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# New Scruggs Brings Grass-Rock



Earl Scruggs, with his group, standing in front of Big Ben. The Earl Scruggs' Revue has been on tour of England and now are visiting U.S. college campuses.

The "new" Earl Scruggs will perform his grass-rock music for Gardner-Webb students and friends in Bost Gymnasium on Friday, September 6, at 8 p.m. Earl Scruggs will be accompanied by his band, "The Earl Scruggs Revue."

Who is the new Scruggs? He is the man who has changed the old ideas about country music. What is grass-rock? It is a combination of bluegrass and rock music.

Earl Scruggs, who has been on the Tonight Show, toured England and is now on his way to Boiling Springs. From the campus of the University of California to North Carolina State University, "The Earl Scruggs Revue" will stop to perform its unusual music for Gardner-Webb students.

Why has "The Earl Scruggs Revue" been such a success on college campuses? One reason is the style of his music which is so different from what we are used to associating with the name of Scruggs. Yes, his name is still Scruggs, and his job is still play-

ing the banjo. Yet he does not dominate the show. When he ended his long time association with Lester Flatt in 1969, Scruggs decided to follow new musical adventures.

He has since then put together a group of musicians which incorporates contemporary sounds, mostly folk-rock. Earl Scruggs describes his rejuvenated musical program as "A more contemporary sound . . . expanded . . . into other forms of music . . . such as blues, rock, jazz, modern country and pop." Each member of the group is allowed to receive a bit of special musical attention.

Now let us not forget the hometown of who went to the big city and made good. Scruggs grew up in Cleveland County. His actual home place is Flint Hill, which is only a mile or two from Gardner-Webb. Earl Scruggs is the son of a "banjo playing" father. Though his father died the same year Earl began learning the banjo, his mother never once discouraged him. Earl's older brothers were

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## Intern Programs Gains Momentum

This school term, Gardner-Webb College is very proud to have several new programs introduced. These programs offer internships into business administration, education, psychology, and sociology. The programs are designed to enable students to develop their full potential in their chosen vocation.

Students learn on-the-job training in their vocation. They work in different areas of their assignment and find out "just what it is all

about." Students are given close supervision during their internship by their employers and college professors. Written reports are made periodically by the supervisors of the internship to the college professor on the progress of the student.

Some of our students are working on internships in business administration. Danny L. Ham, a senior business administration major, worked this summer at Wendell Fabrics in Blacksburg.

During the 13-week internship, Ham worked in 12 different departments, learning as much as possible about the operation of the company. For his work he earned 15 hours college credit toward his degree in business administration.

Both student and industry personnel have nothing but praise for the program.

"We think this is an excellent program and we are most appreciative to Gardner-Webb for this opportunity to share in the education of this fine young man," comments Carolyn Campbell, personnel director. Danny is also well pleased with the program and what it has to offer.

Another student of Gardner-Webb, Leonard Houston is presently in the middle of a 13-week internship with Dover Textiles, working in that firm's Ore Mill in Shelby. Houston comments on how much he enjoyed the challenge to work and learn something new almost everyday.

Lavon Laye, personnel director of the industry said he had found the college officials very cooperative and had nothing but praise for the intern program.

"I can say from experience that this is an excellent program," said Laye. "The closeness of the school to our Shelby operations, plus the caliber of the students and the outstanding faculty at the college makes this a natural for Dover. We are most happy to be able to take advantage of this program."

ministries supported by DIMENSION. Various activities of this area include Revival Teams, Jail Ministry, Rest Home Ministry, Tutoring Program, and Hospital Ministry.

Beginning September 5, there will be Thursday evening periods of information and worship at 6:00 in Dover Chapel. By offering a variety in these presentations, the program committee hopes to meet the interests of many students.

John Barnhardt, President of DIMENSION, serves as the student coordinator of the Inner Campus Ministries. Student coordinator of F.O.C.U.S. is Mickey Mahaffey. B.F. is the secretary.

DIMENSION, operating as the Gardner-Webb College Extension, of the Baptist Student Union, is open for students of all denominations.

## NEW 'DIMENSIONS'

Born of concern for the development of the whole person, DIMENSION represents the collective program of student activities designed to contribute to the spiritual environment of daily campus life.

In order to provide students with a variety of inspirational activities, DIMENSION is divided into two distinct programs.

The "Inner Campus Ministries" is that division of the program dealing specifically with on-campus activities. Among the organizations supported by the Inner Campus Ministries are: Baptist Young Women, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Religious Education Club, Ministerial Alliance, and other on-campus concerns.

The Fellowship of Christians United in Service (F.O.C.U.S.) is the organization of all off-campus

## Lawson Holds Fall Revival

Beginning Monday, September 9 and continuing through Friday September 13, the annual fall revival for the Gardner-Webb campus will be led by evangelist Bill Lawson. Dr. Lawson is currently pastor of the Wheeler Avenue Baptist Church, and professor of Black studies at the University of Houston, in Houston, Texas. He is in great demand to speak at student conferences and revivals throughout the United States, and has spoken before at Gloria, and Ridgecrest. He was also involved with Mission '70 in Atlanta, where thousands of college students, and young single adults came by invitation for a week of exciting and creative worship and sharing experiences. "He is a fantastic speaker. He will be tremendously interesting and challenging," commented Mr. Ray Poppe. Mr. Lawson has spoken at Gardner-Webb before but only for a short engagement.

The revival theme is "Insight Outbreast" a phrase which typifies Mr. Lawson according to Mr. Robert Decker who stated that he was "The kind of person that causes us to look inward to new concepts about ourselves and then reach out to others." The services will be held in the Bost Gymnasium at 9:40 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday and Thursday. Rescheduling will be made in

order that no classes are missed. Services will also be held on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights at 6:15 p.m.

Music for the revival will be led by Ronald Luck, soloist, who will also be directing a 100 voice choir, comprised of all students who desire to participate. The choir will be under the direction of Mr. Robert Decker during pre-revival rehearsals.

Mr. Luck is presently serving as Minister of Music and Youth in Chesapeake, Virginia, at Jackson Memorial Baptist Church. He has served in over seven churches, over the past 14 years. The revival choir will be singing in all of the morning services, and will be accompanied by the Bulldog Band during the Wednesday services. Mr. Luck will be the soloist for the night services, and will also be singing in some of the morning services.

Much work has gone into the planning of this revival. Dr. Lamb, chairman of the Religious Activities Committee, has been overall director of the revival work team.

Dr. Phillip Ferrin is responsible for special musical selections, and Mrs. George R. Cribb is revival hostess. Mr. Ray Poppe is in charge of transportation, and Mr. Greg Alexander, on Tuesday and Friday, is arranging a special musical meeting featuring Gene Cotton, folk music artist.