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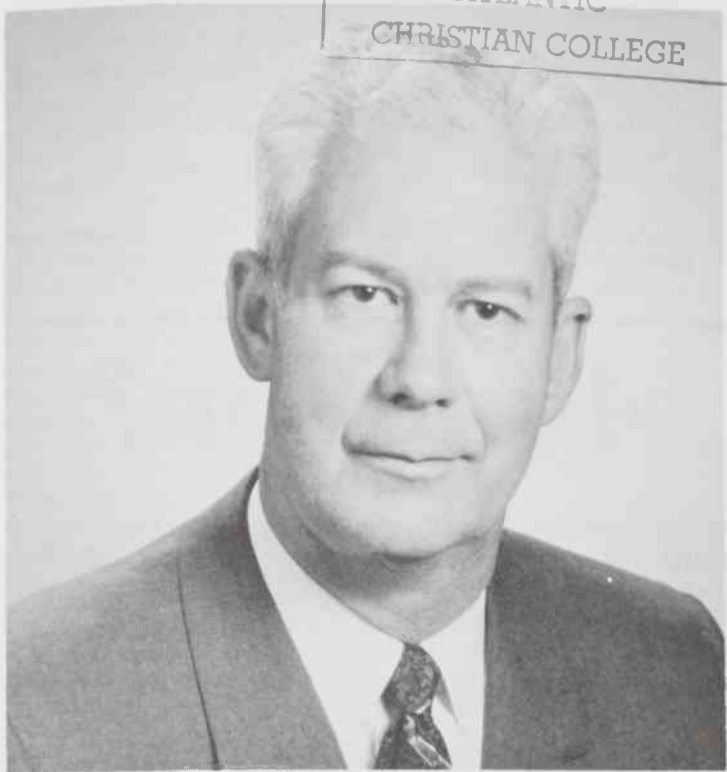
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D. J. Thurston Jr.

Thurston Donates \$100,000 Property

WILSON, N.C. — Thurston Motor Lines, Inc., of Charlotte, has made a gift of property located in Wilson valued at approximately \$100,000 to Atlantic Christian College's Fulfillment Fund Program, according to an announcement by T. J. Hackney Jr., general co-chairman of the campaign.

The property was formerly used by Thurston as a terminal prior to construction of its new terminal located on US 301 North. The property is located on Pender St., bounded by Industrial Ave., Harper St., and North Goldsboro St. extension. Receipt of the deed to the property completes an anonymous commitment which the college announced earlier

this year.

D. J. Thurston Jr., president of the company, upon completing final details of the gift said, "It has been my good fortune and that of many of my associates, to receive a very good education and training at a cost far less than the actual expense to others. If this little gift will in some way benefit and help others who follow us to have the advantage of a good Christian education, it will certainly be worthwhile, and we are more than fully repaid."

Since the property is not suitable for campus purposes, it will be placed on the market for sale at an early date, according to J.E. Paschall, chairman of the college's finance committee.

SGA Meeting Held

By MARY DENNIS

Plans for this year's homecoming were discussed at the October 2 meeting of the Student Government Association executive board. Fifteen members mapped out plans for the November 2-4 weekend.

Tom Kawana announced that the Friday night homecoming concert would start at 8 p.m. in the Wilson Gymnasium. Star-Spangled Washboard Band and Climax Blues Band are featured to play for the annual affair.

Dates were set for homecoming queen candidates' elections. Preliminary elections will be on Monday, October 15 and final elections will be on Monday, October 31. Voting for both elections will take place in Hines Hall and the Student Center between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.

The top 10 finalists will be presented in the cafeteria at the supper hour one night during homecoming week, prior to final elections. Crowning of the queen will take place during the Friday night concert intermission.

This year homecoming resumes the Saturday morning parade as well as an afternoon soccer match and evening Alumni-Student basketball scrimmage. Students are urged to participate in these activities. "Eagle" is scheduled to play in

concert on Wednesday, December 12, Tom Kawana also announced.

Ted Davis moved that junior women be granted self-regulatory hours on weekends. The motion passed and will be referred to the Student Life Committee.

Sue Roberts was elected to serve on the Disciplinary Committee. Students now have the opportunity to be heard in a new capacity.

President Andy Gay announced that Trustee Day will be on Wednesday, October 24. College trustees will roam the campus and have lunch in the cafeteria for the purpose of meeting AC students.

NTE Deadline Slated

Less than two weeks remain for prospective teachers who plan to take the National Teacher Examinations at Atlantic Christian College (Hardy Alumni Hall) on November 10, 1973 to submit their registrations for these tests to Educational Testing Service, Princeton New Jersey Zeb M. Whitehurst, III, Dean of Students announced today. Registrations for the examinations must be for-

ACC Students on Retreat

By DIANE TRUCKNER
and IRENE HALL

Want to know how an AC student can get to know other students, have a weekend off campus, enjoy home-cooked food, experience God through nature and fellowship with others, and have an overall good time? This past weekend, 30 AC students and their advisors did all of this on a BSU retreat at Camp Leach near Bath, N.C. This energetic group was headed up by Debbie Tippett, President of BSU at AC, and their advisors, Mr. Larry Bennett, Dr. Roger Bullard, and their state advisor, Mr. Kay Huggins.

After stuffing all these people and their luggage into seven small cars, they arrived at Camp Leach around 8:30 p.m. Friday. Once everyone had settled in, they assembled in the conference room for a time of singing, followed by the viewing and discussion of the film, "The Hangman." This symbolic film depicted modern man's prejudices against others and his unwillingness to stand up for anyone except himself. The discussion was followed by a brief devotional lead by one of the students.

Saturday morning arrived bright and early. The day began

with an assembly of the group beside the river at 7:45 for a brief devotional before breakfast. Shortly after breakfast, Dr. Bullard led the group in a talk and discussion on "The Will of God." The discussion was centered on God's intentional will and His will upon man in any given circumstance. The remainder of the morning was filled with recreation and free time.

In the afternoon, Mr. Kay Huggins talked with the group on statewide activities for college BSU's with the emphasis being placed on the upcoming fall and spring conventions. Summer opportunities for college students were also discussed.

Perhaps the highlight of the weekend was the "trust walk", the purpose of which was to teach the students to put their entire trust in the Lord. Each student had to test his trust in another person while being led around the camp grounds with his eyes closed. No words were to be spoken between the two, yet the guide was to show the blinded one the world around them. Each person was given a chance to lead and to be led.

The remainder of the afternoon was spent in free time and recreation, including

swimming in the Pamlico River, touring historical Bath, or just relaxing. Saturday night brought with it a continuance of the talk and discussion on "The Will of God" by Mr. Bennett. At this time, how God's will is revealed to man was discussed.

One of the purposes of this retreat was to bring up new ideas and suggestions for activities throughout the coming year. Some of the activities discussed were the possibility of a spring retreat with other area college BSU's, the possibility of a large group attending the fall convention in November, suggestions of working with some of the elderly in the Wilson area, and the possibility of AC's BSU conducting several worship services in an area hospital. Another brief devotional ended the scheduled activities for the night.

With the start of another day, the group met at the beautiful outside chapel by the river for a period of quiet meditation. Later in the morning, a worship service was conducted in the conference room by Dr. Bullard. This was also a time for reflecting upon and sharing blessings experienced over the weekend. After packing and cleaning, everyone departed by 1:00 Sunday afternoon. Tired but happy from the wonderful weekend, everyone safely returned to the campus by 3 p.m.

Oehler Presents Recital

Susan Oehler, flautist, will be presented in a faculty recital by the Atlantic Christian College Department of Music, on Oct. 8, at 8 p.m., in the choral room of the Willis and Roma Hackney Music Building on the college campus.

A full-time member of the music faculty at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, she serves as adjunct instructor in music at Atlantic Christian. She will be assisted by Barbara Rowan, pianist, and Donald Oehler, clarinetist, also of the UNC music faculty.

Mrs. Oehler's recital will consist mainly of 20th century American music. The program will include Mario Davidovsky's "Synchronisms No. 1" for flute and electronic sounds; the Walter Piston "Sonata" for flute and piano; the Alan Hovanes "Sonata" for solo flute; and the Aaron Coplan "Duo" for flute and piano.

The Piston "Sonata" dates among his earlier works. The "Duo" represents Copland's most recent compositions; it was written in 1971 in memory of William Kincaid, the former first flautist with the Philadelphia Orchestra.

The public is invited. There is no admissions charge.

Lucktenburg at ACC

Dr. George Lucktenburg, harpsichordist, will appear in a lecture-demonstration on the campus of Atlantic Christian College, Monday, Oct. 8, in the choral room of Hackney Music Building, at 4 p.m.

Dr. Lucktenburg will give demonstrations on both the Mozart piano as well as the harpsichord.

The harpsichord is an unusual keyboard instrument, similar to a piano in general structure but essentially different in tone quality. It was a favorite of the 17th and 18th centuries. Supplanted by the rapidly evolving piano during the 1800s, the harpsichord is now back in style and is drawing an ever-growing following among both performers and music lovers. Its extensive traditional literature is being substantially expanded by contemporary composers.

Dr. Lucktenburg brings his own elegant replica of an 18th century instrument with him in a specially-fitted truck "the Harpsicart."

Dr. Lucktenburg's second instrument is an exact replica of a 1784 Stein piano, called an 18th century piano — or a Mozart piano because of its association with the works of the 18th century master. The Mozart piano produces a quite different sound from the conventional instrument. The sound is brighter, more delicate, reminiscent of strings and woodwinds.

Lucktenburg says the piano is the intermediate step between the harpsichord and the modern piano. It has 61 keys, compared with the modern piano's 88. The modern-day bottom and top octaves are missing.

Of the instrument Lucktenburg says: "Everything is more delicate, smaller and thinner. It is flexible and expressive."

A native of Columbus, Ohio, Dr. Lucktenburg holds degrees from the University of Illinois and Florida State University in the U.S., and the Artist's Diploma from the State Academy of Music in Vienna, Austria. He has received Fulbright and Ford Foundation grants or advanced research study, and is the author of several published articles as well as editions of music pedagogical and concert use. Active in organizational work, he was founding president of the South Carolina chapter, and later served as president of the Southern Division, Music Teachers National Association.

In addition to concertizing as a solo harpsichordist and in duo recitals with his wife, Jerrie, Dr. Lucktenburg is chairman of the Graduate and Piano departments in the School of Music, Converse College, Spartanburg, S.C. Each summer is spent teaching piano and harpsichord at the National Music Camp, Inerlochen, Mich.



Lucktenburg