

Monty L. Lynn (BA,BS) is a graduate student at Cornell this year. He is also enrolled in the Ph.D. program at Brigham Young University.

CLASS OF 1982

Judy Beckman (BBA) has accepted a position as accountant with Arthur Andersen & Company. She resides at 6171 E. Northwest Hwy. No. 2343, Dallas, Texas 75231.

Steven P. Smithbauer received the BA degree in Bible in May from Ohio Valley College, Parkersburg, W.Va. He is minister for the church of Christ in Cameron, West Virginia. He and wife, Teena, and son, David Paul, reside at 78 High St., Cameron, W.Va. 26033.

Sue Coker (BA) is teaching second grade at Greater Atlanta Christian Schools, Atlanta, Ga.

Janet C. Chester (BA) is attending physical therapy school at the University of Tennessee in Memphis. She resides at 1097 Ivy Rd., Memphis, Tenn. 38117.

MARRIAGES

Rush Clifford III ('75) to Gwendolyn Kay Rogers (BS'80) May 15, 1982 in Memphis, Tenn. Rush is building manager for Memphis State University. The couple resides at 1618 Massey, Memphis, Tenn. 38119.

Patricia D. Ladd ('75) to Joe L. Morrow December 27, 1981. Pat is a kindergarten teacher at Maynard Elementary School, Maynard, Ark. Joe is elementary principal at Westside School, Egypt, Ark. Their address is Box 292, Reyno, Ark. 72462.

Timothy D. Ashley (BS'76) to Pamela Faye Gaffey July 17. Tim graduated from medical school June, 1980 and is currently in a family practice residency program in Jackson, Miss. The couple resides at 215 Lorenz, Jackson, Miss. 39216.

William Henry Folmer III ('79) to Rhonda Lynn Harrell May 8, 1982 in Bedford, Ind. Folmer received the BA degree in 1981 from Indiana University. The couple resides at 1223 18th St., Bedford,

Ind. 47421.

E. C. Umberger (BA'81) to Jo Antoinette Matthews (BA'82) May 10, 1982 in Searcy. They reside at 8902 Park Lane No. 152, Dallas, Texas 75231.

Myra Nanette Mitchell (BSN'82) to Andrew S. Lynn ('81) June 5, 1982 in Searcy. They reside at 4054 St. Pierre No. 1, Memphis, Tenn. 38122.

Judy D. Trimm (BS'71) to Peter V. Julian June 12 in Pensacola, Fla. Judy teaches home economics at Tate High School while Peter is a pilot in the U.S. Navy. The couple resides at 1015 Rainbow Ave., Pensacola, Fla. 32505.

John Sullivan Daniel ('79) to Kristina Jeanette Dowlen August 7 in Memphis, Tenn.

Gregory Jay Jernigan (BBA'82) to Sherri Lynn Graham August 7 in Searcy.

Robert Stokes (BA'81) to Jayme Williams May 1.

Dr. David Ramsey ('69) to Birgitta Linnea Sjoberg May 29 in a Swedish ceremony in Edsbergsskyrka (The Edsberg Church) near Fjugesta, Orebro County, Sweden. Dr. Ramsey is Assistant Professor of Office Administration and Business Education, College of Business, Southeastern Louisiana University, Hammond, La.

William Nash Gammill (BBA'81) to Ann LaJean Womack July 24 in Jonesville, La.

Barbara Cash (BSN'81) to Bill Shaffer May 21 in Vancouver, Wash. Bill is a general contractor and Barbara serves as secretary for the construction business, but plans to return to part-time nursing in the fall. The couple resides at 906 N.W. 1st — Andrews, Texas 79714.

Bradford Allen Scott (BA'78) to Linda Jane Busby July 31. Brad is working at Amoco while Linda teaches at Keystone Elementary. They reside at 3230 S. Winston, Apt. 107, Tulsa, Okla. 74135.

Carter E. Lambert (BA'82) to Rebecca Shackelford August 13 in Searcy.

Scott Perkins (BA'80) to Rachel Ritchie August 14 in Searcy.

Bruce Cook (MEd.'80) to Meg Garland ('84) August 15 in Searcy. Bruce works in

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the Public Relations Office at Harding while Meg attends the University.

Walter F. Buce (BBA'81) to Cassandra L. Mahaffy (BA'81) August 21.

Terry M. Lentz (BA'80) to Paul T. DeHoff August 21 in Murfreesboro, Tenn. Paul is a practicing attorney in Jackson, Miss.

Debra Charlene Beasley (BA'81) to Joseph D. Hawkins ('83) August 7 in McKenzie, Tenn.

Kimberly Suzanne Adams (BA'82) top Bradley Matheson Kinser (BA'82) July 24 in Dallas, Texas. Brad is teaching and coaching Junior High. Their address is Box 766, Douglass, Kan. 67039.

Sherry L. Frederick (BA'79) to Dean Adams May 29. Sherry is a laboratory technician for Dickinson Cheese Co. Their address is Box 1814, Dickinson, ND 58601.

Katharina Reichel (BS'80) to Carl D. Beavers Jr. (BS'77) August 28 in Searcy.

Nancy Jean Hamel (BSN'77) to Rance Fretland February 5 in Mt. Lake Terrace, Wash. Rance is a student at Harding University and their address is Box 1001, Station A, Searcy, Ark. 72143.

Nancy Elaine Colglazier (BS'82) to Michael H. Oliver August 6 in Searcy. Michael is a student at Harding.

C. Denise Kays (BA'82) to James C. Phillips May 22 in Mabelvale, Ark. They reside at 2201 North 14th St. Apt. B-8, Ponca City, Okla. 74603.

Lenora Rivoire (BA'71) to James L. Word (BS'69) August 21 in Springfield, Mo.

Judith Leigh Craft (BA'79) to Mack Y. Ramsey (BA'81) August 6. Mack is a graduate student at Arkansas State University and Judith teaches Home Economics at Crowley's Ridge Academy. The couple resides at 511 S. McClure, Jonesboro, Ark. 72401.

Mary Ann Kellar ('82) to David L. Presley (BA'82) August 20 in Searcy.

Stephen P. Kellar (BA'78) to Beverly Cole ('83) Sept. 18 in Dallas.

BIRTHS

Daughter, Brittany Kellar, to Aaron and Luanne Mowry ('71) Stephens January 29, 1982.

Daughter, Rhodora Joslyn, to Marshall (BS'78) and Lanette Lawrence (BA'78) Grate March 8.

Son, Richard Andrew, to Graham (BA'69) and Fannie Timmerman (BA'68) Amy June 4 in Ontario, Canada.

Son, Graig Brannon, to Frank and Holly Brannon (BA'65) Gilkeson May 27 in San Francisco, Calif.

Son, Neil (BA'76) and Sheila Rhodes (BS'77) Swain May 30.

Daughter, Kristina, to James (BA'66) and Lois Dockery April 27. She joins big sister, Angela, two.

Son, Joseph Parker, to Walter ('74) and Carole Parks (BA'74) Nelms April 15 in Little Rock. He joins big sister, Staci Leigh, three.

Daughter, Allison Ann, to William (BS'73) and Jo Ellen Stafford (BA'74) McDonald December 19, 1981. The family resides at 6510 Morgan Ford Rd., St. Louis, Mo. 63116.

Son, Daniel Jared, to Lyle (BA'78) and Sheri Gibson (BSN'78) Bontrager May 30 in Memphis, Tenn. He joins his older sister Laura Erin, two. The family resides at 3425 S. Goodlett Rd. No. 7, Memphis, Tenn. 38118.

Son, Nathan Lloyd, to Wayne R. (BA'77) and Frances Gastrich (BA'79) Johnson March 15. He joins sister, Bethany Ruth. Wayne is a partner in the CPA firm of Uekich, Arkema & Co. in Minneapolis, Minn.

Son, Jerrad Clayton, to Ralph (BA'72) and Shirley Gibson (BA'75) Powell Jr. April 2. He joins brother, Derrick, 11.

Son, Michael Scott, to Boyce (BA'70) and Beth Underwood (BA'71) McClain May 20 — by adoption.

Daughter, Jeannie Marie, to John E. (BS'76) and Carol Palmer (BS'75) Petty June 20 in West Plains, Mo. She joins big brother, Jeff Ernest, two.

Daughter, Rachel Rose, to Randy and

Ruth. Nonnenmacher (BA'72) Hogan February 8 in Kingwood, Texas. He joins big brothers, Richie, five, and Ryan, 17 mos.

Daughter, Rachel Nichole, to Steve (BA'77) and Liz Sparkman ('76) Leavell May 20 in Dover, Ark. She joins brothers Adam, five, and Ben, two.

Son, Nathanael Lee, to Don (BS'80) and Kathy Bailey (BSN'81) Holland April 15. Daughter, Rebecca Ann, to Andy and Pamela Gay Williams (BA'76) Clausen June 18. She joins Laura Elisabeth, two yrs.

Son, Carl Clifton, to Dan (BA'78) and Janet Ney ('80) McQuiddy May 14 in Willits, Calif. He joins a sister, Leah Michael, two, at 19B Cherry Ct., Ukiah, Calif. 95482.

Daughter, April Elizabeth, to Gaylan and Carol Miller ('74) Lee January 13, 1982 in Abilene, Texas. She joins sisters, Shannon, seven, and Erin, three. The family's address is Box 207, Teague, Texas 75860 where Gaylan is minister for the Teague church of Christ.

Son, Joshua David, to David (BA'80) and Robin Remy ('81) Weidner May 29.

Son, Jeffrey Ronald, to Richard and Betsy Duhon (BA'77) Davis May 8 in Fullerton, Calif. The family now resides at 2003 Sharpshire, Arlington, Texas 76014.

Son, Nathan King, to Bolivar and Phyllis Rogers ('71) Menendez April 28, 1982.

Daughter, Rebecca Anne, to Tom (BA'72) and Susan Clark ('75) Beasley February 3, 1982. She joins brother, Davis, four, and sister, Julie, three. Tom is employed with Layne and Bowler, Inc. as a computer systems analyst. The family resides at Mapleleaf Cove, Memphis, Tenn. 38115.

Son, Phillip Matthew, to Don (CCP'82) and Kaylea Mangrum July 10 in Searcy. Don is serving as minister for the church in Charleston, Ark.

Daughter, Amaya Bell, to Oscar and Nancy Bell (BS'75) Ochoa April 14 in Florence, Ala.

Daughter, Corey Diana, to David ('82) and Deborah Power ('80) Harrell April 25. David is employed by Data Aids Associates as an engineering representative. The family resides at 5205 Gates, Box 83609, The Colony, Texas 75056.

Son, Zacchary Thomas, to Donna Coker (BS'78) and husband, Tom Dukowitz, March 10. Donna recently received the Masters in Social Work from the University of Arkansas at Little Rock and is licensed by the state of Arkansas. She does not work outside the home, but is active with various

volunteer programs and political work. Her husband is a senior medical student at the University of Arkansas. The family resides at 1715 N. Maple, North Little Rock, Ark. 72114.

Daughter, Esther Louise, to Jim and Ellen Kramar (BS'72) Banks July 18 in San Diego, Calif.

Son, Adam James, to Jim and Mona Prewitt (BA'76) Ingle May 19 in Springfield, Mo. Adam is welcomed by brother, Aaron Roger, 21 months old.

Son, Chad Anthony, to Harry (BA'73) and Sandy Williams (BA'72) Ware June 25 in Little Rock. He joins two-year-old brother, Scott.

Son, Peyton Neale, to David (BS'77) and Renee East (BS'77) Tucker July 10. The Tuckers reside at No. 8 Peppertree Place, Searcy. The paternal grandparents are Lott (BS'51) and Mae Anne Songer (BA'52) Tucker, Jr.

Son, Christopher Stephen, to Steve (BS'78) and Becky Ellis (BA'78) Courson June 13, 1981. He joins big sister, Katrina, three. Steve is the librarian with Great Lakes Christian College in Beamsville, Ontario, Canada.

Son, Cullen Daniel, to Don (BA'65) and Verna Thompson July 7. He joins Jason, 12, and Brittany, three.

Son, David Paul, to Steven ('82) and Teena Smithbauer December 4, 1981.

Son, Clinton Case, to Terry (BA'76) M.Th.'80) and Donna Case (BA'76) Wallis December 19, 1981 in Wenatchee, Wash. He joins his older sister, Tressa. The family resides at 1606 Marquette, Richardson, Texas 75081.

Son, Daniel Stephen, to Kevin (BS'77) and Katy Pryor (BS'77) Penick July 16. He joins Scott, three. The family lives at 840 Dunleith Ct., Stone Mountain, Ga. 30083.

Son, David Ryan, to Richard (BA'73) and Barbara Roll (BA'75) Fowler May 25 in Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Daughter, Brandy Nicole, to Bill (BA'79) and Becky Clark. Brandy joins brother, Benjamin, two. They live at 7640 Terry Dr., Ft. Worth, Texas 76118.

Son, Aaron Lee, to David (BS'78) and Karen Lynn ('79) Morris July 14 in Memphis. The family lives at 5961 Hickory Cove, Memphis, Tenn. 38115.

Twin daughters, Tonya Marie and Nicole Renee, to Danny (BS'76) and Denise Cates (BA'76) Maddox August 2. The family lives at 1026 S.W. Audubon Ave., Palm Bay, Fla.

32905.

Daughter, Amanda Kristine, to J.H. (BA'79) and Wanise Brewer (BS'79) Lemmons July 19 in Freehold, N.J. She joins Jennifer, 21 months.

Son Robert Drew, to Robert and Sue Kennon ('78) Christie March 6.

Daughter, Alexandria Leigh, to Ron and Marlene Langston (BS'73) Copeland August 3 in Searcy.

Son, Jonathan Keith, to Keith ('80) and Elizabeth Ritchie (BA'80) Roach August 5 in Florissant, Mo.

Daughter, Lauren Ashley, to Gary and Linda Barron (BS'77) Masters July 20. Their address is P.O. Box 1332, Blytheville, Ark. 72315.

Son, Eric Wayne, to Terry and Virginia Whitten (BA'71) Carden June 5.

Daughter, Roanna Renee, to Ronald and Constance Roemer (BA'73) Costa July 10 in Fayetteville, Ark. She joins a brother, Rance, two.

Daughter, Sara Ruth, to David and Linda McClurg (BA'76) Gregersen May 1 in San Antonio. The family lives at 5814 Brambletree, San Antonio, Texas 78247.

Daughter, Karla Diane, to Mark (BA'80) and Kathy Clarke (BA'80) Dillard August 8.

Son, Marcos Miguel Antonio, to Albert (BA'80) and Trisha Smith (BSN'80) Acosta July 26 in Knoxville, Tenn. They reside at 3321 Garden Dr., Knoxville, Tenn. 37918.

Daughter, Beth Ann, to Marion K. "Rocky" (BA'76) and Janice Dunavant July 3 in Blytheville. Rocky is an environmental manager with Siegel-Robert Plating Company in Portageville, Mo. They reside at 1813 E. Parkview Dr., Caruthersville, Mo. 63830.

Daughter, Ashley Nicole, to Tony and Debbie DeLaughter (BA'78) Autrey July 24 in Texarkana, Texas.

Daughter, Deborah Gale, to Ron (BA'75) and Cindy Cates (BA'73) Hobelman August 22 in Brussels, Belgium.

Son, Erik Arthur, to Arthur ('70) and Margaret White ('71) Peddle February 6 in Atlanta, Ga.

Daughter, Dru Kendall, to Ronnie (BA'72) and Martina Prock (BA'72) Peacock August 20 in Searcy.

Daughter, Bethany Susan, to Steven ('77) and Susan Raburn (BA'79) Williams August 19 in Mesa, Ari.

Son, Jonathan David, to Blaine (MAR'81) and Sonya Hesch June 22 in Parkersburg, (Continued on page 12)



Rick and Cindy Fancher were among approximately 2,500 persons who visited the campus August 2-5 for the 13-in-1 Bible Workshop.

W.Va. Mr. Hescht recently began working as minister for the church in Spring Dale, W.Va. He is also preaching on an indefinite basis for the church in Rainelle, W.Va., until they obtain a full-time minister. The family resides at 726 Fayette Ave., Rainelle, W.Va. 25962.

Daughter, Courtney Lee-Sue, to Auburn and Sue Ellen Maxey (BA'72) Cottingham May 11. She joins big brother, Cameron, three.

Daughter, Geneva Ann, to Mark (BBA'81) and Louann Zuccolo July 21 in Atlanta, Ga.

Son, Benjamin Franklin III, to Ben (BA'74) and Lois Starling (BA'74) Vick July 31 in Indianapolis, Ind. Ben has been preaching for the Shelbyville Road church of Christ in Indianapolis for the past two years. Lois has been employed in the cash office of the William H. Block Co. The family is at home at 8436 Royal Meadow Dr., Indianapolis, Ind. 46217.

Son, Michael Allen, to Mike and Leanne Myers (BA'81) Breshears April 8 in Searcy.

Daughter, Amber Dawn, to Bill (BA'82) and Cheri Woodruff (BBA'81) Gardner July 24 in Searcy.

Daughter, Jamie Lynn, to Gail (BA'80) and Joan Hogg (BA'79) Gregg July 23 in Temple, Texas.

Daughter, Brittany Nichole, to Jack (BBA'82) and Julia Teters ('83) Zeigler January 5 in Greenwich, Conn.

Daughter, Amanda Dawn, to Brad and Adell McFann (BS'78) Morris June 10 in Searcy.

Daughter, Claudia Elaine, to Dan (BA'77) and Cindee Mansur (BA'76) Stockstill January 15. She joins sister, Daisha, two.

Jouett Says Great Commitment Needed

(Editor's Note — The following is a shortened version of Ray Jouett's speech, "A Call to Commitment," at August graduation exercises. Dr. Jouett is a neurosurgeon in Little Rock and a member of the President's Development Council at Harding.)

The Epistle to the Ephesians is remarkable for its cosmic outlook, for it depicts the church as the epitome of God's universal design. More important, it envisions the church in a life-and-death struggle with cosmic forces, a struggle in which the stakes are high and the issues are of ultimate concern.

Ephesians 6:14 especially addresses all of us as we face the realities of the modern world, and calls each of us to an even greater and deeper commitment. "Stand, therefore, girt with the belt of truth, and wearing a breastplate of righteousness, and shod as ready messengers of the glad tidings of peace. And take up to cover you the shield of faith wherewith you shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the evil one."

The quest for the American dream has given way in many quarters to a search for spiritual renewal. We are surrounded by those who are seeking a way, who are engaged in a hopeful questing, trying to find something to which they can give ultimate commitment. As we reflect on the crisis of spirit within our society, we are reminded of the prophetic vision of Amos: "Behold, the day comes, saith the Lord God, that I will send a famine in the land. Not a famine of bread nor a thirst of water, but of hearing the word of the Lord. And they shall wander from sea to sea, and from the north even to the east, and they shall run to and fro to seek the word of the Lord, and they shall not find it." (Amos 8:11-12)

The inspired vision of Amos caught a glimpse of a great hunger of the spirit which spread from Dan to Beersheba. Yet this vision of Eighth Century Israel reaches across the centuries to the Twentieth Century, where people are strangely hungered for many things. They hunger for beauty but it eludes them. The beauty so many are looking for is the beauty of holiness. We also find people who hunger for truth and knowledge.

As we contemplate the world in which we live, we do well to contemplate the ways we can help satisfy this great hunger and thirst for beauty, truth and knowledge. This task confronts us at two levels: first, as individual Christians, and second, as members of the church at large. In both instances we face a singular call to commitment.

Alexander Solzhenitsyn's commencement address at Harvard University in June 1978 electrified the American public, as he prophetically declared the spiritual impoverishment of the West, and summoned it to recapture its truth of a transcendent view of the world in which God, not man, reigns as the ultimate Being and serves as the final measure of all things.

To quote, "Mere freedom per se does not in the least solve all the problems of human life and even adds a number of new ones...The West has finally achieved the rights of man, and even to excess, but man's sense of responsibility to God and society has grown dimmer and dim-



Ray Jouett challenges graduates August 13 on the topic, "A Call to Commitment."

mer...All the celebrated technological achievements of progress, including the conquest of outer space, do not redeem the Twentieth Century's moral poverty, which no one could have imagined even as late as the Nineteenth Century."

Solzhenitsyn's voice has been heard because of his intellectual stature, and here serves as a reminder that the Christian commitment to truth makes high demands on the intellect. Christian education is built on this very assumption, and I believe that each of you shares that commitment or you would not have given the last four years of your life to this task.

It has been said that the church is always more than a school, but it is never less. The Christian commitment to learning, to the education of the body, mind and soul, is one of the most enduring legacies we possess. Elton Trueblood in his eminently commendable book *A Place to Stand*, says that what we need is "a whole new group of thinkers who are willing and able to obey the injunction of I Peter 3:15, by being prepared to make a defense of the hope that is in them and doing it with gentleness and reverence."

Among Paul's farewell words to Timothy, certainly none are more emphatic than his declaration, "I have kept the faith." Faith is something that breathes and pulsates. It is growing and absorbing. It has vivid expression. It makes itself intelligible and vital for each new age. It abounds in risks. It requires devotion. It needs an acute mind. It is not for the slovenly of heart. Above all, it requires a love which is willing to count all things lost for the sake of Christ. It regards Christ as supreme.

The faith of which Paul speaks is, and must remain, a Christ-centered faith. A commitment to such a faith requires many things, but especially that we be sensitive to change. Faith both provides us a fixed vantage point from which to

view change, but also gives us an incentive to effect change in our society.

Yet the commitment to faith calls us to be agents of change as we seek to bring about God's will in the world. Whether we do so by proclaiming the gospel, by involving ourselves in the machinery of society, by engaging in the political, educational or social process, the commitment of faith will make certain demands of each of us. It is going to require that we exhibit enthusiasm for what we are doing. It is going to require singular courage to stand up for the Christian point of view and identify both the sources and the manifestations of evil in the worlds in which we live. Most of all, it is going to require an unending loyalty that can be exhibited by our actions on a day-to-day basis.

How do we as Christians committed to faith avail ourselves of opportunities? We avail ourselves by defending the gospel whenever it is possible to do so. We defend it by the way we live, by the way other people in society view us. We effect change by revealing truth in books, journals, periodicals, daily newspapers, from the pulpit, from the teacher's desk — in short, from whatever position God has given us in this business of society.

However ill-equipped we might consider ourselves to be, and however intimidating and threatening the world before us might seem, the call to Christian commitment requires that each of us resolve to venture and to stand our ground, as did Christians when facing Apollyon in *Pilgrim's Progress*. For this, after all, is the best way to stand.

As treacherous as the river of life might seem, and as fearful as the crossing of it might be, those venturing into it for the first time are reassured by those of us who have gone ahead, and by all our Christian forebears who have preceded us for centuries: "We have felt the bottom and it is good!" It is solid rock!

SYMPATHY

Our Sympathy To

Howard Cox (BA'50), whose mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts, died August 3 in North Little Rock.

Dr. Frank Rhodes Jr. (BA'35) in the death of his mother, Mrs. B. F. Rhodes, who died July 21 in Abilene, Texas at the age of 99.

The family of William Franklin Gullick (BA'63) who died May 8.

Sue Hogg O'Neal ('50), whose husband, LeRoy W. O'Neal ('50), was killed in an automobile accident July 3 in Tyler, Texas.

Mary Smart Bales (Spec.) and Margaret Smart Denham (BS'47) in the death of their father, Fred Smart, June 23 in Searcy. He is the grandfather of Diana Denham Johnson (BA'72), Daria Denham Gerding (BS'78), Dorella Denham ('83), Drew Denham ('86), Dr. James David Bales Jr. (BS'67), Mary Ethel Bales Gale (BA'65), Robin Bales Kirk (BA'80), Barbara Bales Gibson ('69), Mark Bales (BA'73) and Jonathan Bales.

Jerry (BA'63) and Gail (BA'66) Mote in the death of their father, Allen D. Mote, in July.

Nelda McMennamy Helf (BA'77) whose grandmother (Granny) Clara McMennamy, died June 11 after an extended illness in Snyder, Texas.

Dr. Preston E. LaFerney ('57) whose wife, the former Johnnie Vaughn ('59) died recently following a 10-month bout with cancer. She was the mother of Pam, a current student at the University.

Dean Ashcraft ('52) whose father died July 1, 1982.

Dr. Duane McCampbell (BA'57), whose mother, Mrs. Ella McCampbell, died August 22 in Searcy. The funeral was conducted in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy C. Rose of Dallas, whose son, Ken ('83), a Harding senior, died August 18 from injuries received when he was struck by a car.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dandridge Jr. of Somerville, Tenn. whose daughter, Cathey Deanna ('85), a Harding sophomore, died August 11 following heart surgery.

Couple Endures, Enjoys 1800 Mile Bicycle Trip

Courtesy of the Arkansas Gazette

In 1864, Union General William T. Sherman reached Savannah, Ga., after his epic but devastating March to the Sea. Sherman hardly could have felt more triumphant to see Savannah and the Atlantic than were John and Beth Eason of Memphis when they arrived there July 16, 118 years later than Sherman had.

Sherman rode a horse and had an army to help him along. The Easons, both 24, were on their own all the way. They swept through the Deep South on bicycles and thus convinced skeptics that it could be done. In the process, they also proved to themselves that a young couple could endure — and enjoy — a bicycle tour of almost 1,800 miles despite occasional adversity.

Friends doubted the Easons' chance of success, especially when they decided to ride unexceptional Sears 10-speed bicycles from Memphis to the Atlantic and back. Magazines urge such bikers to buy \$500 touring bikes and perform extra physical conditioning to prepare themselves. Beth conditioned herself some by riding 10 miles a day before the trip but John, mired down in finals at the University of Tennessee Medical School, had little spare time to ride before the expedition.

One who wasn't "sold" on the Easons' idea was Beth's mother, Lehmazell Greenwood, who lives in south Pulaski County.

"Beth has never been the adventurous type," she said.

Now, with her daughter and son-in-law back safely, Mrs. Greenwood is not

"At first, I prayed they'd decide not to do it. But when I saw they were determined, all I could do was pray they'd make it all right."

only relieved but is as proud of the couple's accomplishment as are the Easons themselves. To make a long story short, the 1980 graduates of Harding University in Searcy — where they had met and were married — made their trip in fine shape.

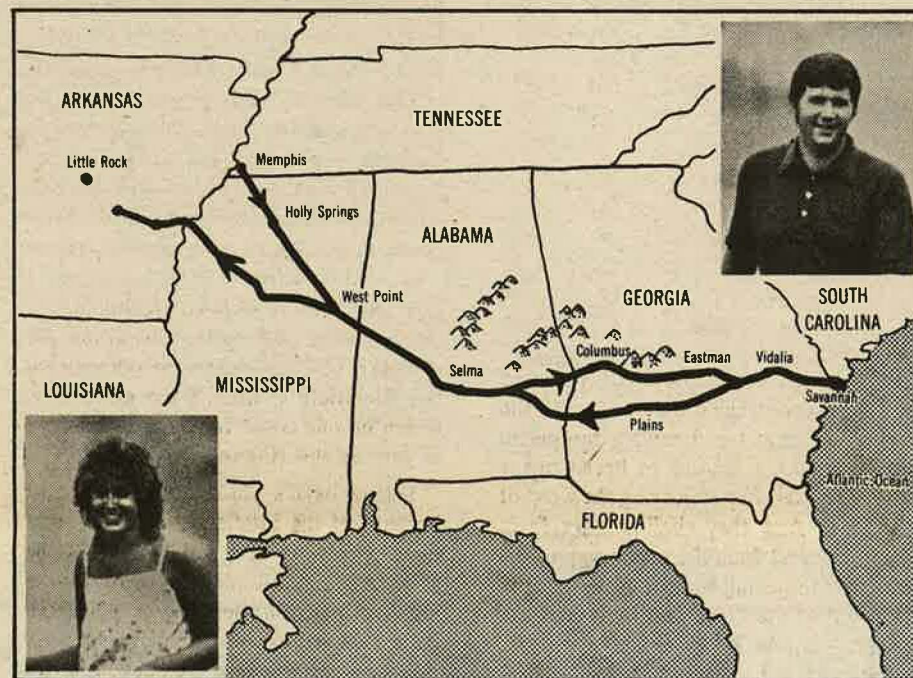
John's log of the 43-day, 1,789-mile trek across Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama and Georgia to Savannah and Tybee Island and back to Arkansas shows that they consumed 14 spokes, seven inner tubes, five tires, one wheel — and more energy than either knew they had.

"We didn't have a single flat tire," John said. "The treads kept wearing as we rode and, before they could go flat, we changed tires."

Beth first got the idea for their trip from a couple who described such a trip on a television show. "We wanted some good exercise — something a bit adventurous," the Easons said. So John, a first-year UT medical student, and Beth, a 1976 McClellan High School graduate and teacher at Memphis' Grant Elementary School, set out June 29, each with 35 pounds of gear in saddlebags. They routed themselves on side roads to avoid traffic.

Six weeks later, after having pedaled side by side through 1,700 miles that included steep hills and plains where temperatures flirted with 100 degrees, the couple had almost reached Little Rock when, in a fleet instant of complacency, their bicycles collided, badly bending Beth's front wheel and summarily ending the trip.

Still, the Easons had done remarkably well. They easily could have returned to Memphis, had they not added Arkansas to their itinerary. Even with long, frequent stops, they'd averaged 10 miles an hour, 48 miles a day for the trip. The last week of travel, they averaged 60 miles a day, and July 16, between Vidalia and Savannah, Ga., they logged an easy 83-mile day's ride across level countryside. The trip didn't always go that smoothly.



They had made 49 miles the first day over some bad hills on U.S. Highway 78. It had rained hard on them and they camped, shivering, in Holly Springs, Miss. By nightfall the rain, cold, darkness and aching legs seemed to have conspired against them.

But the first night out was the worst.

John said they'd planned the trip this summer because his brief break from study was the last long one he could

"It was so miserable, I cried," Beth said. "John asked me if I wanted to quit. But everyone said we wouldn't make it, and we had to prove to them we could. After that first bad day, getting somewhere became a challenge — a neat thing to do."

expect for years. John said literature on bike travel said it required extensive planning, fancy \$500 bikes and special equipment to make such a long trip. But he and Beth proved many fancy touches unnecessary.

The Easons routed themselves south of the Blue Ridge Mountains to avoid hills, but hadn't counted on the steep Pied-

mont near Montezuma, Ga.

The Easons saved for months to finance their trip, only to have Uncle Sam reclaim a chunk of those savings as

"One hill was so bad," Beth recalled, "John applauded me when I finally got to the top. I felt I was going to topple over backward."

1981 income tax. Counting their much-used bankcard charges, the Easons figure they made their trip for less than \$1,500. That was cutting it close because, by the time they reached Helena on their return trip they had \$9 cash between them.

drawing in a 100-yard-long net teeming with mullet, flounder and sheepshead.

Beth was most excited by their arrival at the state lines, especially the Georgia border near Columbus. "Then, I knew we were getting somewhere," she said. Unfortunately, her elation there proved short-lived. On into Georgia, Beth explained, "A sort of welcoming committee of gnats and mosquitoes met us." The insects, though, encouraged the Easons to hasten their pace. The pests had trouble keeping up with the fast-moving riders.

After a week at the Coast, the Easons were well rested. They pointed their bikes west and retraced their route, detouring in Georgia to miss the hills and to see Plains, former President Jimmy Carter's hometown.

The couple enjoyed an inside joke when they told one curious fellow they were riding from Memphis to the coast. He said they'd never make it to the Atlantic. The pair knew they not only had made it there but were headed back. Not all their return trip was that amusing, though.

They'd planned to rest overnight in an Alabama motel, but none in town accepted credit cards, and their cash was dwindling. It was dusk and the next town was 20 miles away. Beth, her eyes misty, explained their plight to a sympathetic Texaco dealer who advanced the Easons \$10 on their gasoline credit card. The couple still isn't sure why they'd brought a gasoline card on a bike tour. But they were glad they had. The cash got them a musty motel room, which they defumigated with their own insect repellent.

On August 6, in West Point, Miss., the couple stopped retracing their route and headed west toward Helena and Beth's parents' home in Little Rock. They fended off rice field mosquitoes near Stuttgart — then, while "riding side by side, just talking" their bikes collided two miles east of England.

John, out of cash, tried to buy Beth a new sheel but the local Western Auto store didn't honor credit cards. So the tired couple phoned Beth's father, who picked them up in England for the brief ride to Little Rock.

The Easons had called, collect, every few nights to report their progress to the Greenwoods. But, her mother said, some of the days between calls stretched "three days long." Greenwood anxiously developed the Easons' pictures as they arrived and was glad to see the snapshots showing a smiling, tanned couple triumphant at the coast.

Greenwood said she wasn't anxious to get next month's long-distance telephone bill, but that whatever the cost, it wasn't too much to have paid for her peace of mind.

The Easons wouldn't trade their trip for an all-expense-paid cruise. The bad memories have dimmed already, leaving the good ones bright and crisp. They urge other couples who enjoy bicycling and camping to try a similar tour but, because of their schoolwork, the Easons' next such tour seems at least as remote as Savannah once did.

"We'd like to go again for a couple of weeks," John said. "But right now," he said wistfully, "it looks like I'll be working every day for the rest of my life."

Prock Synonymous With Football at Harding University

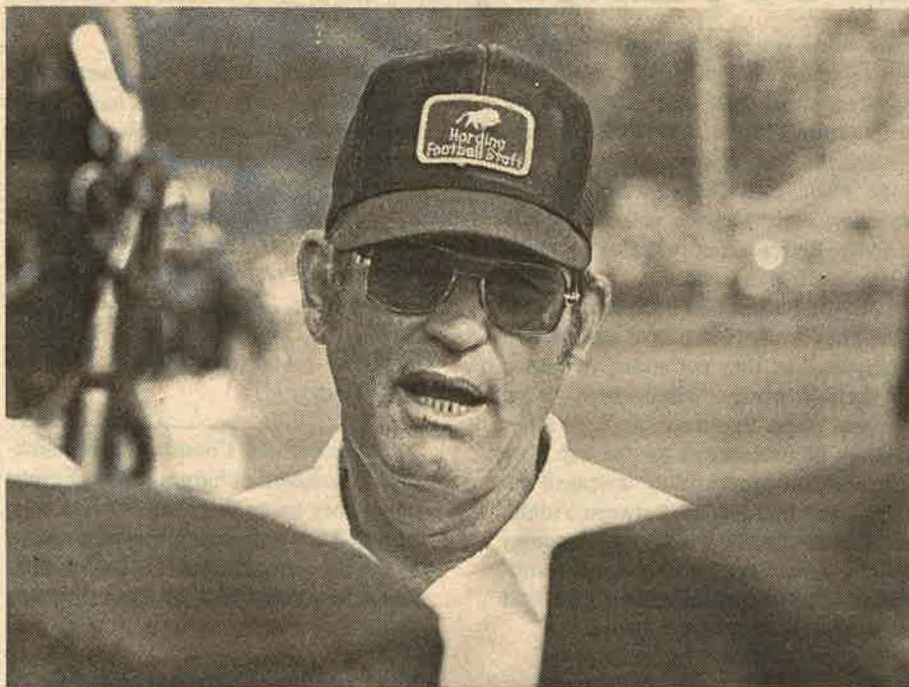
By Stan Green

At Harding University two words are synonymous — football and John Prock.

Since 1964 the down-to-earth qualities of the Hollis, Okla. native have been the hallmark of the Bison football program. Anybody who has watched Prock's teams in action knows that he stresses fundamentals — blocking and tackling. But at the same time, he has produced some of the most offense-minded units ever to play in the nationally-known Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference.

The 53-year-old Prock has utilized various offensive formations, the pro-I, the wishbone, the veer as well as others, but his successful teams have been strong on timing, precision and hard work. In a possible over-simplification, he explains, "If you do a good job with fundamentals, and work to avoid mistakes, you usually come out pretty well."

Prock has said that the first thing he looks for in a player is character. "It's kind of hard to explain, but the ingredient that will make a successful football player is the same courage and enthusiasm it takes to be a successful man." With this initial courage and willingness to play, the Prock system has instilled stamina and skill with remarkable consistency. As a coach at a small, church related school limited to 33 football scholarships, Prock seeks good scholastic records from prospective athletes. He has often had to build his teams out of players the larger schools overlooked. If this practice of applying academic standards to football players screens out some of the beefier candidates, Prock thinks it has some



Bison Coach John Prock instructs his team during a practice session on the gridiron.

compensations. He says, "We don't bring anyone in we don't think is qualified scholastically."

In connection with harmonizing an athletic program with high standards for academics, Dr. Joseph Pryor, dean of the college and faculty representative, has commented: "John is a dedicated coach who has a genuine interest in the boys — their academic and spiritual development as well as their athletic performance."

The Prock system places emphasis on winning, of course, but not at the expense of a boy's education. Prock has said that some of his most gratifying moments have come from seeing his boys

graduate and take their places in life. "The athletic field is one of the last training grounds our society has left. An athlete is going to get dirty and he's going to hurt a little bit. But the self-discipline, the character it takes to come back in the fourth quarter will pull you out of difficulties in everyday living."

These comments may sound like well-worn cliches. But hear John Prock talk about his boys, and hear the players talk about him, and there is no question of sincerity. As one observer commented, "Harding is a special kind of school and needs a special kind of coach."

That he has been three times voted "Coach of the Year" indicates the high esteem in which he is held by his

coaching contemporaries. He is the dean of the AIC coaches and in starting his 19th season at the Bison helm.

Clifford John Prock was born March 13, 1929 in Hollis, Okla. He played high school football with Darrell Royal, former head coach for the University of Texas, and enrolled at Southwestern State College in Weatherford, Okla. Although interrupted by a tour with the U.S. Army in the Korean Conflict, he graduated in 1955. He started coaching at Clinton High School (Okla.) in the same year and came to Harding as an assistant in 1960.

As devoted a family man as he is a coach, Prock is justly proud of his three children and four grandchildren. He is married to the former Charlene Knight of Hollis, Okla. The couple's oldest daughter, Martina, is the wife of assistant coach Ronnie Peacock. Second daughter Mona is married to Lee Daniel, a football coach in Sulphur Springs, Texas and son Cam is the basketball coach at Searcy Junior High School. Cam is married to the former Karm Beavers.

Fifty-three of Prock's players have gained All-Conference honors, some more than once, and four have been named NAIA first or second team All-Americans. Three footballers have won the coveted AIC Scholar-Athlete Award for attaining the highest grade point average among conference athletes who earned at least two letters in league sports.

In one of the toughest all-round conferences in small college football, Prock's teams compete well. What the future will bring by way of victories is unknown, but Prock's Bisons will be ready when the whistle blows.

Upton Aims for District Title, Return to Nationals

By Bruce Cook

Athletics has been a way of life for Marla Upton since high school days in Indiana, so as a physical education major at Harding University, it was only natural for her to become actively involved in the school's newly-organized women's varsity softball program two years ago.

As the starting left fielder, she has played a big role in the Lady Bisons' two-year record of 21-13. During the fall months, however, she pursues another sport, one which earned her All-NAIA District 17 honors last season during the inaugural year of women's cross country at Harding.

Marla finished 43rd in the NAIA National Meet last year, and was the second Harding runner to finish. Her personal goal for this year is to return to the nationals, and to improve upon her performance. "I fell down and slid on some ice last year, and for the next half mile my leg was numb. I think I can improve my time this year," she said.

Team goals are also important to the dishwasher-blond senior from Greenwood, Ind., a city of 13,000 and approximately the same size as Searcy. "I want us to win the District again this year," she said, "and that will take a lot of work from everybody on the team."

Part of that work is the normal routine of two-a-day workouts, averaging from six to nine miles per workout. But a new method called circuit training is being used by team members this year under the direction of AIC Coach of the Year Ted Lloyd. The training is isotonic in

nature and involves stretching, lifting, bounding and dipping to increase strength and tone in various muscle groups.

"It's really helped," said Upton. "I can feel the difference when I run."

She will need every advantage possible this fall as she leads an inexperienced group of runners through meet competition. Eight seniors graduated from last year's team, including four of seven lettermen.

Marla will draw double responsibility in leadership since she is one of only two seniors on the squad and is the only returning letterman. "It's been kind of tough emotionally to motivate both myself and the other girls," she said, "and mentally it's tiring to double back during workouts and check on everyone else. But it's good preparation for a coaching career," she added.

The 5-8, 120 lb. speedster was a half-miler for four years on her high school track team, and also was a four-year member of the basketball team as well as marching and symphonic bands. "I tried to play volleyball and tennis, too," she said, "but their schedules conflicted with track and basketball."

"That's all the teams we had at the time," she added regretfully. "The school started cross country and swimming the year after I graduated."

As a freshman and sophomore, Upton jogged to keep in shape and also played intramural and social club sports, earning a letter. After the cross country season last year, she decided to enter her first marathon with a teammate, Kim



Marla Upton

Castle and Harding faculty members Jeff Hopper and Steve White.

The group drove to Jackson, Miss. where the meet was ran December 12. Upton finished in a time of 4:01 while Hopper managed a 3:16. "I didn't have time to train very much for it," she said, "I just wanted the experience."

Upton and several other teammates ran in the Twin City Bank 5000 Meter Road Race September 4 at Burns Park, and she finished third overall and second in her class. Senior Lisa Jenkins finished 15th in the race, and freshman Cheryl DeTorres was 20th. Both are newcomers to cross country.

Other members on the squad this year

are Tracy Smith, a junior from Monticello; Leslie Huffman, a sophomore from Rogers; freshman Patty Fisher of Colorado Springs, Colo.; sophomore Allyson Harniss of Monroe, Wash.; Janet Hood, a freshman from Huntington Beach, Calif., and Renda Colglazier, a junior from Indianapolis, Ind.

"Marla is a talented runner and an excellent athlete," said Lloyd. "Individually she should do well this year, but any team prospects depend on the development of our other runners."

With only nine runners on the team, Lloyd will be counting on each and every one to do their best. A rash of injuries might prove fatal, but Lloyd is not one to be negative.

"Our goal is not to win, but to do the best we can," he said. "I guess I'm the eternal optimist," he concluded. "I look for good things out of every season, and this one's no different."

Certainly a bright spot for the Bisons will be the presence of Upton, who explains running as "spiritually uplifting more than anything."

And winning attitudes like hers will go a long way toward making the 1982 season a successful one for women's cross country at Harding. The first meet is scheduled Sept. 23 at Arkansas College in Batesville, as is the second, on Oct. 8. The Washington University Invitational is Oct. 16, and a meet with Southwestern College in Memphis is in the process of being scheduled for late October. The District meet is Nov. 5 in Batesville and the nationals are Nov. 20 in Kenosha, Wis.

Bisons Win 100th Game in Season Opener, 14-0



Bison tailback Tony McCoy (23), AIC Newcomer of the Year last season, is on target again for another 1,000 yard rushing year. The senior from Texarkana, Texas has so far rushed for 107 yards in two games.

A spartan-like fall training has paid dividends for the Harding University Bisons as coach John Prock's charges have posted an early season record of 1-1.

A 14-0 opening game victory over Lane College of Jackson, Tenn. earned Harding's 100th team win since the school returned to intercollegiate competition in 1959. NAIA All-American candidate Kyle Blickenstaff of Boise, Idaho connected on two touchdown strikes to slotback Mike Peacock of Searcy for the points.

September 18th the Bisons took on powerful Southwest Missouri, now an NCAA Division 1-AA team, and came up on the short end of a 10-7 score. Blickenstaff threw for his third score, this time a four-yarder to fullback James Joyce of Huntsville, Ala. for the touchdown. Only a third quarter fumble on the visitor's two-yard line kept the Bisons from pulling it out.

In two games Blickenstaff has passed for 256 yards on 24 completions of 47 passes, has rushed for 68 yards and is averaging 42.3 yards on 14 punts. Senior Tony McCoy of Texarkana, Texas is the leading rusher for the Bisons with 107 yards in 34 carries.

Defensively, junior linebacker Greg Poston of Memphis has 18 tackles and 19 assists and has keyed a Bison defense that held Lane to zero yards rushing in the season opener. Defensive back Bruce Baldwin has swiped three enemy aeriels and has improved his career interception record to 15.

Harding will be on the road for four weeks before returning home October 23.

Basketball Outlook Offers New Talent, Experience

Harding basketball is hoping to make an upswing during the 1982-83 year with the return of a trio of starters and some talented newcomers.

Senior guard Hubie Smith (6-1), forward Lawrence McNutt (6-3), and center Allen Gibbons (6-8) return as starters from last year's 12-17 team and each is an accomplished scorer.

Gibbons developed rapidly last year as a scorer and finished with a 13.6 point average per game. McNutt, a player with

great physical equipment, was close behind with 11.1 points per game.

Smith has carried a heavy load in the backcourt and should increase his productivity with added help at guard from the likes of junior college transfers Floyd (5-9) and Lloyd (5-11) Smith, twins, and freshman Buddy Gilbert.

The Bison front line could blossom with the signing of 6-6 Bruce Williams from York College (Neb.) and freshman all-stater Kenny Collins (6-5) of Harrison, Ark.

Williams should be a strong performer on the boards and Collins will bring an aggressive style of play to the court.

Another freshman signee, Mark Ross of Blevins, Ark., is counted on to be an outside scoring threat and improvement is expected from letterman Dee Calvert (6-5) of Memphis. Calvert began to make his presence felt late in the season last year and should contend for a starting spot at forward.

Good depth is expected from letterman guards Philip Wade (6-1) of Memphis, Kent Berning (6-3) of Ft. Wayne, Ind., and Jeff Sweeney of Murfreesboro, Tenn., forward David Allumbaugh (6-6) of Dallas and center Troy Sanstra (6-7) of Littleton, Colo.

Improved defense could make a significant change in Bison prospects. Always a good-shooting team, this year will be no different, and a berth in the top division of the Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference is a reasonable destination.



Lawrence McNutt

Cross Country Team 2-0

For the 12th time in as many years, the Harding University men's cross country team appears headed for an Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference championship.

The Bisons have looked convincing in establishing a perfect 2-0 record on the young season, which began September 11 at Arkadelphia in the Ouachita Baptist University Invitational Meet. Harding swept six of the top ten places over a field of three other conference teams, including Ouachita Baptist, Henderson State, and University of Arkansas-Monticello.

Leading the Bisons was freshman Al Bates of Nashville, Tenn. with a second place finish in the time of 20:03 over the four-mile course. Senior Tomy Sitton was third in 20:36, with junior college transfer Larry Wayne of Fair Hope, Ala., fifth in 20:41. Three-time All-AIC honoree Joe O'Connor was sixth in 20:47, followed by Mitch McCohn, eighth, 20:56, and Ken Berry, ninth, 20:57.

Sept. 17 in Bald Knob the Bisons withstood an oppressive 88 degree temperature to win their home meet, the Bison Booster Invitational, with a low score of 29 points. In the field of six teams, Harding placed five runners in the top ten.

Once again, freshman Al Bates led the way with a second place finish in 27:28 over the five-mile hilly course. Tomy Sitton was clocked in third at 27:33, and Larry Wayne was again fifth in 27:36. Mitch McCohn, ninth in 28:02, and Ken Berry, tenth with 28:22, rounded out the Bison scoring.

The competition included Arkansas State University, Arkansas Tech University, University of Arkansas-Little Rock, University of Central Arkansas, and Arkansas College.

"We're very happy to win our first two meets," said Bison Coach Ted Lloyd. "We've had some good performances thus far and should improve even more. This year we have great balance with as many as eight or nine athletes running within 30 seconds of each other."

The talent-laden squad features both depth and experience, which should earn the Bisons another trip to the NAIA Nationals November 20. The rest of the schedule includes the Notre Dame Invitational, Oct. 1; Arkansas College Invitational, Oct. 8; Washington University Invitational, Oct. 16; Belmont Invitational, Oct. 30, and AIC Meet, Nov. 5.



Hubie Smith

1982-83 Bison Basketball

Nov. 19-20	Harding Classic	Home
Nov. 23	John Brown University	Away
Nov. 26	Christian Brothers College	Away
Nov. 27	John Brown University	Home
Nov. 30	Bethel College	Away
Dec. 3-4	McDonald's Classic	Away
Dec. 7	Christian Brothers College	Home
Dec. 30	Bethel College	Home
Jan. 6	U of A - Monticello*	Home
Jan. 10	Henderson State University*	Away
Jan. 13	Arkansas College*	Home
Jan. 17	Hendrix College*	Away
Jan. 20	College of the Ozarks*	Away
Jan. 22	Ouachita Baptist University*	Home
Jan. 24	Arkansas Tech University*	Away
Jan. 27	Southern Arkansas University*	Home
Jan. 31	University of Central Arkansas*	Away
Feb. 3	U of A - Monticello*	Away
Feb. 7	Henderson State University*	Home
Feb. 10	Arkansas College*	Away
Feb. 12	Hendrix College*	Home
Feb. 14	College of the Ozarks*	Home
Feb. 17	Ouachita Baptist University*	Away
Feb. 21	Arkansas Tech University*	Home
Feb. 24	Southern Arkansas University*	Away
Feb. 28	University of Central Arkansas*	Home

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1982 graduate Eugene S. Smith III receives the Cliff Shaw AIC Scholar-Athlete Award during chapel from Commissioner Harry Hall . . . Yogi Bear visits Kappa Delta Kappa women's social club during Open House on the front lawn . . . Singer and songwriter Gene Cotton entertains a Harding audience in the Benson Auditorium with a popular melody on August 28.

