



# CLOCK TOWER

## Patton Joins VOP Quartet

Jerry Patton, Union College music education major, has accepted the invitation to fill the position of second tenor in the King's Herald's Quartet.

Jerry, a native of Cedaredge, Colo., has been interested in music since the age of four, when he began singing in and leading choral groups for Home and School programs. At Campion Academy he participated extensively in musical organizations as he has while at Union. Some may remember him for his humorous rendition of "Old Mother Hubbard," performed in the style of Handel.

Six tenors were to compete for the position in the quartet. Jerry flew to the Voice of Prophecy studios for his audition and was given his acceptance the same day. After graduation, Jerry, his wife and three children plan to move to Glendale.

The present quartet will be on tour until Aug. 9, according to Jerry. When they return, Jerry will then begin his official role in the quartet, their first performance being on Aug. 11. Jerry hopes only two days of rehearsal will prove successful. Estimated traveling time per year for the quartet is five or six months.

Jerry's plans before accepting his position in the quartet were to teach music at Highland View Academy in Maryland during the coming school year.

The Unionaires are presently working on a composition written by Jerry, "Behold, He Shall Come," a relatively modern styled piece. Jerry enjoys all facets of music, but singing is his "specialty."



(Photo by Bud Gooch)

Bill Chamberlain (left) and Don Roth have big plans for spending the student missionary campaign funds.

## MV Tops Goal For Student Missionary

The MV Society has reached their goal of \$1750 for the student missionary project.

According to Don Roth, student missionary committee chairman, approximately \$1935 has been received to sponsor the two 1967-68 student missionaries. "There is still over \$100 to be collected," stated Roth.

Part of the money above the goal will be used to ship Sabbath school and educational supplies to the San Blas Islands where Karla Krampert will be spending part of her summer. Elder Leslie Scofield is sending a list of medicines which he needs for the Luminar II, the mission launch which Jerry Mitchell will be working on for a couple of months.

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Karla Krampert reports that merchants in her hometown of Kenosha, Wis. donated funds to buy school supplies for the San Blas mission where she will be working this summer.

Plane reservations for May 31 have already been made for Karla. Due to difficulties in obtaining a draft deferment for Jerry Mitchell, his plane reservations have not yet been made.

Bill Chamberlain has been in charge of the student missionary finances. Working closely with him has been Karen Lane and Jan Griffin in Rees Hall, Dennis Fisher and Alan Loewen in South Hall and John R. Baker and Wayne Vorhies in the village. Other students have helped collect the money.

From information available at the recent MV Workshop at Andrews University, Union College is the only college whose student missionary program is financed by voluntary contributions. "The student body is more personally interested and responsible for the student missionaries if they help raise the money to support them," Roth explained. Other schools finance their student missionaries with benefit programs, sales, films and other money-raising projects.

## UC Delegates Attend Prayer Breakfast

A Student Leadership Prayer Breakfast will be held in the Omaha Room of the Nebraska Center for Continuing Education, May 13. The breakfast is sponsored by the Layman's International Christian Leadership Council. Several delegates from Union College will attend.

The Student Leadership Breakfast is a collegiate counterpart of the Presidential Prayer Breakfast inaugurated 14 years ago by the United States Senate and House of Representatives Leadership groups.

Governors' Prayer Breakfasts are now being held in most of the 50 states. It is rapidly becoming an annual event for mayors and officials of cities throughout America.

The purpose of the breakfast, according to Jack Krogstad, ASB president, is to impress on the minds of student leaders that religion is important to many of our nation's leaders. It is to make them take a second look at Christianity as a vital force in their lives.

James F. Bell, attorney from Washington, D.C., will be the main speaker. Bell, a graduate from Harvard, is now a partner in the law firm of Pogue and Neal and specializes in practice before Federal agencies.

After Bell's address, there will be a panel discussion. The panel will consist of prominent leaders in government, business and the professions in Nebraska.

The group will then divide up into small groups for discussion.

According to Krogstad, there are two main reasons for the ASB's support of this program. "First," he said, "it is an opportunity for us to get involved in a community project that is good. Often we are so involved in our own program, that we tend to neglect good community projects which are an excellent means of contacting people we couldn't reach otherwise. This will let people know that Seventh-day Adventists are interested in Christian projects other than their own and want to do their part in supporting the community."

"Second, there will be many there who are not Christians, and having students there who know Christ will help direct the small group discussions."

Krogstad also said that a long-lasting effect is hoped for. The purpose is not simply a social occasion, nor is it limited to simply an inspirational morning. It is hoped by the leaders that the delegates will carry back to the campuses the things they have learned. The discussion groups will be centered on the practical aspects of applying Christianity on a college or university campus.

## UC-AU Summer Tour Will Visit Europe

The Union College-Andrews University European tour is progressing as planned, according to Dr. George P. Thomson, who is in charge of organizing the tour.

The 1967 tour will begin on June 12 and last until Aug. 15. The places which will be visited are much the same as those which were visited last summer.

The tour group will leave New York City late in the afternoon of June 12 and fly by jet to Madrid. From Spain they will travel to Italy where they will visit Rome, Naples and Pompeii. Then they will go on to Athens in Greece.

From June 21-23 the group will stay at Middle East College overlooking the city of Beirut. They will cross the mountains by bus to see Baalbek and Damascus.

In Jordan the group will visit Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Jericho and Petra. Mount Sinai and Cairo will be the main points of interest in Egypt.

In Moscow the group will visit the Kremlin and see Red Square. From Russia they will travel to Scandinavia where they will tour

Copenhagen and Oslo and visit a Seventh-day Adventist school in Norway and the Skodsborg Sanitarium in Denmark.

From July 16-24 the group will be in Germany and Austria visiting East and West Berlin, Dusseldorf, Cologne, Bonn, Marienhohe Seminary, Rothenburg, Dachau, Munich and Nassereith.

A week will be spent in Italy and Switzerland where the tourists will visit Venice, Florence, Milan, Geneva and see the leaning Tower of Pisa.

Then they will go to France, Belgium and Holland and visit Paris, Interlaken, Amsterdam, Delft, the battlefields of Waterloo and Brussels and the Normandy Beaches.

England is the last country they will visit. In England they will visit London, Newbold College and Shakespeare's home. Then they will prepare for the jet flight to New York.

Because of the large amount of publicity, interested students have been attracted from four of Union's sister colleges. A total of 29

people are going on the tour, most of whom are students, according to Thomson.

Interest has also been shown in tours of shorter duration. Several people have written concerning this, and three- or four-week tours are being considered for the near future.

## Officers, Editors Attend Workshop

The Eastern Intercollegiate Workshop was held at Southern Missionary College May 3-5. The workshop featured section meetings for ASB executive officers and publications editors and general sessions for the purpose of developing new ideas and discussing them.

Don Bush, president-elect, of the ASB at Union College, Linda Sterling, vice-president-elect, and Harvey Kilsby, treasurer-elect, attended the section meetings held for the administration. They discussed such topics as intercollegiate talent programs as a means for bringing the schools closer together and problems in student-faculty relations and communications.

Glenn Sackett, 1968 Golden Cords editor, participated in the section meetings of yearbook editors. The editors discussed budgets, cover and layout designs and photographic and literary content for successful yearbooks.

The meetings for the paper editors were very interesting and beneficial according to Phil Brailsford, 1968 Clock Tower editor. They discussed the problems involving editorial policies. The main concern was the conflicting interests of the paper as a voice of the students and as a public relations function of the college.

## Coming Events

- Friday, May 12**
  - 7:20 a.m. Convocation—gym
  - ASB
  - 5:15-6:30 p.m. Cafeteria Supper
  - 7:10 p.m. Dormitory Worship
  - 8:34 p.m. Sunset
  - 8:00 p.m. Vespers
- Saturday, May 13**
  - Sabbath Services**
  - College View—49th & Prescott**
    - 8:25 & 11:00 a.m.
    - M. D. Hannah
    - 9:40 a.m. Sabbath school
  - Piedmont Park—48th & A**
    - 11:00 a.m. Unionaires
    - 9:30 a.m. Sabbath school
  - Northside—73rd & Lexington**
    - 11:00 a.m. L. G. Barker
    - 9:30 a.m. Sabbath school

- Capitol View—15th & D**
  - 11:00 a.m. C. M. Maxwell
  - 9:30 a.m. Sabbath school
- Allon Chapel—22nd & Q**
  - 11:00 a.m. Victor Griffiths
  - 9:30 a.m. Sabbath school
  - 5:00 p.m. Baptismal Service
  - 5:30-6:30 p.m. Cafeteria Supper
  - 8:20 p.m. College View vespers
  - 8:34 p.m. Sunset
  - 9:00 p.m. Choral, Keyboard and Orchestra
- Sunday, May 14**
  - 8:00 p.m. Faculty Recital
- Monday, May 15**
  - 7:20 a.m. Chapel—church
  - Verne Wehtje
  - 8:00 p.m. Senior Recitals
  - Georgetta Moles, Jerry Patton



## GUEST EDITORIAL

**Controversial Roles of the CT**

The dominating problem looming on the horizon of any prospective editor of the CLOCK TOWER, as well as those of other college newspapers, is the controversial role of this paper.

On the one hand, inherent in the term newspaper, is an obligation to report newsworthy items of campus interest and to specify the nature of coming events. Yet the public relations role of the paper tends to inhibit the free reporting of certain campus occurrences.

To complicate matters even further there is a group commonly termed "the field" which must be continually assured that all is well at "good old Union."

A common ingredient of the CLOCK TOWER during the past several years has been letters, editorials and articles questioning the validity of various accepted norms and modes of behavior on this campus.

After a close analysis of the situation it seems that there are three possible solutions to this situation arising largely because of the efforts of the editors to fill a multi-purpose role.

A superficial solution to many of the editor's problems could be obtained by limiting the circulation of the CLOCK TOWER to the campus. This would immediately create a drastic decrease in the number of copies required and hence an insurmountable financial deficiency.

Assuming a hypothetical situation whereby it could be made financially feasible to limit the paper's distribution, a number of opportunities would be opened up to the editor.

First, the paper would not be bound to report items with which the whole campus is already familiar.

"Second, the "letters to the editor" columns could be expanded and the discussion of campus-oriented problems stimulated.

Third, the conflicts between the true image of Union College today and the memories of the college retained in the minds of alumni would not occur.

Going to the other extreme, the editors could formulate a strict working policy whereby every article is judged solely on its merit in picturing Union College as the acme of academic and spiritual virtue. This would undoubtedly please many of our off-campus readers and satisfy many parents.

It is felt that the majority of our readers are really in search of an honest evaluation of Union College and would not be deceived by a white-washing campaign. Furthermore the editors are firmly convinced that Union College is the best college and hence any form of cover-up would be detrimental to this image. We thus find this solution to be inadequate.

Thus, we find ourselves confronted with the age-old problem of finding a satisfactory mean between these two extremes and formulating a workable policy for the operation of the paper.

At the recently concluded Eastern Intercollegiate Workshop, similar problems were discussed by the newspaper committee and a tentative solution was agreed upon. This solution was presented to the workshop as a whole and was approved unanimously.

It was recommended that an insert-sheet be printed solely for campus distribution, permitting the inclusion of such letters and articles that would be considered unsuitable for off-campus distribution (to be determined at the discretion of the editorial staff).

Now our well-wishers and cynics alike may conceivably question the ethics behind this obtrusive demarkation between the material which would be presented to our readers.

In an attempt to answer this objection we might well turn our attention to the analogous situation presented in a family. It is considered well within the bounds of the accepted standards of social ethics to present the same bright front to the neighbors regardless of the internal situation.

It is hoped that our readers both on and off campus will consider the factors presented and will feel free to acquaint the editorial staff with any additional information regarding this problem.

PHILIP BRAILSFORD,  
editor-elect, CLOCK TOWER

**Editor's Notebook**

★ Dr. C. Mervyn Maxwell, chairman of the religion department, discusses the Ecumenical movement and how the Seventh-day Adventist can relate himself to it.

★ The list of seniors on page 4 is a list of those who have reported their plans to the Student Affairs office. Seniors who have not reported are urged to do so as soon as possible.

**Letters To The Editor****Paralyzed Freedom**

The pursuit of life, liberty and happiness includes the pursuit of health. Without health, life, liberty and happiness become just so many words. We are often mistaken in our evaluation of our freedoms under the Bill of Rights in the Constitution; we have misconstrued those famous ten amendments in thinking they guarantee something to us. This conception—the so-called "guarantee of freedom of speech," etc.—paralyzes our judgment and curtails and obstructs our eternal struggle for freedom. The Bill of Rights actually consists of a series of prohibitions by free men against oppressive encroachments on their God-given rights by their servants in public office on the federal level. "Congress shall pass no law abridging . . ." This is the language of the Bill of Rights; an order of a sovereign people to their elected officials.

In this age of proliferating bureaucratic regulations and medical monopolies—should not our vigilance extend to all four facets of the above-mentioned pursuit, so that none of them be abridged?

Philip Johnston,  
senior sociology major

**Student Center Misuse**

The Student Center is undergoing a transformation. The implements placed there for recreation are being converted into "toys" which are used and then heedlessly discarded.

Last week, someone searched for the latest copy of *Life* but could not find it. He was under the impression that the Student Center ordered *Life*, *Sports Illustrated* and *Look* (among others) but he

couldn't find one recent issue. Someone had "walked off" with them!

He turned next to the stereo. Liking Percy Faith, he selected his album, withdrew the record and set the "platter" spinning on the turntable. But what came forth from those speakers was not Percy Faith! He looked through those albums for five minutes and never did find what he wanted. Someone had carelessly put the records in the wrong jackets, and there were finger prints and scratches all over each record.

Next he sought out a friend with whom to play a game of Sorry but when they looked inside the box, most of the game was missing. The only parts left were a few blue markers and a pile of worn-out cards. Consequently, they did not play Sorry.

Students of Union College—take care of your Student Center! It is yours, you know. The money that furnishes that room is your money. The records are bought with your money. The magazine subscriptions are purchased with your money.

Other schools seem to manage. The Student Union at Nebraska University has not been expensively re-done in over ten years. It is still in good shape.

Two years ago this summer, Union's Student Center was furnished with a new stereo, new games and a new carpet. By May of this year, thirty records (all new) will have been placed there for your enjoyment. Yet, all the things which have been furnished in the past are being mistreated.

What are you students doing to keep your "living room" in good

condition? Someone is wearing out your games (faster than necessary)! Someone is carelessly handling your records! Someone is constantly walking off with your magazines!

Something must be done about this! If these careless actions continue, the games, magazines and records will no longer be usable.

The conservation of the Student Center depends upon Y O U!!!

Dan Goddard,  
junior theology major

**Of Blades and Things**

As an admirer of the good taste and quality displayed in the CLOCK TOWER, I am frankly dismayed at one feature usually displayed on the back page, "On Campus" with Max Shulman.

Is it necessary, in the interest of selling Personna Blades, to stoop to the level of the worthless and at times to the realm of the indecent in humorous writing?

It is my opinion that we could be more proud of our paper if more aesthetic reading were substituted for the trash usually found in this department. Certainly the sale of Personna Blades would go up!

Leonard Westermeyer,  
freshman physics major

**A Vote of Thanks**

As the year draws to a close, I think that it would be appropriate to express to the editors a few words of appreciation for the work that they have done.

Having braved the onslaughts of . . . it is hoped that you will all bask in the tranquil bliss of a job well done and nearly over with.

A Satisfied Reader

**Ecumenism--Unity In Christendom**

By C. MERVYN MAXWELL

"Ecumenism," and its related term, "ecumenical," are two of the most commonly used words today, but they have such various shades of meaning that it may be not everyone knows what they mean, or how Adventists ought best relate themselves to them.

The exact word "ecumenism" is rather new arrival in the semantic zoo, having been created by deliberately shortening its clumsy ancestor, "ecumenicalism." Ultimately both it and the adjective "ecumenical" are derived from the Greek word, *ecumene*, meaning "the entire inhabited world."

"Ecumenical" comes in two distinct species, one Catholic and the other formerly Protestant but rapidly becoming Catholic as well. Back in the early days of church history the Christians summoned a series of "ecumenical" councils, so described because delegates came to them from all over the separate areas.

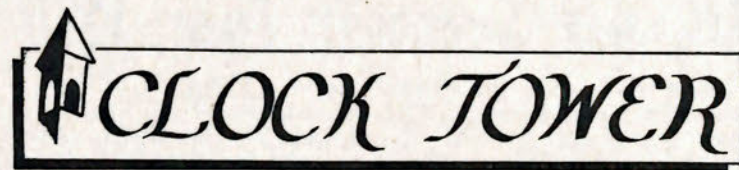
Adventists believe in unity but not in unity at any price. In fact Adventists see the ecumenical movement today as a fulfillment of Revelation's image to the beast, and especially as the fulfillment of *Great Controversy*, p. 588: "Through these two great errors, the immortality of the soul and Sunday sacredness, Satan will bring the people under his deceptions. While the former lays the foundation of Spiritualism, the latter creates a bond of sympathy with Rome. The Protestants of the United States will be foremost in stretching their hands across the gulf to grasp the hand of Spiritualism; they will reach over

the abyss to clasp hands with the Roman power; and under the influence of this threefold union, this country will follow in the steps of Rome in trampling on the rights of conscience."

How truly this prophecy is being fulfilled may be seen in a recent summary of ecumenical events in the Jewish journal, *America*, this very spring. This report states, rep-

resentatives of the Roman Catholic church will hold meetings with representatives of the American Baptists, the Lutherans, the Presbyterians, the Episcopalians, and, if you please, even the Methodists.

Ecumenism, the movement to unite all Christians into one great ecumenical fellowship, is very much alive and on the go in our world today.



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(Photos by Bud Gooch)

Sharon Franklin, recently chosen as "Miss Secretary" by the Pen Pushers Club, works in Mrs. Minium's office.

## Pen Pushers Give Awards

Sharon Franklin and Jan Whitcomb were chosen as Miss Secretary and Miss Business Education, respectively, at the annual Pen Pusher's Club banquet, Apr. 25 at Valentino's. The two girls elected

were chosen by the secretarial majors, minors and staff.

Jan Whitcomb is a senior from Sioux City, Ia. She is a graduate of Oak Park Academy and plans to teach shorthand, typing and office practice at Ozark Academy in Arkansas. Jan was presented a trophy, a corsage, a one-year subscription to *Forum* magazine and a one-year's membership in the United Business Education Association.

Sharon Franklin is a senior from Lincoln, Nebr. She is a graduate of Mountain View Union Academy. After her marriage this summer, Sharon will return to Union to be secretary to Dr. Neil W. Rowland, the new academic dean. Sharon was awarded a trophy, a corsage, a one-year subscription to *Today's Secretary* magazine and her name was placed on a plaque in the secretarial science hall.

Along with the presentation of these awards, Richard Burton, the club's sponsor, gave a comical program.

## Senior Music Majors Present Final Recitals

Six senior music majors and minors are presenting their senior recitals. They are: Brenda Christensen, voice; Don Duncan, clarinet; Barbara Favorito, cornet and trumpet; Carolyn Baker, voice; Georgetta Moles, keyboard; and Jerry Patton, voice.

Senior music majors who are graduating and juniors who are completing their minor requirements must perform in a recital of a half hour to an hour in length. They are given a grade on their performance and receive 1/2-1 hour of upper division credit for their effort.

## NEWS NOTES

• Dr. Melvin Hill will be the guest soloist for the final Andrews University band concert of the year on May 13. He will play Ralf Hermann's "Concerto for Horn and Band," the same one that he played with the UC Concert Winds. The 90-piece Andrews University band is directed by Norman Krogstad.

• A recent fire caused over \$125 damage to a belt-sander in the college furniture factory mill.

Electrical wiring and sand belts were burned and aluminum oil tubes were melted. The amount of working time lost was the greatest expense of the fire.

According to Ernie McGee, factory foreman, the real cause of the fire is still unknown. "It could have been an electrical short or a build up of sawdust which was set off by friction," he stated.

• Last school year over 2,000 volumes were added to the Union College library. This year an average of 50 new books have been placed on the shelves every week and already about \$8,000 have been spent. Also slightly less than \$3,000 have been spent for most of the 600 periodicals, some being gift subscriptions.

• All music lessons will be free for music majors now, according to the Union College Finance Committee. This action will save each music major about \$150 a year.



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## Rowland To Lead Summer MV

Dale Rowland, freshman pre-med student, will be the MV leader for the summer.

Assisting him is Linda Weygandt, freshman elementary education major, as assistant leader, and Joy Reeve, sophomore elementary education major, as secretary-treasurer. Chloe Foutz, assistant librarian, and Eldon Christie, instructor in history, are the MV sponsors for the summer.

These MV officers have planned a Friday night program on the ball field, Probe discussion groups on the lawn on Sabbath afternoon, MV quiz teams and perhaps an MV campout.

## College Camping Class Holds Crucial Campout

The physical education camping class conducted a campout over the May 5-7 week end. The class left Union College Friday morning for Niobrara State Park on the Niobrara River in northern Nebraska. The class divided into several groups, each group being responsible for its own food and shelter. The students practiced the rules of outdoor living that had been learned in the classroom. Elder Paul De Booy, MV secretary for the Central Union, was the speaker for the Friday evening and Sabbath services.



(Photo by Bud Gooch)

Jerry Mitchell, Ralph Kerr, Linda Mills, Rodney Bieber and Orville Baer get ready for a theoretical take-off.

## Pearson Names Flying Club

The Union College flying club received its official title, "The Wings of Union," submitted by Ernie Pearson, junior music major, at the club's last meeting.

The name for the club was chosen by popular vote from a list of 30 possibilities submitted by students. The student whose name was chosen was given the choice of one hour of free flight instruction or an airplane ride.

The idea for a flying club was first stimulated when it was found that quite a number of students were interested in flying. Orville Baer, flight instructor, began to promote interest in a flying club as more and more Union College students began to take flight instruction.

Presently two members of the club of 22 students have received their private licenses and approximately ten more are working for theirs also. The club is sponsored by James E. Gilbert, instructor in physics.

The club's officers are: Ralph Kerr, president; Rodney Bieber, vice-president; Linda Mills, secretary; and Jerry Mitchell, public relations.

The club will be planning various activities including films, guest speakers and programs concerning new flying developments, according to president Ralph Kerr. The Lincoln FFA representative is to present a program soon.

## Picnic Track Events To Be Held Tomorrow

BY BOB BLEHM

The annual school picnic which was scheduled for Wednesday, May 3, was snowed out, but it was decided it would be impossible to postpone it so the students had a disappointing picnic, but a snowy free day.

The track and field events that were scheduled for the day have been re-scheduled for this Friday, May 12. The events will start at 4 p.m. and will be over at 6 p.m. The championship softball game which was scheduled for Wednesday afternoon will be played at 5:15 today, May 11. The sophomores and juniors will be playing.

In the two preliminary games the freshmen were defeated by the juniors 9-0. Jan Schultz pitched a two-hitter for the juniors. Both of the freshmen's hits came with two

outs in the seventh inning.

The sophomores defeated the seniors 5-0 behind the no-hit pitching of Terry Verlo. Ron Hassen led the sophomores by getting two of their three hits.

## Gene Johnson Stars In 'A' League Softball

BY BOB BLEHM

There was only one game played in A league action last week. In this game Johnson defeated Verlo 2-0 behind the no-hit pitching of Gene Johnson. This was Johnson's third shut-out in as many starts. Johnson leads the league with a 3-0 record.

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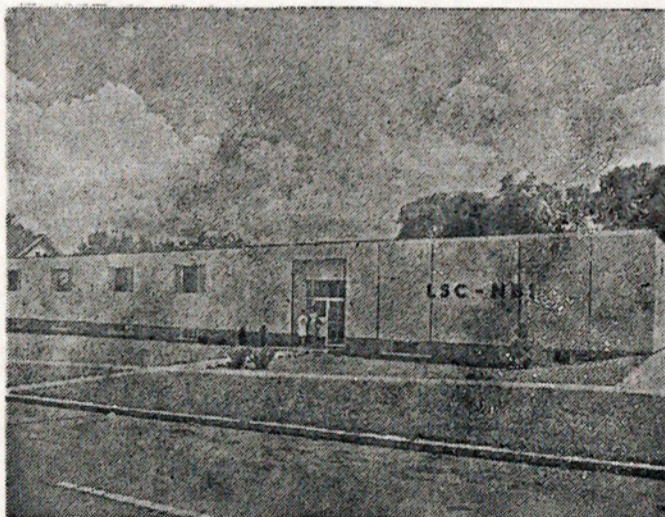
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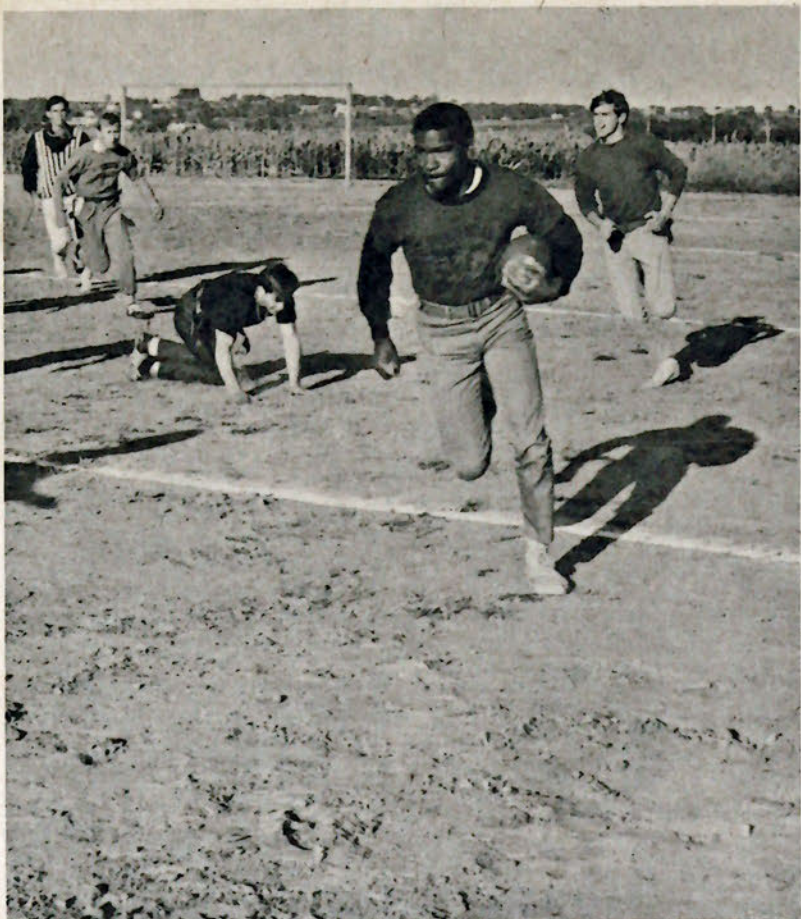
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## Teams Exhibit Good Spirit

Football action last week was tough with Unruh defeating Miller 26-20. Spike Lewis and Ed Patzer both ran for touchdowns while Ed Grosboll and Larry Unruh caught touchdown passes. Mike Miller, Tom Lewins, and Dave Swenson scored for Miller's team.

Fox edged Achord 12-6 with touchdown passes caught by W. Scott and Lary Taylor. Jim Anderson scored for Fox.

Blehm beat Skinner 15-6 with touchdowns made by Roy Ryan, Mr. Thayer, and Greg Wahlen. Gail Skinner scored for Skinner.

In the final game of the week

Skinner defeated Furne by a score of 33-18. Larry Brodin and Alvin Sanchez scored along with H. P. Sterling scoring twice for Skinner. Ervin Furne, Bill Sierra and Ron Carr scored for Furne.

In soccer action, Doug Moline shut out Phil Brailsford last Sunday by a score of 2-1. Moline and Joe Warda scored for Moline's team with Jose Anderson scoring for Brailsford.

"I have never seen such spirit and good sportsmanship as was displayed in both Brailsford's and Affolter's team. That makes the whole game in itself," commented Doug Moline after Sunday's game.

## Inklings . . .

"A total commitment for Christ" is the goal that Dr. R. W. Fowler has set forth for the Autumn Week of Prayer that begins, Friday, Oct. 20. Dr. Fowler says that this is one reason the administrative council chose the religion faculty to lead out in the program. To clarify this statement he added, "No one is as capable to help a person as some one who knows that person's needs."

Dr. C. M. Maxwell, chairman of the department of religion, states that plans are being formed to provide an inspiring week. He believes that the Week of Prayer should provide a meaningful stimulus for each student's spiritual need. The plan for the fall Week of Prayer is to extend an invitation in such a way that every student will want to give a positive response for Christ.

"Call For You"—Elder Paul Eldridge, president of the Far Eastern Division, gave this challenge to the students of UC at last Friday's convocation. Elder Eldridge has served the last 30 years in the Orient. He is now on a tour of the SDA colleges to develop more interest in the need of young workers in the Far East.

Coach Monte Kiffen, from the University of Nebraska football staff, was featured at Sigma Iota Kappa, Oct. 4. Kiffen, defensive

line coach, was an all-American football player in 1963. He played for the Vikings before coming to Nebraska. Kiffen brought a film showing Nebraska's victory over the University of Washington's football team.

Seventy-eight bands have been formed for Ingathering Field Day, Oct. 18. The deadline for joining a band has been extended to give all an opportunity to join. Many have been filled but there are a few bands still available for those desiring to participate. To enter a band one must sign his name on the chart in the College Relations office.

Mrs. Marguerite Casper and Miss Betty Pannabecker have joined the Department of Nursing faculty on the Denver Campus. Mrs. Casper and Miss Pannabecker are both registered nurses and received their M.S. degrees from Colorado University. Miss Pannabecker is teaching Nursing of Children and Mrs. Casper is teaching Nursing of Adults I and II.

All available men beware of the 1967-68 Sadie Hawkins man hunt. Union College's coquettes are stalking anything in trousers in an attempt to lasso a man for reverse evening, Oct. 21, the evening of the New Student Talent Program.

# Roommates Affect Academic Achievement

Rochester, N.Y. (I.P.)—Do college roommates affect each other's academic performance? For certain groups of students, the answer is yes, according to a study on "Roommate Choice and Academic Achievement" recently conducted by Robert A. Pierce, instructor in psychiatry at the University of Rochester School of Medicine and clinical psychologist in the University's Student Health Service.

Colleges and universities tend to regard the provision of housing facilities for their students as a service—perhaps more for parents than students—rather than as an educational tool, Dr. Pierce says.

However, housing arrangements do appear to have educational implications, according to his survey of two groups of students and their roommates. He found that the students in the by sex and by class.

fall semester of a class in Introductory Psychology tended to achieve at a level similar to that of their roommates, but that there were interesting differences when the group was broken down

For the overall group, only men's achievement levels were significantly related to those of their roommates. Broken down by class, however, the survey showed that freshmen, "who are for the most part arbitrarily assigned to each other, tend to accommodate their level of achievement to that of their roommates."

Among upperclassmen, who are free to choose their roommates, it appeared that "men choose roommates who achieve similarly to themselves . . . while women seem to pay no attention to this dimension at all."

Repeating the study with the spring semester class and their roommates, Dr. Pierce again found that the overall group tended to achieve at a level similar to that of their roommates, as did the freshmen. "But the findings that upperclass men match their levels of achievement even more closely to that of their roommates, or choose roommates of similar achievement levels, was not borne out in the second study," he said.

On the basis of his findings, Dr. Pierce concluded that "among certain groups of students, school achievement correlates positively between roommates" and that "overachievement" probably accounts for a fair portion of this effect. (An overachiever was defined in the study as a student whose class standing at the end of the semester or of the academic year was higher than his ability as measured by College Board scores.)

The latter conclusion was based on the fact that of the roommate pairs whose achievements were most similar, nearly half showed mutual overachievement, rather than mutual underachievement, "convergence" (the

brighter student underachieved and the less bright student overachiever), or "divergence" (the brighter student overachieved and the less bright student underachieved).

In the total group of students, there were more pairs of mutual over- and under-achievers than

pairs showing convergence or divergence. This suggests, he said, that "some roommates may arrive at a common understanding, perhaps not explicitly stated, about the value of grades and of studying, and then study accordingly, thus overachieving or underachieving together."



## On Campus with Max Shulman

(By the author of "Rally Round the Flag, Boys!", "Dobie Gillis," etc.)

### THERE ARE NO BAD TEACHERS; THERE ARE ONLY BAD STUDENTS

The academic year has only just begun and already one thing is clear: you're not ready for college.

What, then, should you do? Should you throw up your hands and quit? I say no! I say you must attack, grapple, cope! I say America did not become the world's leader in motel construction and kidney transplants by running away from a fight!

To the question then: You say you're not ready for college. You're too green, too naive. You lack maturity.

Okay, the answer is simple: get mature. How? Well sir, to achieve maturity you need two things:

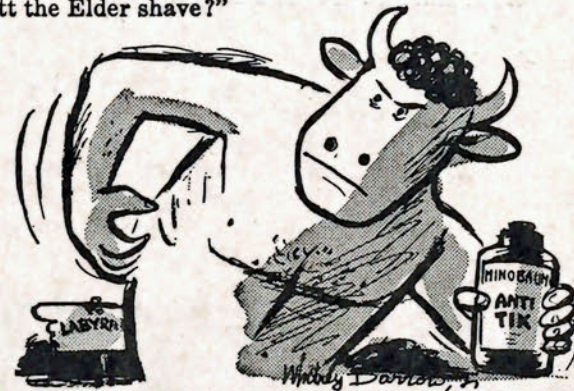
- a) a probing mind;
- b) a vest.

A probing mind will be quickly yours if you'll remember that education consists not of answers but of questions. Blindly accepting information and dumbly memorizing data is high school stuff. In college you don't just accept. You dispute, you push, you pry, you challenge. If, for instance, your physics prof says, "E equals mc squared," don't just write it down. Say to the prof, "Why?"

This will show him two things:

- a) Your mind is a keen, thrusting instrument.
- b) You are in the wrong major.

Ask questions, questions, and more questions. That is the essence of maturity, the heart and liver of education. Nothing will more quickly convince the teachers that you are of college calibre. And the tougher your questions, the better. Come to class with queries that dart and flash, that make unexpected sallies into uncharted territory. Ask things which have never been asked before, like "How tall was Nietzsche?" and "Did the Minotaur have ticks? If so, were they immortal?" and "How often did Pitt the Elder shave?"



(Incidentally, you may never know the complete answer to Pitt the Elder's shaving habits, but of one thing you can be positive: no matter how often he shaved and no matter what blades he used, he never enjoyed the shaving comfort that you do. I am assuming, of course, that you use Personna Super Stainless Steel Blades, a logical assumption to make when one is addressing college men—which is to say men of perspicacity, discrimination, wit, taste, cognizance, and shrewdness—for Personna is a blade to please the perspicacious, delight the discriminating, win the witty, tickle the tasteful, coddle the cognizer, and shave the shrewd.)

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But I digress. We have now solved the problem of maturity. In subsequent columns we'll take up other issues, equally burning. Since 1953 when this column first started running in your campus paper, we've tackled such thorny questions as "Can a student of 19 find happiness with an economics professor of 90?" and "Should capital punishment for pledges be abolished?" and "Are room-mates sanitary?" Be assured that in this, our 14th year, we will not be less bold.

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### COMING EVENTS

Friday, Oct. 13, Sunset 6:50

8:00 p.m. Vespers

Connie Saunders

Paul Betlinski

Helmer Heghesan

Sabbath, Oct. 14

College View Church

8:30 a.m. 1st church,

Elder Adlai Esteb

9:40 a.m. Sabbath School

College Gymnasium

11:00 a.m. 2nd church,

Elder Adlai Esteb

6:30 p.m. Vespers

Saturday Night

8:00 p.m. Stan Midgley



# Living in San Blas

The dormitory lights had just gone out. I and my five Latin American roommates at the SDA college in Costa Rica were just beginning to relax into sleep when suddenly our peace was shattered by the terrifying sound of a girl screaming in her room at the other end of the corridor.

"Why is she screaming?" I asked, trying not to let my own fear show. My roommates replied from the one bed into which they had all dived at the sound of the scream, "either a man is trying to come in her window, or she is bothered by evil spirits." The screaming stopped and the hall monitor informed us that the girl had not seen a man but had screamed for no apparent reason.

"Good," I thought. "Now we can go to sleep in peace." But my roommates had no such thoughts. The bed in which they were all huddled was shaking like a trembling leaf. They were still scared. What was I to do? I knew the girls were much more superstitious and fearful of evil spirits than I was. In fact, I didn't really understand why they were scared. But they were so frightened that they refused to sleep. For ten minutes we lay in the tense silent blackness.

"Don't go to sleep before we do, Karla, please," pleaded one of my roommates. "I know I'll never get to sleep if I know you aren't awake and watching for us," added the twenty-three-year-old, four years my senior.

"Okay," I said, groping for my flashlight. After extracting it from my suitcase and finding my Bible, I seated myself on the only chair in the room and began to read Psalm 91 aloud: "He shall cover thee with His feathers and under his wings shalt thou trust; . . . thou shalt not be afraid for the terror by night." I continued to read aloud from Psalms. Five minutes later all of my roommates were asleep.

Strange experience for a stu-

dent missionary? Strange and new were nearly all of my experiences during the summer in Central America. My designated post was the San Blas Islands of Panama, but before I arrived there I visited four other countries in Central America. The incident related above occurred while I was an organ instructor at the college in Costa Rica, where the piano teachers did not know how to use the new organ the school had recently acquired. In the other countries I visited, I taught English and worked as an office secretary.

Each of these preliminary experiences was valuable in preparing me for what I was to meet when I arrived at the San Blas Indian Mission in Panama. In this remote and primitive area I found myself teaching first and second graders who wore gold rings in their noses and wore exotic and colorful costumes. I felt the tug of a child's hand in mine as I walked through the village of bamboo huts. I heard the eager voices of happy children begging me to sing "The Infantry Song" for them again. I had awed old women pulling at my light hair. I prepared antibiotic injections and put vaseline on bare feet cut by the sharp coral rocks of the San Blas beaches.

But more than anything else, I found what joy there is in discovering God and sharing the Saviour with someone else who needs Him and seeks Him. What can compare to having a heart-to-heart talk with a San Blas teenager about his problems and how God can help him solve these problems?

What does a student missionary meet? He meets a strange new environment, unusual food and a frustrating language barrier. He meets nearly impossible demands on his education, experience and adaptability. He meets loneliness and fear. But above all, he meets people and he meets God.



Children of the San Blas Islands standing in front of a native hut.

## Experimental School Proposed

Spokane, Wash. (I.P.)—Proposals for an experimental university such as is already in operation at San Francisco State College and Stanford University are embodied in the brief prepared for the President's Progress Committee and submitted to the Very Rev. John P. Leary, S.J., Gonzaga University president.

Stipulations in the proposal include:

1. A minimum number of students must register for the course in their major.
2. The course must be under the general area of courses outlined in the catalogue.
3. The instructor recommended either by the students or the department must be qualified to teach the course and approved by the dean.

The report stresses the point

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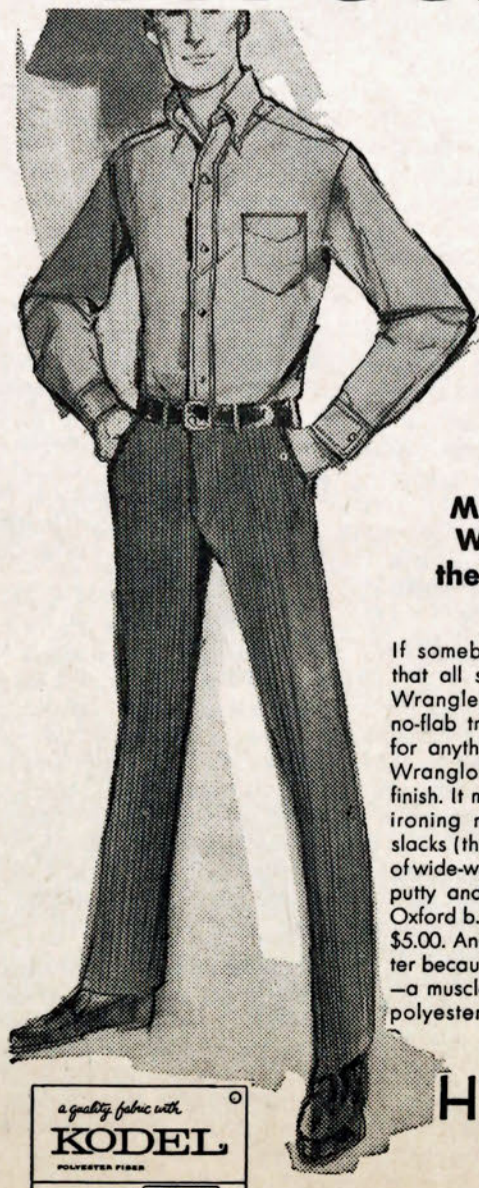
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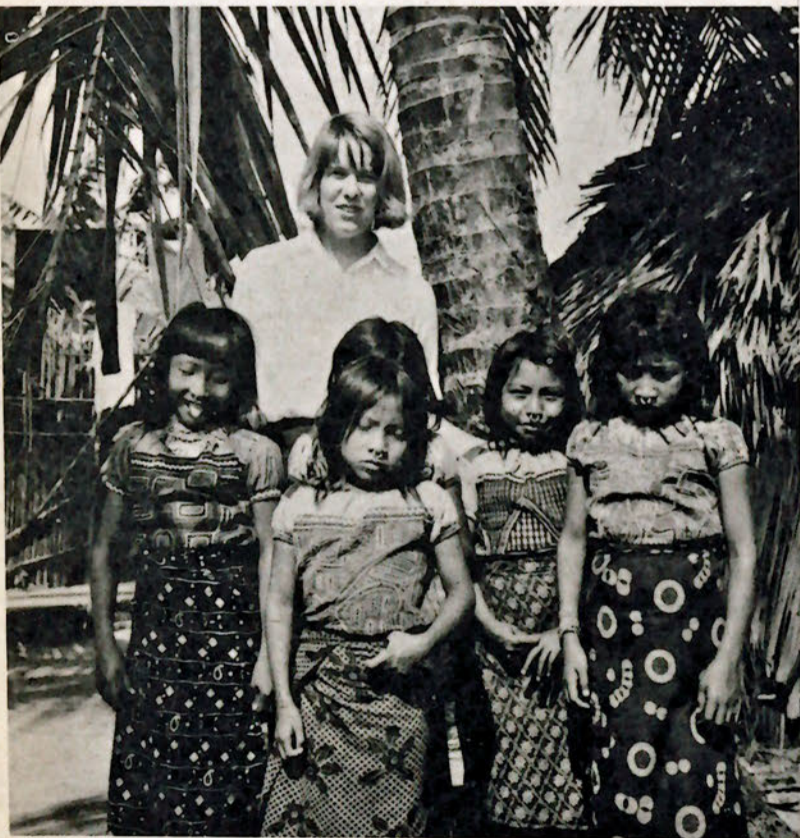
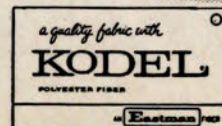
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