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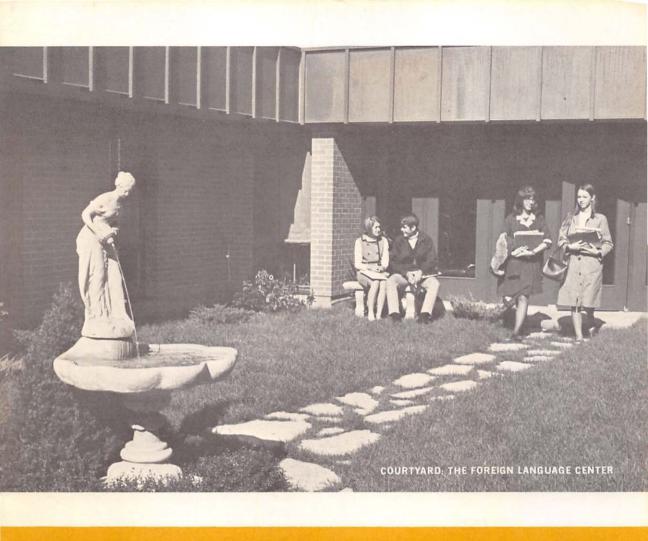
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# THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Convention is over now but the memory lingers on. The memory of the outstanding job the Michiguilders did on Saturday night with their theme of ROSES. And there were roses everywhere—on the tables, on the stage and even in the color of the dresses worn by the Michigan Guild women. Meeting Acting President Huegli for the first time and being so impressed with his State of the University address. Memories of the talks given by the various departments represented this year left no doubt that our students are in such good hands. The thrilling experience of participating in the dedication of the Loke Home Economics Center—a building that our Guild had given the initial financial thrust to. And our own banquet speaker (her talk on fabrics was a topic so close to every woman's heart) being given an honorary degree. Yes-the memory lingers on!

Many familiar faces were missing and we encourage those of you who were absent to read in detail all of the Bulletin. For when you do, you will feel that you have been at the Convention, too. All of the meetings, the business and the social aspect of the Convention are covered in detail in the minutes, the Report of the National President, the Reporters column and in the Report of the Executive Director.

And looking to the future now, we would emphasize two thoughts—members and money! It was with regret that we learned that six chapters had been dropped and none added during this past year. In the words of our Convention theme "now be strong and work"—we need a strength in members so that we might work. Work that we might send in the money that is so urgently needed. Let us all set as a goal for this year the addition of new members to our chapters. Ten new members per chapter would put us over the 10,000 mark—a goal of your new president. And if you know of a city where we might start a new chapter, let us know and we will go into action.

Our adopted project for the year is for equipment for the physics department. Please read in detail the resolution regarding this project. Physics is a subject required of all pre-meds, pre-dents, pre-nursing, engineers and all elementary teaching majors. Without this vital hub, a department whose equipment becomes outdated in three to four years, most other departments on the campus would suffer. The urgency of the request from the administration for this aid from the Guild did not go unheeded. Now let us be strong and work and make our project fund even larger than the record breaking amount we sent in this past year.

May I again pay tribute to the dedicated service of outgoing president Wilma Jacobs. Her record of fourteen years of continuous service to the Guild is an inspiration to all of us. We are truly grateful for all that she has done for the University.

I shall look forward to meeting and greeting many of you personally during the next two years.

Bette Froehlich

#### **FROM**

#### **CHANCELLOR**

#### KRETZMANN

# FROM PRESIDENT HUEGLI

For the first time in many years I was not able to attend the Guild convention. This leaves me with a sense of sorrow since I have always considered the annual meeting of the Guild leaders one of the high spots in our academic calendar.

As I look back over the years I find that one of the most significant and welcome parts of my work revolved around the work of the Guild. At this moment I wish particularly to pay high tribute to the consistently fine quality of the national officers. Again this year with the change of presidents Mrs. Jacobs moves from the podium to a seat on the administrative committee and Mrs. Froehlich is elected to take her place. As Betty Ann assumes the high office of president our good wishes and pravers accompany her. When I look back on the long line of the consistently high quality of national presidents I am constantly aware of the high standards of our leaders. The Guild has been very fortunate in this respect. Certainly I would like to use these few lines to pay tribute to the women who have headed the Guild for all these troubled and anxious years.

The most striking factor about the work of the Guild has been the way in which they have carried on no matter what has been going on in the world outside. During a hot war—a cold war—during hate and fear—during the vast mysterious changes that have come over our world—the rebellion of youth—the Guild has carried on its years of building. Long after the major actors of our dramatic hour have moved off the stage and have been well nigh forgotten, there will still be these lasting evidences of faith and hope which the Guild has created on this campus.

In addition, of course, to the tangible evidences of the work of the Guild there is the less tangible, but nevertheless very real, gratitude of the younger generation which will extend over the years into the third millennium of Christian history, and, God willing, beyond that. Even if God in His divine providence should permit all the physical evidences of our work to be blown up in a new Armageddon we shall nevertheless have the memory and hope of entire generations who have received their ultimate training here at Valparaiso University.

So I missed the 1968 convention! In the past I have traveled more than fifteen hundred miles from various points in order to be present at this annual gathering of the Guild leaders. This year, however, it was more than six thousand miles, and I did not feel that my presence was worth that much money to any one. In spirit, however, I attended the quiet vespers and especially the famous question and answer period. It will always be one of the real significant marks of the Guild that they were able to ask the right questions. It was not always possible for us to answer them all, but they were certainly hitting the major and decisive problems of a campus like ours in the third quarter of the twentieth century.

So I missed this one. But somewhere—six thousand miles away—you may be sure that an aged administrator thought of you with much gratitude and affection.

"Never underestimate the power of a woman" is a familiar expression which can be readily verified by almost any man. When the ladies are taken collectively, they are a formidable force indeed. The V.U. Guild is a powerhouse of purpose and accomplishment. That was evident once again at the annual Guild convention in September.

"Guild-power" was manifested in the busy agenda. Only a strong organization would have had the courage to plow through numerous reports, elections, and decisions, yet come out smiling for the social affairs and other less strenuous activities. These annual conventions are serious business to lots of ladies, and one is impressed by the note-taking and earnest attention throughout the sessions. The pleasant interludes are taken seriously, too. The sunshine-dappled dedication of the Loke Home Economics Center was made an even brighter occasion by the attendance of the Guild members who helped make the building possible.

"Guild-power" was very apparent in the practical approach of the Guild to the problems of the University. The members of the Guild not only want to know; they also want to put their knowledge to work. Given some areas of campus need, they seek to become involved in the solutions. If funds are required, they are ready to pledge support, though not a penny is yet available in the treasury. With infinite faith in the Lord and in their organized efforts, they unhesitatingly move forward into the achievement of budgets that would stagger any other group.

"Guild-power" is a conviction, of course. It is a firm belief in the goals of the University as it seeks to serve a gifted and sometimes troubled generation of young people. Many men and women support the University—some because they have a son or daughter here, others because the school is an attractive or stimulating or respected center of learning. But to the Guild ladies the University is a mission—a God-given opportunity to build an institution where the best of man's wisdom can be explored in the light of the wisdom of the Lord Himself. And that vision—so ably described over the years by Dr. Kretzmann—is both a goal and a source of great strength.

"Guild-power," finally, is people—the individuals who make up the chapters and serve as the officers. One cannot help but admire their devotion to an idea for which they are ready to give countless hours and enormous amounts of energy. It would not be possible to pay tribute to all of them individually, but certainly two should be singled out. One is Mrs. Wilma Jacobs, whose excellent services as a national officer have been enjoyed by the Guild for a number of years, culminating in her national presidency. The other is the smooth, effective administration of the Executive Director, Mrs. Bernice Ruprecht. You could hardly find two more fitting examples of what really constitutes "Guild-power."

To all of the Guild from all of us at the University: We are happy that "Guild-power" is applied to V.U., for its very presence keeps "campus-power" running in high gear. Our gratitude and warm good wishes to you!

### MINUTES 37th Annual Convention

#### VALPARAISO UNIVERSITY GUILD SEPTEMBER 27, 28, 29, 1968

The 37th Annual Convention of the Valparaiso University Guild opened on September 27, 1968 at 1:15 p.m. in the Great Hall of the Union with devotions by Dr. Norman Nagel, Dean of the Chapel. Following the prayer a vocal selection was presented by Mrs. Max Nagel.

Dr. Nagel chose as his text Luke 23:54-56 and commented as follows: Luke was most appreciative of the ladies — there are more ladies in the Book of Luke than in any other Book of the Bible. Luke points out how the women always had strength and courage to carry on in times of stress, whereas the men sometimes collapsed. This is also true today. Many men in our nation are lost. they look at one another in blank perplexity. They become frustrated at their jobs when things don't work out as expected. But women can't just sit and mope in times of stress, with all their duties in the home they simply must get on with it. The University is also confronted with perplexing problems these days. There is much talk about "What does it mean to be a Christian University." As the men are casting about for the answer, the women are not just sitting around until they find the answer. They are continuing in their work for the University through the Guild by supplying things the University needs, and are doing it for the love of Christ.

#### **FLAG PRESENTATION**

The flag presentation ceremony was narrated by Mrs. W. Ralph Jewell, and the Christian, American, and Valparaiso University flags were presented by Mrs. William Kraemer, Mrs. W. Christopher, and Mrs. B. E. Buente, Jr., respectively.

#### **BUSINESS SESSION**

The president, Mrs. Louis A. Jacobs, called the meeting to order and extended greetings to all members present. Greetings were also extended to the assembly by Mrs. Seth Moseley, President of the Valparaiso Chapter.

#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Mrs. Fred Froehlich, First Vice President, took the chair while the president gave her annual report. (The president's report is printed elsewhere in this Bulletin.)

#### MINUTES

Inasmuch as the minutes of the 1967 Convention were printed in the November 1967 Guild Bulletin, it was moved and seconded to dispense with the reading of the minutes. Motion carried.

#### **PRESENTATION OF CONVENTION COMMITTEES**

The president introduced the members of the following committees: Activities, Calendar, Revisions, and Convention. Also introduced at this time were the Reporter, Historian, Parliamentarian, and past National Presidents.

#### **COMMITTEE TO APPROVE MINUTES OF CONVENTION**

The president appointed Mrs. John Ader and Mrs. Roger Rouse to approve the minutes of this convention.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

The treasurer, Mrs. Paul Beelke, presented the following report:

July 1, 1967 through June 30, 1968

Balance on Hand:		
Reserve Account		\$2,000.00
Receipts:		-
Current Fund	\$13,221.65	
Project Fund	51,654.87	
Special Projects	1,500.00	
Chapel Fund	2,207.50	
Guild Special	690.00	
Calendar Fund:		
Mrs. H. Madoerin \$2,022.24		
Mrs. P. Beelke 55.00	2,077.24	
Refund Travel	29.00	
Pins, Seals, Manuals, etc.	36.15	71,416.41
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Disbursements:		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
LUA Current Fund	13,221.65	
LUA Project Fund	42,323.90	
LUA Special Projects	1,500.00	
LUA Chapel Fund	2,207.50	
LUA Guild Special	690.00	
LUA Calendar Fund	2,077.24	
Treasurer's Bond	13.00	
Gifts	5.63	
Postage	48.69	
Telephone & Telegraph	29.01	
Miscellaneous	10.00	
Bulletins	2,041.00	
Printing & Supplies	975.22	
Travel-Organizational	2,301.39	
Travel-Chapter Presidents	3,972.18	71,416.41
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Balance on hand, Liberty National Bank-Buffalo, N.Y.
Reserve Account 2,000.00
\$73,416.41

#### **AUDITOR'S REPORT**

The report of the Auditor, Mr. Fred A. Michels, Accountant, was read by the secretary. It was moved, seconded and carried to accept the auditor's report.

#### **MEMORIAL WREATHS**

The treasurer explained the procedure to be followed when submitting Memorial Wreaths, pointing out that they are no longer sent to the National Treasurer, but directly to the Library. Also, all remittances are to be

made payable to "Valparaiso University." Although the funds no longer flow through the Guild treasury, the Memorials will continue to be published in the Guild Bulletin.

#### HISTORIAN'S REPORT

The historian, Mrs. Frederick D. Schmalz reported as follows: Among the entries in this year's Guild history will be noted a few "extra-curricular" happenings on the part of several important Guilders.

- 1. Our dear friend and Executive Director, "Ber" Ruprecht has received an appointment from Dr. Oliver Harms as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod Foundation, and the Distinguished Alumni Award will be presented to her on October 20.
- 2. Our Parliamentarian, Mrs. Walter Hoppe received a certificate from the Ohio District of LWML bestowing upon her the title of Honorary President of the LWML Ohio District.
- 3. Although he is not a Guilder in the sense that you and I are what would our Guild have been without him? Dr. O. P. Kretzmann was appointed Chancellor of Valparaiso University for the next academic year.



CHANCELLOR O. P. KRETZMANN

#### PARLIAMENTARIAN'S REPORT

The parliamentarian, Mrs. Walter Hoppe, stated in her report that it is parliamentary law which gives us the basic plan that governs our assemblies. It permits us to have free and fair discussion in our meetings, and gives us equality. Each member of an organization has equal rights conferred upon him and he uses these rights by maintaining an attitude of restrained feelings when discussing a question. We must learn to disagree agreeably. There is also the rule of the majority and the rights of the minority. We practice parliamentary procedure just by having officers and rules to guide us. Where there is law and order in administration much can be accomplished in a shorter time. As we grow in experience and service we grow also in the application of these basic plans of parliamentary procedure. We understand more the logic of these plans. Parliamentary law is merely common sense applied in a gracious manner.

#### **ENGINEERING AT VALPARAISO UNIVERSITY**

The First Vice President introduced Professor Fred Kruger, Dean of College of Engineering who spoke on "Engineering at Valpo." Professor Kruger commented as follows:

"It is the hope and desire of the College of Engineering to give the student not only an excellent engineering education, but also a good liberal arts education. It is important that the engineering student be involved with the laws of today's society, because after he is out a while he will have as many people problems to meet as he will have machine and efficiency problems, therefore it is important for him to mingle with the other students. This is a technical world, and three out of five graduates within several years after graduation have moved out of engineering and into some form of management. It is our intention to give the students something other than an engineering education.

"Valpo has the best undergraduate engineering program in the middle West. We have 21 faculty members in the College of Engineering, and their first love has to be teaching at the undergraduate level. They have to appreciate and get a bang out of seeing the eyes of a student light up when they finally get the point across.

The enrollment in the engineering college this year totals 400, 393 boys and 7 girls. We want no more than 140 first year engineering students; we do not want the College of Engineering to become unbalanced. Classes are comparatively small, with something less than 12 students to the laboratory.

"A student who graduates in the upper third of his class will doubtless receive \$2,000 or \$3,000 to go on to graduate school. For those students who desire to go immediately into industry we have about 200 companies who recruit on the campus, beginning the 1st of November through the 1st of April and the graduating senior is allowed to have interviews with these company representatives. There are approximately 75 graduates a year, of which about 25 go out into industry. The opportunities are tremendous for the engineering student who pursues his program. The average starting salary of those who went into industry was \$9,400 a year.

"The opportunities are great but it is not an easy program. We do not want any student admitted to the College of Engineering who does not have a reasonable chance of succeeding. To succeed takes will power and desire, and the student must decide whether he is willing to work hard to attain his goal.

"I am firmly convinced that the Valparaiso University engineering education is really a liberal arts education; we want our graduates to be good citizens as well as outstanding engineers. There is no other undergraduate school that can compare with the equipment at Valpo. The College has 13 general purpose class rooms and offices for the faculty of engineering and department of engineering, a design room, a graph room, a student lounge, and two experimental laboratories. Bachelor of Science degrees are given in Civil, Mechanical, and Electrical Engineering."



NATIONAL GUILD OFFICERS, I to r seated: Mrs. Fred Froehlich, President Mrs. Gene Bahls, 1st Vice-President standing: Miss Kathryn Liebelt, Secretary Mrs. Hershel Madoerin, 2nd Vice-President Mrs. Paul Beelke, Treasurer

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Activities Committee — In the absence of the chairman of the Activities Committee, Mrs. M. Alfred Bichsel, her report was read by the Second Vice President, Mrs. Gene Bahls. Mrs. Bichsel's report is published elsewhere in the Bulletin.

Calendar Committee — Mrs. Hershel Madoerin, chairman of the Calendar Committee presented the following report:

1968 Calendars Printed	\$7,700.00
Total Subscriptions	7,465.00
Total Funds Collected	3,699.17
Expenses	1,621.93
Net Profit —	\$2,077.24

Mrs. Madoerin also reported that 7,000 calendars have been printed for 1969 and subscriptions to date total 6.501. Funds collected, \$1,908; expenses \$1,022.32, leaving a profit of \$885.68 as of this date. Mrs. Madoerin stated that if chapters do not receive their calendars by September 1, they should so advise the committee.

#### RESOLUTION — CALENDAR FUNDS

The Resolution Committee presented the following resolution:

WHEREAS, a profit of \$2,077.24 has been realized from the sale of our 1968 calendars, and

WHEREAS, there exists a need for a Video Camera and Viceocorder, and

WHEREAS, this equipment would be used in many class rooms and for various purposes at the University, and

WHEREAS, the amount of \$2,077.24 shall be applied to help defray the greater cost of said equipment — total amount being \$2,499.70, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED that the Guild use these calendar monies for this purpose.

Resolution adopted September 27, 1968.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC**

The president introduced Prof. Larry Fleming, Director of Music at the Chapel, who spoke briefly about the work of the choir. He stated that the choir presented 14 concerts to approximately 27,000 people during their tour through the East last year, and made about \$1,200. (It costs about \$400 per concert to maintain the choir). This year they will tour through the northwest and Prof. Fleming urged the Guild and Alumni to promote the work of the choir because they have worked hard and have a legitimate place in the musical lives of our communities.

#### STATE UNIT PRESIDENTS REPORTS

The executive director, Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht, introduced the State Unit presidents who reported as follows:

ndiana — Mrs. Nelson Doty reported on the
Retreat held at Winona Lake April 27
and 28 with 75 in attendance. The
1969 Retreat will again be held at
Winona Lake in April, the exact date
to be announced later.

Michigan — Mrs. Paul Knecht announced that their state convention will be held October 15 in Detroit.

Wisconsin — Miss Lillian Roth reported on their convention held at Merrill, Wisconsin on April 23. Dr. Dorothy Paulsen Smith was the featured speaker, and Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht, Mrs. Louis Jacobs, and Mrs. Fred Froehlich also gave reports. The 1969 convention will be held April 22 in Appleton.

#### PERSON-TO-PERSON PROGRAM

Mr. James Siebert, Associate Director of Admissions, expressed his appreciation and thanks to all who have supported the Person-to-Person Program. Over 100 chapters are involved in the program.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Following announcements by the executive director and prayer by the second vice president, Mrs. Gene C. Bahls, the convention was recessed.

#### SATURDAY

The convention reconvened at 9:00 a.m. September 28, 1968. The matins led by Dr. Norman Nagel opened with prayer and the hymn "Almighty Father, Heaven and Earth." The sermon "God and Mammon" was based on Matthew 6:25-30. Dr. Nagel pointed out that Jesus warns against worldly things, such as food and clothing, playing a Godlike roll in the lives of His people. We love our food and clothing best when we love God first, and God's children know from whom they receive all things and from whom all things receive their meaning and purpose. Dr. Nagel closed with these words: "What comes from the oven, or that which is made by the needle shall be blest."

#### CORRESPONDENCE

The secretary read greetings from past Guild Presidents Mrs. Walter A. Hansen, and Mrs. H. A. Eberline. Also letters of thanks from Mr. Norman Hannewald for the band uniforms; students of Dau-Kreinheder Halls for the

piano; Dr. Huegli for the landscaping of the court yard of the Engineering-Mathematics Center and Foreign Language Building; and Dr. Dorothy Paulsen Smith for the Guild's contribution to the College of Nursing.

#### **REVISIONS COMMITTEE REPORT**

Mrs. William Tatman, chairman of the Revisions Committee presented the following proposed amendments to the Bylaws of the Valparaiso University Guild:

 Amend Article III Membership, be striking out all four sections and substituting the following:

Section 1. A regular member shall be any woman interested in Christian education as provided at Valparaiso University and who has paid the annual dues to a chapter.

Section 2. An individual member shall be any woman who resides in an area where there are no chapters, who is interested in Christian education as provided at Valparaiso University and who has paid the annual dues directly to the treasurer of the Guild. Individual members shall have all rights and privileges of regular members, including those of voting and holding office subject to the control of Article VI, Section 1(b).

 Amend Article IV Dues and Funds, Section 2, by striking out the words "the Lutheran University Association" and inserting the words "Valparaiso University."

 Amend Article VI, Section 1, Officers, Nominations and Elections, by adding the words "Executive Director" by adding a new paragraph (b) as follows: (b) All National Officers shall be members in good standing, dedicated to the purpose and ideals of the Guild, and members of the Lutheran Church in the United States or Canada.

Amend Section 2, second paragraph by inserting before the last sentence, as follows: "The consent of the nominees to serve if elected shall have been secured."

- Amend Article VII, Section 4, by adding the words "or executive director."
- Amend Article VIII, Administrative Committee, by changing the term "Administrative Committee" to the term "Board of Directors."
- 6. Amend Article IX, Executive Board, by changing the term "Executive Board" to "Executive Council."

**Amend Section 1** by striking out the words: "Guild officers, executive director," and inserting the words "Board of Directors."

Amend same section by inserting the words "past executive directors" between the words, "past presidents of the Guild" and "historian."

- Amend Article IX, Section 3, by adding the words "or by a special request of 25% of the members of the Executive Council."
- Amend Article X, Committees, Section 1(a) by adding the words "by supplying ideas for increasing the membership and methods of fund raising."

A motion was made, seconded and carried that the above amendments be accepted.

#### INTERNATIONAL STUDIES PROGRAM

The second vice president, Mrs. Gene Bahls, introduced Prof. Martin Schaefer who spoke on the Interna-



RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE, I to r Mrs. Ila Buntrock, Mrs. Robert Woiwood, Mrs. Donald Wilson

tional Studies Program, and presented Miss Jane Buntrock who studied in Cambridge and Miss Connie Scheider who studied in Germany.

Prof. Martin commented as follows: "The University is very much interested in study abroad for its students. The objective of the International Studies Program is to provide that kind of enrichment of the Liberal Arts training program in the modern world which requires so much more than ever before, a deep understanding of humanities. Study abroad for an extended period of time helps the student to think of himself as an individual human being and helps him to understand other people. 150-200 universities maintain programs of this sort. The Valpo program took shape in 1967 in order to facilitate sending students abroad in January 1968.

"All Centers abroad are arranged by direction of a faculty member of Valparaiso University. In each Center teaching is implemented and enriched through the participation of dedicated, loyal people. One of the greatest advantages an undergraduate can have is the experience of four or five months study abroad and not lose time toward acquiring the usual AB degree within the required time. 17 of the 21 departments of Arts and Sciences are represented in the program. 46 students were involved in the program last spring and this semester there are 31 students studying abroad. In both Centers (Cambridge and Germany) the students establish a feeling of wisdom."

Jane Buntrock who studied at Cambridge said it was the most fantastic experience in her life. She commented as follows: "It was unique because it was different, not like going over there to study, but more like touring. It was like having Valpo in Cambridge — the University exports its whole system and implants it at Cambridge.

"Cambridge is unique in England, it is saturated with English history; it is a great center of English cultural life, and industry has been kept out. It is cosmopolitan—all kinds of people come there to learn to speak English the proper way.

"Studying abroad gave me the chance to look at that culture first hand; to look at the United States through another culture's eyes. It helps you to look objectively, and I gained a sense of confidence, independence and self assurance."

Connie Scheider who studied in Germany said the college she attended compares to a State Teacher's College in the United States. Each student could pick up 15 credit hours during the time they studied there.

To Connie, the most important thing she gained from studying abroad was what she learned about the people and herself. Also, the fact that she had people she knew to share, compare, criticize, and comment, made the experience more exciting.

"We need the overseas program, Connie said, we need to experiment and learn to understand people for what they are. We need to learn freedom, the freedom of knowledge, the freedom of differences. This freedom to appreciate, understand, and respect others and not be afraid of differences or what to do is the greatest gift I have ever been given."

#### REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Mrs. Thomas Fenske, chairman of the Nominating Committee, presented the following slate of candidates for the offices of President, First Vice President, and Second Vice President:

President — Mrs. Fred Froehlich

First Vice President — Mrs. Gene Bahls

- Mrs. H. M. Glick

Second Vice President — Mrs. Hershel Madoerin

— Mrs. Eric Orling

The chair then asked for nominations from the floor; there being none, the chair declared nominations closed.

Before proceeding with the election, the secretary read from Section 3 of Article VI as follows: "Voting shall be by ballot. A majority vote is necessary for election. Each member of the Guild is entitled to one vote."

Tellers appointed by the president were as follows:

Mrs. Herbert Ebert, Chairman Mrs. Ogden Sandborg Mrs. Ralph Benz Mrs. C. E. Bevreis

Mrs. Charles Dudley

Mrs. James Coyle Mrs. Armond Deye Mrs. A. E. Jordan Mrs. Eugene Crain Mrs. Arthur Pahl

Mrs. Irving Holls

Following the election of officers the meeting continued.

#### STATE OF THE UNIVERSITY

The First Vice President, Mrs. Fred Froehlich, introduced Acting President Dr. Huegli who reported on the State of the University. In his opening remarks Dr. Huegli stated that it was reassuring to get together with a group such as the Guild, an organization with a forward look and high goals.

His comments on the State of the University were as follows:

#### The Changing Nature of the Campus

The old Home Economics building is now used by the College of Business Administration students. Furnishings for the building were provided with funds received from an extra special effort from the LaPorte Chapter.

The Gellersen Engineering-Mathematics Center and the Foreign Language Center will be dedicated November 3.

The old Engineering Building has been rehabilitated and is now occupied by the Departments of Music and Art.

The former Immanuel School building is now used by the Department of Education.

Christ College is under construction. In addition to Christ College offices and classrooms, it will have 9 classrooms in the substructure for other students.

It is hoped to have 6 fraternity houses under construction before very long.

Completion of the library addition is anticipated in the coming months.

Plans to meet student needs are underway. A committee has been appointed to study the development of the Student Union.

New athletic needs are under study. Also the needs of the Departments of Physics, Music, Speech and Drama, and Art, and the College of Nursing.

The College of Nursing has been given reasonable assurance of accreditation by the National League of Nursing, and is underway with an enrollment of 54 students.

Enrollment this year totals 3831 full time students with 41 of this number in the overseas program. We also have 388 enrolled in the evening and graduate programs.

The graduate program is making fine progress in a new and important aspect of the University's work.

The preponderance of all classes is now on the new campus and we are now adjusting ourselves to modern facilities, which have become necessities for today's teaching and learning.

Dr. Huegli stated he was impressed with the wise vision of people like Dr. Kretzmann and the members of the Board who saw what could be done with the property known as "East Campus," and that he had a deep sense of appreciation for the hard work which had gone into its development. The University will need to be concerned about caring for the distribution of the land it still has and the need to acquire more. There is also the problem of traffic, and the problem of use of the old campus. We must work diligently to make our University a close community.

#### **New Working Relationship With Students**

Dr. Huegli commented on the subtle changes that are taking place in colleges and universities. We are involved in new working relations with students. Enrollment in private colleges is leveling off; there are cost factors because it is much more expensive to attend a private college than a tax-supported school.

Reference was made to the film "The Graduate" which, Dr. Huegli said, may become as popular, especially with young people, as the "Sound of Music." The film says there is a different kind of young person coming into adult life today than was true 10 years ago, and that there had better be some arrangements made on the part of all of us to accommodate the changes. Our job as Christians is very clear. We have the responsibility of building bridges and bringing people together. The love of God reaches across all barriers, including those of age and race, and through the redeeming act of Christ, men's hearts can be changed so that all of us will want to serve rather than be served, to understand rather than be understood, and to live for others rather than for ourselves. We shall, therefore, strive to give close attention to the needs of the students enrolled in the University.



PROJECT COMMITTEE, I to r Mrs. Robert Beer, Mrs. Robert Semelka, Mrs. John Hinsch, Dr. A.G. Huegli

We have a counseling program which is intended to help young people solve their individual problems. Students have asked to be involved in problems of campus life. Students are now participating in faculty committees, and have a chance to express themselves. They are involved in the evaluation of courses so the faculty members can see whether their teaching is going over or if they are not reaching their objective. We want to provide for students to be heard and have them become junior partners in the adventure of learning.

This is a period of adjustment in higher education, and we should look for guidelines with which to proceed, particularly those outlined by our Lord. An example is the prayer of Solomon. This is the prayer we should have — a prayer for wisdom, patience, and a great abiding love.

#### We Must Move Forward Toward our Education Goals.

Are we educating for the right future? Our curriculum structure and programs must constantly be reviewed. We need to remain flexible and experiment, and recognize the great changes in society and prepare the students for them. Valparaiso University provides learning for the heart as well as for the head. Most schools of higher education are striving for intellectual excellence and lose sight of human excellence. At Valpo, while we admire and work for intellectual excellence, we want to reassert the route to human excellence, through our calling as the sons and daughters of God.

#### RESOLUTION - DR. HUEGLI APPOINTMENT

WHEREAS, Dr. A. G. Huegli has been appointed Acting President of Valparaiso University, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that we the Valparaiso University Guild pledge our support, cooperation, and encouragement to him, and extend our good wishes for success in this most important position.

Resolution adopted September 28, 1968.

#### **ALUMNI AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT**

Dr. Huegli introduced Mr. Edward Heckman, Vice President for Public and Alumni Affairs, who spoke briefly about the work of his department, which is to match the acquisitions of the University against its needs. They also want to let the public know that Valpo is a different type of school. In commenting on the work of the Guild, Mr. Heckman stated that the Guild projects are the best type of public relations the University can have.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Following announcements and prayer by the second vice president, Mrs. Gene Bahls, the business session recessed at noon.

The meeting reconvened at 1:30 p.m.

#### REGISTRATION

The report of the Registration Committee showed 335 in attendance and 425 registered for the banquet.

#### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht, Executive Director, reminded the members that it is important to begin the work for the new year with a prayer in our hearts that God will give us the necessary strength, time and energy to face the tasks before us. She also urged all chapters to participate actively in a plan to increase their membership this coming year, and suggested various ways in which this might be done. She also reported the loss of six chapters during the past year, namely Phoenix, Arizona, Mattoon, III., Memphis, Tenn., Warren, Ohio, Miami, Florida, and Pittsburgh Afternoon. The complete report of the Executive Director is printed elsewhere in this Bulletin.

#### "ART AS WE SEE IT TODAY"

Prof. Richard Brauer, Head of the Art Department and his assistants Mrs. Janet Sullivan and Prof. Richard R. Caemmerer spoke on "Art As We See It Today."

Prof. Bauer stated that the Art Department is a very young department, (started in 1960) but that the world of Art at Valpo has been growing. In the spring of 1966 the Art Education Program was started under the direction of Mrs. Janet Sullivan. In the fall of 1966 there were 31 art majors and 13 minors and a total enrollment of 363. This year they have 60 majors and 40 minors and a total enrollment of 555.

Mrs. Sullivan spoke briefly about the Art Education Program. She works with people who are going out into schools to teach art. They are studying child development and what children should do at different grade levels.

Prof. Caemmerer commented as follows: "We are trying to help students relate art to their faith. We are obliged, as a University program, to make very certain that what we offer the students is the best available and is agreeable to the level of academic training and that it is art. The last 10 years have been very productive in arranging for the students a program of art that would be on the academic level. It is equally right that we should offer also areas that are unique to the uniqueness of this place, and this means involving ourselves with the church. We feel obliged to pay back to the church, services that it very desperately needs. While it is equally important to graduate people with a sensitivity that is useful in the worship life and home communities, it is more valuable to create the sensitivity that would make a young man a good member of a building committee; it is more useful to create the sensitivity in a man who is studying for the ministry. One-third of all men who will become ministers next year will within five years be

responsible for the building of a church. We feel it is a good idea for Valpo to train young people to know what it means to become involved in the places of worship. There are over 50 people in the liturgical art class.

#### PRESENTATION AND REPORTS OF FIELD SECRETARIES

The executive director introduced the Field Secretaries who presented the following reports:

Eastern — Mrs. Leonard Heitmuller — Endeavoring to organize chapters in the Tidewater area of Virginia, Richmond, Va., and York, Penn. The Washington, Maryland and Northern Virginia chapters will hold a rally October 12 in Silver Spring, Md. with Mrs. Fred Froehlich as guest speaker.

Indiana — Mrs. Raymond Eickhoff — Endeavoring to organize a chapter in Muncie and will also see what can be done in Peru.

Michigan — Mrs. Calvin J. Gauss — Endeavoring to form a chapter in Midland, and is quite certain of having a chapter in Warren sometime this year.

Ohio — Mrs. Allan F. Murphy — No new chapters. Had a successful meeting May 4 in Conway with Dr. Dorothy Paulsen Smith as guest speaker.

Wisconsin — Mrs. Paul Block — No report, inasmuch as it was necessary for Mrs. Block to leave the convention early. A report later received stated interest had been shown in Marshfield and Tomahawk, and that correspondence has been sent to women in Manitowoc.

#### BUDGET

The treasurer presented the following proposed budget for 1968-1969:

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Bulletins	\$ 2,100.00	\$2,041.00	\$ 2,100.00
<b>Printing &amp; Supplies</b>	600.00	975.22	1,500.00
Travel-			
Organizational	3,200.00	2,301.39	3,200.00
Travel-			
<b>Chapter Presidents</b>	6,000.00	3,972.18	6,000.00
Telephone &			
Telegraph	50.00	29.01	50.00
Postage	75.00	48.69	75.00
Treasurer's Bond	13.00	13.00	13.00
Gifts	50.00	5.63	50.00
Pins, Seals, Etc.	75.00	•	75.00
Misc.	50.00	10.00	50.00
Total -	\$12,213.00	\$9,396.12	\$13,113.00

It was moved and seconded to accept the budget as presented. Motion carried.

#### **PROJECT COMMITTEE REPORT**

Mrs. John Hinsch, chairman of the Project Committee, presented the following resolution:

WHEREAS, one of the purposes of the Valparaiso University Guild is to help the University to maintain a high level of academic achievement; and

WHEREAS, the Acting President of the University, the Head of the Physics Department, and the Guild officers have evaluated the needs of the Physics Department for new equipment; and

WHEREAS, an effective Physics Department is essential to the academic program of the University; and

WHEREAS, the Physics Department is related to and provides strength for other sciences and departments, such as Chemistry, Engineering, Biology, Pre-medical, Pre-dental. Nursing, and elementary education; and

WHEREAS, competition exists among colleges to attract quality students; and

WHEREAS, up-to-date equipment is essential to attract competent instructors; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Valparaiso University Guild allocate its 1968-69 Project Fund to provide modern up-to-date equipment for the Physics Department.

Resolution adopted September 28, 1968.

#### **TELLERS' REPORT**

The Tellers' Report was read by the chairman, Mrs. Herbert Ebert, and the chair declared the following elected:

President — Mrs. Fred Froehlich First Vice President — Mrs. Gene Bahls Second Vice President — Mrs. Hershel Madoerin

#### **RESOLUTION RECOGNIZED MRS. JACOBS**

WHEREAS, Mrs. Louis Jacobs has served the Guild as First and Second Vice President, and as President for the past two years, and

WHEREAS, the members of the Valparaiso University Guild feel a deep sense of gratitude to her for unselfish devotion to the University and to the Guild, and

WHEREAS, she has graciously served with the exacting attention demanded by her office during her years on the Administrative Board, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that we do hereby express to Mrs. Jacobs the appreciation of the Guild for meritorious service and for loyalty to the promotion of the University.

Resolution adopted September 28, 1968.

#### **RESOLUTION — DR. KRETZMANN APPOINTMENT**

WHEREAS, Dr. O. P. Kretzmann, who has served 28 years as President of Valparaiso University, is now serving as the first Chancellor of our University, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Guild extend sincere congratulations and best wishes to him in his new appointment.

Resolution adopted September 28, 1968.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The secretary called the roll by states.

#### 1969 BANQUET DECORATIONS

Mrs. Raymond Eickhoff announced that the Indiana chapters would furnish the decorations for the 1969 banquet.

#### **COURTESY RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, the 1968 Convention of the Guild has been inspiring, informative, and stimulating; and

WHEREAS, the many plans and details were so ably fulfilled by individuals and committees, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that we extend our sincere thanks to all who contributed to the success of this Convention.

The Executive Director, Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht, for the efficient and charming manner in which she executed the added responsibilities of this Convention;



Mrs. Louis Jacobs, retiring national president, chats with Dr. Norman Nagel, Dean of the Chapel.

The local chapter of the Valparaiso University Guild for the outstanding example they set for other chapters in this and their other endeavors;

The Chairmen of the standing committees;

The Guild Board of Directors, Mrs. Hoppe, Mrs. Drews, and the Revisions Committee for their diligent efforts in revising the National Bylaws;

Dr. Norman Nagel, Dean of the Chapel

Mrs. Max Nagel, Soloist

Mrs. Alan Morrison, Accompanist

Mr. James Siebert, Associate Director of Admissions

Prof. Fred Kruger, Dean of the College of Engineering

Prof. Martin Schaefer, Director of International Studies Program, and students Jane Buntrock and Connie Scheider

Dr. A. G. Huegli, Acting President of Valparaiso University

Professor Richard Brauer, Head of The Department of Art and staff, Mrs. Janet Sullivan and Prof. Richard R. Caemmerer

Mrs. Walter N. Schur, Toastmistress

Dr. Dorothy Siegert Lyle, Banquet Speaker

The Rev. Richard Ludwig, Convention Service Speaker

The Michigan Delegation for their favors and decorations.

Resolution adopted September 28, 1968.

#### PRESENTATION OF GAVEL

Mrs. Louis Jacobs turned the gavel over to the newly elected president, Mrs. Fred Froehlich and said "it is with great pleasure that I give you this gavel as a symbol of honor of the Valparaiso University Guild."

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Following announcements and prayer by the Executive Director, the 37th Convention was adjourned by the president at 4:00 p.m.

#### THE HONORARY ALUMNUS AWARD

presented to

Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht Executive Director, Valparaiso University Guild

IN RECOGNITION OF A

LIFE EXEMPLIFYING THE

HIGH IDEALS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

FOR WHICH THE UNIVERSITY STANDS



The citation reads:

Distinguished member of the Valparaiso University Administration

Executive Director of the Women's Guild

Active laborer in the field of Christian higher education

Held in high esteem for personal integrity and warm friendliness

#### CHAPTER CHATTER

#### **DETROIT WEST**

The annual dinner meeting was held on May 21 at Nativity Lutheran Church. Election of officers took place at an impressive candle-lighting ceremony for the installation of officers. Colored slides by Eastman Kodak of the 49th International Flower Show at New York were shown to the members and guests. Mrs. George P. Hildner served as reservation chairman.

#### CHICAGO SOUTH SUBURBAN

Dr. Dorothy Paulsen Smith, Dean of the College of Nursing, was the speaker for the May meeting held at Hope Lutheran Church, Park Forest. She gave an overview of proposed plans for the opening of the College in September 1968 and spoke about the new trends in nursing. A most outstanding booklet depicting the symbolism and art work and purpose of the church edifice for Hope Church is entitled "Christian Art and the Rhythm of the Church Year." Interested women may receive a copy by writing to Rev. Luther W. Bekemeier.

#### KALAMAZOO, MICHIGAN

A specially selected "Salad Menu" was served the members and guests at the annual Spring luncheon held at Zion Church, Kalamazoo on May 6. Large baskets of daisies decorated the tables under the direction of the committee: Mrs. Van Antwerg, Thomas Fricke, Gilbert Reinkensmeyer, J. S. Stuller, William Watkins, and Charles Yunghans. Mrs. Roland Stanley, chapter president, gave a short report and minutes of the March 11 meeting were mimeographed and distributed to the members. Dean Emeritus, Dr. Herman Hesse of V.U. College of Engineering, gave the afternoon's program entitled "Alice in Wonderland." He took the ladies through story-land with this delightful tale and a comprehensive account of the author's life. Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht gave a brief report on Guild activities. The luncheon program carried this message, "If you are interested in supporting Valparaiso University, the Guild cordially invited you to become a member today."

#### AURORA, ILLINOIS

On May 7th a delightful dessert luncheon was served at the home of Mrs. Frank Steinwart for members and guests. Business and reports showed a successful year for the chapter. Speaker of the day was Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht, who spoke on the topic "Reflections of the Guild."

#### **DETROIT EAST**

A "Fashion Fantasy 68" was held on May 15 in the Fries Auditorium in Grosse Pointe Farms. The annual spring benefit party consisted of a luncheon followed by a fashion show presented by Mrs. Harold Rieth of St. James Lutheran Church, with clothes and accessories from her shop, Boutique of the Lamplighter. Many door prizes were given guests who were seated according to churches, so members and friends could enjoy an afternoon of fellowship. Mrs. Millard Becker was in charge of ticket sales.



CHICAGO NORTHWEST SUBURBAN
Past Presidents, I to r:
Mrs. Erwin Roschke, Mrs. Arthur Amling, Mrs. Howard Hoelter, Mrs. Fred Riedl

#### CHICAGO NORTHWEST SUBURBAN CHAPTER

A large attendance was reported at the Tenth Anniversary Buffet Dinner on Wednesday, May 1, at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Mt. Prospect. An envelope was mailed to each member with the plea to return it for a special offering for Valpo, so that an Anniversary Tree could be decorated with the gifts. Mrs. Rudolph Wangerin of Mt. Prospect served as chairman. Speaker of the evening was Dr. Willis D. Boyd, Professor of History, whose topic was "The Student Today."

#### CENTRAL NEW JERSEY

Parents and interested students were invited to a Sunday afternoon party in October at which time the filmstrip "In Thy Light" was shown. V.U. folders were mailed to families with children who might be prospects for Valpo. At a recent meeting it was learned that the "silent talents" project had netted over \$100, and as the president, Mrs. Orling, reported "it didn't seem to overburden anyone!"

#### CLEVELAND, O.

The annual picnic for V.U. students in the area was held at the Walter Maier residence. Alumni and new freshmen were urged to attend this get-acquainted party. The sale of fruit cakes is the annual project for raising funds. Orders are taken early in the Fall and are suggested as gifts for teachers, mailmen, and others as a small remembrance.

#### SAINT PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTERS

A 20th anniversary dinner at Jehovah Lutheran Church was held on October 9th for husbands and wives and guests of the two chapters in memory of the founding of the chapters. Mistress of ceremonies for the evening was Mrs. Marvin Borgelt, a former past president of the Minneapolis chapter, who gave a resume of the origin

of the two chapters and spoke humorously of events that had taken place during the past 20 years. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. Eric Rothmaler, president of the St. Paul chapter. Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht presented a summary of Guild and University activities, thanking the celebrating chapters for their support and devotion to Valparaiso University. Dr. Mark Hillmer, professor at North West Seminary gave an interesting slide lecture of his recent trip to Jerusalem where he participated in the archeological "diggings" that were conducted there during the summer months. Mrs. Harry Nord, president of the Minneapolis chapter gave the closing prayer. The Banquet Committee, the Mesdames Edgar Finegan, Horace Gibson, Donald Nolte, Harry Nord, Eric Rothmaler, and Wayne Twito, used lovely fall decorations for the hall and the tables.

#### SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

The spotlight was turned on the chapter's meeting on March 19 when members marked the 35th anniversary at Peace Lutheran parish hall. Setting the evening's nostalgic mood, Dr. Emil Voss, a retired pastor of Holy Cross church, the chapter's first spiritual advisor and counselor through the years, reminisced about its growth. community cultural contributions, such as the traditional Christmas musicale, and university financial support, sponsoring the band and supporting the scholarship fund and campus building program. Special tribute was given to Dr. Voss and to 22 charter members. The late Mrs. H. W. Hemmeter was first president of the chapter composed of 65 women from 4 congregations. Today it numbers 188 members from 14 congregations in the Saginaw district. Mrs. Arnold Salvner was elected president to succeed Mrs. Elmer Simon. Chairmen for the observance included Mesdames Paul Knecht, Emil Asman, Patrick Hynes, Alfred Klein, and Christian York. Dessert and coffee was served from a beautifully decorated table.



SAGINAW, I to r Mrs. G.O. Johnsen, 1st Vice-president; Mrs. Paul Knecht, Charter Member; Rev. Emil Voss, first pastoral counselor (now deceased); Mrs. Robert E. George, first Secretary; Mrs. Elmer P. Simon, retiring President

#### ST. LOUIS, MO.

At the October meeting held in Bethel church parlors, Mrs. Ruprecht spoke to members and mothers of students on campus who were invited as special guests. Reports were made of the convention. An excellent

report of the convention was given by Mrs. Hartman, and later the members agreed to adopt the bus program, whose chairman will be Mrs. Roschke. This includes furnishing transportation back and forth from St. Louis to Valpo 3 times a year. The "Quiet Books" made by the chapter are still in great demand and more orders are received than can be filled at the present time. Coming events for the chapter will be the Annual Christmas concert at Grace Church on December 8, a Dessert Lunch at Webster Gardens church on January 31, and a Spring Luncheon at Green Parrot Inn on March 28.

#### BALTIMORE, MD.

The yearly program and chapter listing for this chapter includes: roster of officers; all committees; a short history of Valparaiso University, and also of the Guild; a section concerning dues; the projects and programs for the year; a list of members with addresses; and a listing of Valpo students from the Baltimore area which includes asterisks following the students whose mothers are chapter members.

#### **GOLDEN GATE CHAPTER**

Six Bay area congregations, including San Francisco, Oakland, El Cerrito, Walnut Creek, Lafayette, Orinda, Concord and others attended a "Sell Out" Theater Party at Town Hall in Spring, with a party following co-hosted by the Harold Brandts and Richard Hastings. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Turner of Zion, Piedmont were hosts to a splash party for Valpo students in July. At the September meeting the decision was made to divide into North and South Golden Gate chapter. Welcome, welcome!! More about this in the Spring Bulletin.

#### ELM CHAPTER, ILLINOIS

An April party sponsored by the chapter took members and guests to the Drury Lane Theater for dinner and a play. At the May meeting held at the home of Mrs. Richard Hannemann, the film "In Thy Light" was shown. Summer activities included a Round-up for freshmen at the Souda home in Hollywood (Illinois) which embraced supper and sports. Christmas cards are being shown for sale and members were requested to arrange for a neighborhood coffee so that selections might be made. Mrs. Carl Zersen, 191 Rex Blvd., Elmhurst, Illinois is the editor of the news bulletin which is really outstanding. Why not write her for a copy and do likewise?

#### **GEISEMAN MEMORIAL CHAPTER, ILLINOIS**

One of the highlights of the season and also a very worthwhile and rewarding project was a dinner dance given in May by the chapter at Stouffer's Inn in Oak Brook, III. Co-Chairmen of the affair were Mrs. Walter Christopher and Mrs. William Tatman. The last meeting in spring was held in May at which time various projects and social functions for the coming year were discussed, followed by installation of officers. Later the members enjoyed packing cookies for Valpo students from the congregations to which the members belonged.

#### **NUTMEG CHAPTER**



CHAPTER OFFICERS, I to r: seated: Mrs. Robert Beer, President; Mrs. Leroy Kleinschmidt, Vice-president standing: Miss Carol Miastkowski, past Secretary; Mrs. Albert Jabs, past President; Mrs. Mildred Lawton, Treasurer; Mrs. Lydia Olson, Secretary and past President; Mrs. Erwin Welch, past Vice-president

The "Tenth Chapter Birthday Dinner," held in April took place at Bristol, Conn., Immanuel Auditorium, where the chapter was born in 1958. A bridal pageant was featured with members wearing gowns belonging to their mother or grandmothers. On Saturday, August 17, the 11th annual student banquet was held at St. John's Church, Waterbury. At the program Mrs. Robert Beer, chapter president, presented the greetings and Mr. James Meter acted as toastmaster. The welcome and invocation was given by Pastor John A. Balash, and later entertainment and group singing followed led by Laura and Lita Brusick. Dr. Donald C. Mundinger, Vice-President for Academic Affairs at V.U. was the speaker, and in a letter later received from the president she stated "Dr. Mundinger is just terrific. All 175 in attendance were ready to leave for Valparaiso after he finished speaking. It was a rather warm and humid evening, but everyone had such a wonderful time that no one minded."



#### CENTRAL NEW ENGLAND (Now Colonial Chapter)

A Spring Tea was held at the home of Mrs. Walter Schur, Oxford, Mass., and a Valpo Student party in August. The Project Chairman of this chapter has reported that they will soon be advertising the sale of Valpo Guild chairs. These can be purchased as Arm Chairs or Boston Rockers. Be sure to investigate the possibility of buying one of these attractive chairs for your home. Contact Miss Marilyn Hasz, Main Street, Oxford, Mass. 01540.

#### **BROADLANDS. ILLINOIS**

Over 100 people attended a meeting at Broadlands in the church Fellowship Room at Immanuel church. Mrs. Roland Smith served as chairman for this occasion when prospective students were invited to hear Mr. Max Nagel, Director of University Foundation, speak and show the film "In Thy Light." Cookies, punch and coffee were served later at this very successful evening program.

#### **KENTUCKIANA**

A 5th anniversary birthday party was held in May with a luncheon meeting at the home of Mrs. Alvin Graef, Louisville. At one meeting the members toured a famous decorating firm, Strassels, and later lunch was served at the home of Mrs. Clara Braun. One month an information tour of the American Printing House for the Blind was taken by the members, followed by luncheon at the home of Mrs. James Albe. Luncheon meetings were initiated to augment the treasury, since the selling of pecans was curtailed because of exorbitant prices of the nuts. Another boost for the treasury was given when Diane Wenthe, a member, contributed one half the profit on the sales of her unusual hand-made pins.

#### APPLETON, WISCONSIN

Topics for entertainment and discussion during the past months included the following: "Abstract Art Appreciation," "Interior Decorating," "Braille," "Switzerland and Around the World," "Team meetings," and a summer Picnic. A member and former president of the chapter, Mrs. Emily Behl, recently received the honor of being elected president of the Wisconsin Division of the National Secretaries Assn.

Here are some of the chapters who are hosting meetings with V.U. Admissions Counselors for students and parents at a school or church location: St. Louis, Rochester, N.Y., East Suburban and Cleveland, East Detroit, Port Huron Area, Milwaukee Afternoon, Geisemann Memorial.

Copies of skits for program use can be secured from the following people:

"MAMA IS A HIPPIE!" — by and from Melita Z. Meyer, 6124 Calvin St., Oxon Hill, Md. 20022

"THE VALPARAISO GUILD MEETING" — from Mrs. Dieter Nickel, 314 Center Ave., Merrill, Wisconsin 54452

## REPORT of the NATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. Louis Jacobs

A warm welcome to each of you attending this 37th national convention of the Valparaiso University Guild. September is a lovely month in Indiana. Our Hoosier poet, James Whitcomb Riley wrote a poem entitled "Ain't God Good to Indiana." And He surely is—the oak has turned russet, the sumac red, and the hickories golden. This brown and gold season matching Valpo's colors set the scene for our convention this weekend on campus.

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We usually don't brag about our winter weather—especially the last weekend in February but September is different. Riley wrote another poem which says: "O, it sets my heart a clickin' like the tickin' of a clock, When the frost is on the punkin' and the fodder's in the shock."

This feeling "when your heart's a clickin' like the tickin' of a clock" is what we want to talk about for a minute—the word describing it is ENTHUSIASM, which comes from the Greek ENTHEOS, meaning God in you.

Many essays have been written about this word: Not long ago I received a brochure on Enthusiasm from a large insurance company. It said in part: "Enthusiasm is the greatest business asset in the world. Single-handed, the enthusiast convinces and dominates where a small army of workers would scarcely raise a tremor or interest . . . . Enthusiasm is faith in action, it inspires effects you did not dream of . . . . it spreads like a contagion . . . . it makes things happen.

Another has said "Enthusiasm is a kind of faith that has been set afire". A friend has this motto on her kitchen wall: "None are so old as those who have outlived enthusiasm."

Voltaire once described an unenthusiastic man as being like a warming oven, always heating but never cooking anything. We have many things "cooking" at this convention—our bylaws amendments for greater clarity and efficiency; reports from committees and chairmen who have been not warming, but "cooking" all through the year; presentations by the College of Engineering, the Art Department, the Studies Abroad; new projects to decide; and a new building to be dedicated.

Your Administrative Committee usually meets the first of May to plan the convention, and this is when we choose our motto, or theme. This year it is taken from the book of Haggai, when the people were also building—rebuilding their Temple. The foundation had been laid and nothing further done for 15 years. The people became engrossed in making fine things for themselves. And so this was Haggai's job—to give encouragement to the people, to inspire them with enthusiasm, admonishing the leaders in the words of our theme: "NOW BE STRONG AND WORK FOR I AM WITH YOU SAITH THE LORD OF HOSTS."

That is why you are here—to be inspired with enthusiasm for the Lord's work here at the University, and then go back and encourage your chapters to be strong and work.

This has been another exciting year for the Guild. Last year each of you went home with much enthusiasm, because, as you will hear from the treasurer's report we have gone over last year's gifts to Valpo for all purposes in the amount of \$6,630.47. You liked the project, assisting the new School of Nursing. The Lord has blessed us with success, and you were truly the Haggai's that encouraged your chapters in their efforts. As Bach wrote on each score he composed: "To the glory of God alone," we too say "Thanks be to God who gives the Victory."

Now, just a brief account of our fund allocations since last convention. We mentioned the School of Nursing. Many of you have had the pleasure of hearing Dr. Smith, dean of the Nursing School either here at Valpo or as she has been on an extensive speaking tour during the past year. The University is excited over 'discovering' her to lead this school.

Dr. Smith has outlined her program in a five-pronged approach which has proved comprehensive and workable. She has initiated a balanced program of professional nursing and liberal arts courses which will serve the church and the profession well. Most of you know by this time that she has been accepted very well on campus, so well, in fact, that she married one of the Doctors in the Chemistry department this summer. The Guild sent its best wishes to the new Mrs. Smith.

At the last convention we allocated the Guild Birthday Fund as a 35th anniversary gift to the University Library for listening equipment, tapes and records. Already on Sept. 28 last year we received a letter of gratitude from Carl Sachtleben, director of libraries.

Our calendar monies made the band members, and Norman Hannewald, director, very happy, as was attested to by the "pleased as punch" look on the members who modeled the uniforms for us last year. He also, on Sept. 27, sent a letter of thanks, and informed us that the uniforms would be shown for the first time at the Homecoming game with appropriate ceremonies. We accepted a baton of thanks for the Guild during half-time of the game

The Guild special monies were voted at our February meeting to beautify the courtyard of the Foreign Language Center.

The current fund, which is the dues sent by each chapter totaling over \$13,000 this year, is a welcome addition to assist the University with everyday expenses. And here we reiterate what we said in our message to you in both the November bulletin and the April issue. We must make a concerted effort this fall to enlist more members. With more and more pressures and claims on women's time, we must ever use this enthusiasm we spoke about to inspire and interest others, to keep our membership on the increase. Have a real membership drive this fall, have one each year. Write to the Guild office for the latest promotion material or find ideas in the Guild Manual.

At the February Executive Board meeting, your Chapter presidents voted the memorial wreath monies to a living book fund for the University Libraries. This will help the University in this age of knowledge explosion in

every area, to keep pace with the increasing need of keeping the library supplied with up-to-date books. Memorials to the chapel may still be made through the University.

Chesterfield once said "Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well." This old quotation is relevant today as we review the excellent work of our staff of women who assist the officers in a special capacity: Our parliamentarian, Mrs. Walter Hoppe to whom we are especially indebted today for the untiring effort and unselfish hours she gave in reviewing with us our bylaws, and accepting the challenge to assist the officers and revisions committee down to the last draft of the proposed amendments you read and brought with you on the back of the convention flash.

....Our historian, Mrs. Frederick Schmalz, who works quietly behind the scenes as she records for posterity the happenings of the Guild year. . . .

....Our activities chairman, Mrs. Alfred Bichsel, who has a full measure of enthusiasm for Valpo and dispenses it in her reports to us, her ideas and promotions, and in the news letter you received this spring. . . .

. . . . Our calendar chairman, Mrs. Madoerin, who exudes enthusiasm, as you will hear in her report when she rose to a special and unexpected challenge presented to her this year.

. . . . Our Revisions committee chairman, Mrs. Wm. Tatman, who has had more than her share of activity this year.

Significant changes, innovations, and growth have been prevalent during the year on Valpo's campus: the first semesters at Cambridge, England, and Reutlingen, Germany, Valpo's international studies program, have been completed. . . .the Gellerson-Math-Engineering building and the Foreign Language Center have taken shape on east campus—ground has been broken for the Christ College building. . .we have a new dean of the Chapel—to mention only a few.

The most significant change, of course has been one we have all accepted with mixed emotions, the relinquishing of the office of president by Dr. Kretzmann. In his inauguration address in 1940 Dr. Kretzmann said: "It is our destiny to throw ourselves into this battle with all the resources of body, mind, and soul, and to train here a generation which will carry the conquering spirit of a vital Christianity into the life and thought of America." No one has done more to shape the thought and future of Valpo than our beloved Dr. Kretzmann. How well I remember the times I sat for the past 20 years with the Guild women and heard him unfold his dream for the east campus, particularly the Memorial Chapel. I thought they were dreams. Now they are reality. His dream of Christ College was one of the last acts sanctioned by the Valpo board before his retirement, and now ground has been broken, and this edifice, too, is becoming a reality. We sent the Guild's greetings as he was named Chancellor of the University, and expressed the thought that all of you at convention would join in wishing him a blessed rest from his arduous labors at Valpo and an invigorating and restful vacation. As you know, he will remain at Valpo in the capacity of Chancellor, assuming undertakings for the University as he wishes, upon the request of the President.

It isn't every University that has, shall we say, a president-in-reserve as we have in the person of Dr. Albert Huegli who has given the University great leadership as Academic Dean, and who is now serving as acting president. How many times have I sat in the board meetings and marvelled at his keen, analytical mind, his concise reporting in his quiet, dignified manner. Valpo is in good hands, and we wished him the Lord's richest blessings from the Guild as he assumed his new office for the University, and pledged your continued support.

Our report would not be complete without commending to you our dear executive director, Mrs. Ruprecht, for her dedicated, detailed, and devoted work as director of all activities for the Guild, as well as arranging for our two campus meetings and editing the Guild bulletins. Her traveling schedule reads like a timetable as she visits all state units and as many chapters as time will allow. She also directs our Field secretaries and state unit presidents in their work of expansion and keeping Valpo before the church at large.

Our two vice presidents are guilding lights and assistants as we share duties of the presidency. Our secretary is a most efficient correspondent, as well as presenting our minutes for the bulletin in a concise and readable form.

We commend to you our prompt treasurer whose report at the end of the fiscal year was dated exactly July 1, and she lost no time in getting the good news of the marked increase in the overall financial picture to the Guild officers.

Our travels during our term of office have taken us as far north as Merrill, Wisconsin, south to Cincinnati, Ohio, east to Buffalo, New York, and west to St. Louis, and many chapters in-between. What a thrill it has been to see the spirit of the Guild in the chapter projects and plans, the lovely dinners, special decorations, enthusiastic greeters, and the genuine good fellowship and interest in the University. Each of these Guild women realize that we invest in the future when we work for Valpo.

Recently a college president from one of Indiana's private schools said: "Private colleges will have to run faster than ever before, just to stay where they are, and that isn't good enough." One of our eminent leaders said of church colleges "the church cannot tolerate mediocrity, it must be willing to pay the price of excellence."

And so we have a job to do—we have pledged ourselves, in the words of our bylaws, "to create and develop a greater interest in Valparaiso University as an institution of Christian higher learning." We must keep our leaders coming. It is not only necessary to belong, but to perform. We must look around in awareness.

That is what one of our **new** Guild members did. At the luncheon at one of our area meetings, this new member said: "I'm new in the Guild and active in my local congregation. I have no children to send to Valpo, but with world conditions as they are I felt I had to widen my scope of interest and work in the kingdom, and so I joined the Guild."

Each of you, I am sure, has this challenge on your hearts or you wouldn't be here.

An ad in the newspaper on aid to higher education says: "Today the survival of most colleges depends on generosity."

Few of us can found a college. Most of us, through our gifts, can help keep one going.

I would like to close with a poem about giving——
giving our best
God wants our best. He in the far-off ages
once claimed the firstling of the flock, the finest
of the wheat,

And still He asks His own, with gentlest pleading, To lay their highest hopes and brightest talents at His feet.

He'll not forget the feeblest service, humblest love; He asks only that, of our store, we give the best we have.

#### VALPARAISO UNIVERSITY PLAYERS

Nov. 1-3 "The Would-Be Gentlemen"
Moliere

Dec. 13-15 "Hey There, Light Man!" Oliver Hailey

March 7-9 "Royal Gambit" Hermann Gressieker

April 18-20 "The Queen and the Rebels" Ugo Betti

May 9-10 "Oliver"

16-18 Spring Weekend Musical

One Act Plays Jan. 17 and May 23

#### BASKETBALL SCHEDULE Home Games

Nov. 30 Carroll

Dec. 6-7 Crusader Classic

17 California State

19 MacMurray

31 Dartmouth

Jan. 8 St. Joseph's

11 Butler

25 Indiana State

30 Long Island

Feb. 5 DePauw

15 Ball State

22 Eastern Illinois

27 Evansville

Mar. 1 Wheaton

#### STATE UNIT MEETINGS

#### Wisconsin State Unit - April 23, Merrill

Registration and coffee hour began at 9 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, followed by Opening Devotions led by Rev. D. C. Schulz who carried out the theme "Rejoice. . . In Thy Youth." The Trinity Children's Choir sang under the direction of Mr. Harlan Becker, accompanied by Mrs. Dieter Nickel, Mrs. E. H. Erdman, Merrill chapter president welcomed the group and introduced Miss Lillian Roth, State Unit president, who conducted the business meeting. Reports were given by the officers and a brief period of recognition was given to Past Unit Presidents: Mrs. W. H. Pruemers, Mrs. E. A. Ritchie, Mrs. W. Feuerpfeil, Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Mrs. O. A. Reinke, and Mrs. Paul Block, National Guild officers, Mrs. Louis Jacobs, Mrs. Fred Froehlich and Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht, then addressed the assembly. Roll call and chapter activity reports were made by individual chapter presidents.

A novel and hilarious skit entitled "The Valparaiso Guild Meeting" was given by the Merrill ladies, following the noon luncheon. Decorations under the co-chairmanship of Mrs. James Bloechel and Mrs. Robert Caster featured miniature hats as individual favors, and large gay Spring hats on frames serving as "wig holders" were placed at intervals on the luncheon tables.

The afternoon session began with a selection of five numbers from the "Requiem" by Gabriel Fauere, given by the Merrill High School A Cappella Choir, directed by Robert A. Holquist. Guest speaker for the day was Dr. Dorothy Paulsen Smith, Dean of the College of Nursing at V. U., who spoke on the "Opportunities of Nursing." Wisconsin State officers are Miss Lillian Roth, president; Mrs. Nathan Burstein, vice president; Mrs. Nyal Graf, secretary; Mrs. Charlotte Doud, treasurer. It was announced that Mrs. Paul Block will serve as the newly appointed field secretary in Wisconsin. The 1969 convention will be held in Appleton.



#### WISCONSIN STATE CONVENTION

I to r: Rev. and Mrs. James Murray, Mrs. Fred Froehlich, Mrs. Nylo Graf, Mrs. Louis Jacobs, Dr. Dorothy P. Smith, Dean of the College of Nursing; Miss Lillian Roth, Mrs. E.H. Ruprecht, Mrs. Berstein, Mrs. Charlotte Doud, Mrs. Donald Schulz, Rev. Donald Schulz, Mrs. E.H. Erdman

#### Illinois Spring Rally - April 27, Dundee

The Dundee chapter was host to the rally at Immanuel Lutheran Church, entertaining women from Elgin, Aurora, Morton Grove, Chicago and Dundee chapters. The day for the group began with registration and coffee hour. The Rev. F. Kamphoefner led the devotions and Mr. Hubert Cloeter served as organist. The announcement for the Rally stated the purpose was "To bring together ladies of the Illinois Chapters to exchange ideas and information and to return to the respective chapters with renewed "Valpo Spirit." Mrs. Louis Jacobs, national president, titled her address, "The President Speaks." A special Valpo Tour of Haeger Potteries, the world's largest art potteries was conducted. Luncheon was served at the Viking Restaurant. In the afternoon Mrs. Dorothy Spaine, well known in modern church art, presented a Religious Art Program showing some of her own paintings and others in her collection. During the afternoon a group of Dundee Community High School students entertained the ladies with a musical program. Mrs. Frederick Doederlein acted as chairman for the day and Miss Olive Wendt was in charge of reservations.



SPRING RALLY - DUNDEE
I to r: Mrs. Dorothy Spaine, artist; Mrs. Louis Jacobs, Miss
Olive Wendt, chapter Treasurer; Mrs. DeLoris Doederlein,
chapter President; Mrs. Dorothy Doud, chapter Secretary

#### Indiana State Unit — April 27 and 28

The 22nd annual meeting and Retreat was held at Winona Hotel, on beautiful Winona Lake with morning registration and coffee hour at 10:00 a.m. Mrs. H. Krueckeberg conducted the morning devotions, followed by a message from the president, Mrs. R. A. Eickhoff. The business session consisted of reports from the officers and the election which resulted in the following slate: Mrs. Nelson Doty, pres.; Mrs. H. Krueckeberg, vicepresident; Mrs. Paul Wolf, secretary, and Miss Julis Wilkens, treasurer. In the afternoon Professor Normand Widiger, of V.U. carried out the theme of "Joyous Living" in his lecture. Mrs. Walter Burger led the group singing and the evening entertainment was provided by the Mishawaka-South Bend chapter, Mrs. Eickhoff conducted an open forum which was a discussion of problems of local chapters: attendance, frequency of meetings, ideas for programs, how to interest young people in attending V.U., and fund-raising projects. Vespers were conducted by Pastor Lynn Podoll of South Whitley. Sunday morning's Sermonic-Bible Study was led by Professor Widiger, and at the noon luncheon reports were given by Mrs. Louis Jacobs and Mrs. E.H. Ruprecht. Programs with lovely hand-painted spring flowers were provided by Miss Frances Schaefer.

#### Eastern New York Rally

Once again pleasant weather prevailed when the Buffalo chapter hosted the 8th annual Spring Rally for Western New York-Pennsylvania Chapters, at Salem Lutheran Church on Saturday, May 4. Registration was followed by a delicious luncheon with table decorations and favors supplied by Mrs. H. R. Frincke and Mrs. G. M. Karkau. Shells were used on the programs and tables to fit the theme for the day, "With Thee is the Fountain of Life," symbolizing Holy Baptism. Chapter president and Mistress of Ceremonies, Miss Marie Mast extended words of welcome and presented visitors and guests. The MacAlpine Trio of charming young ladies offered vocal and guitar selections. All but one of the 9 chapters in the area were represented with a total attendance of 90. Later the Girls' Beauty Shop Quartet from West Seneca High School, directed by Betsy Mast, performed in navy blue outfits with white sailor hats.

Dr. Luther P. Koepke, Dean of Students at V.U. was the speaker for the afternoon. The Golden-Springville chapter extended an invitation for the Spring Rally in 1969. Following the closing devotions, led by Pastor Blemaster, "Tea Time" and a social hour were offered to the members.

#### Ohio Spring Rally - May 4

Members of the eastern Ohio area were guests of the Van Wert Chapter at Redeemer Church in Convoy, Registration and coffee hour were followed by devotions led by the Rev. Elmer Braun of Willshire. Mrs. Aarcon Buechner, chapter president, welcomed the group and introduced Mrs. Allan Murphy, Ohio Field Secretary, who officiated at the business meeting. Dr. Dorothy Paulsen Smith, Dean of the College of Nursing, was the speaker and after her comprehensive talk about the Nursing Program on V. U. campus a question and answer period followed. The luncheon which followed was enhanced by table centerpieces. The program art work, a picture of the V.U. Chapel, was hand sketched by Mrs. Doris Schroeder and carried out the theme "Chosen to proclaim God's wonders." The Redeemer Junior Choir, directed by Mrs. Robert McCoy entertained the group following the luncheon. Mrs. Louis Jacobs, national president and Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht, executive director, reported on the activities of the Guild and the University. A discussion followed titled "Brickbats and Roses" and closing devotions were conducted by the Rev. F. H. Gerken.

#### Michigan State Unit — October 15, Detroit

The 28th convention of the Michigan State Unit was held at Outer Drive Faith Lutheran Church on a brilliantly colorful Fall Day. A coffee hour and registration period began at 10:30 a.m., followed by devotions conducted by the Rev. Theodore A. Daniel, called "An Exercise of our Faith through God's Word." An organ prelude was given by Mr. Donald Busarow, Minister of Music.

At the morning session Mrs. Elmer Doege presented

greetings and Mrs. Paul Knecht conducted the business, followed by a report from Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht. Discussion followed concerning the division of the present State Unit into two area groups, and also a possible

change of meeting date from Fall to Spring.

Following the noon luncheon Peg and Don Busarow entertained the women with a selection of delightful "Folk Songs." Chaplain Martin W. Baumgaertner, Director of Financial Aid at V.U. was the speaker for the day. It was announced that Mrs. Ernest Oppliger of Port Huron would be the new State Unit president, and Mrs. Tom Fenske of Ann Arbor, the new vice president. Hosts for the meeting were the Detroit East Chapter: Mrs. Elmer Doege, president; Detroit West Chapter, Mrs. Elmer Engel, president, and Detroit Evening chapter, Mrs. Thomas Orton, president. Mrs. Fred Cordes provided the decorations of colorful mums and large V.U. banners and seals.



Members of the Michigan chapters brought roses like these to decorate the banquet hall. I to r: Mrs. Hugh Phillips, Mrs. Arthur Arduin, Mrs. John Bremer, Mrs. Milton Elert

#### **CONVENTION NOTES** Mrs. Helen Loen Kalamazoo, Michigan

#### **ARDUOUS ACTIVITIES**

They listened attentively through two strenuous days of Guild business and reports, and responded warmly as they met the Dean of the College of Engineering, the students who went overseas last year, and the head of the Art Department.

They were introduced to Dr. A. G. Huegli (pronounced Hew glee) and learned that O.P. has been boosted to the position of Chancellor and is currently on a trip in Europe. They met Mr. Hekman of Hekman crackers, who is now in charge of Public and Alumni Affairs. These two gentlemen flattered the gals outrageously, but they loved every minute of it!

Despite the efforts of the National Officers to concentrate the attention of the delegates upon the important business aspects of the convention, the women responded with the most animation when they could stop LISTENING to socialize and EAT.

#### FRIDAY NIGHT FUN

The Friday night smorgasbord lived up to its annual reputation. One Guilder's comment was, "I really enjoyed it - I'm miserable!" The evening's entertainment was a smash hit. Wisconsin was in charge of the evening, calling it the "Unique Boutique" and unique it was!

The talented Wisconsin delegation, not content to just furnish the gals with the new national president, added to their kudos with a delightful musical parody of a "regular" Guild meeting. Although this particular musical had to "close" on its "opening night," the cheering, laughing crowd roared its approval and proclaimed its success. (The script is available from the Merrill Chapter for \$1, and this reviewer recommends getting it.)

Over 400 women staged a "love in" at Valparaiso University the last weekend in September.

There can be only one explanation for this annual phenomena which causes women from all over the country to don mascara and girdles before breakfast - the annual convention of Valpo Guild and the endless enthusiasm of the women who love it.

The "love in" was a reciprocal event, as University officials responded with such comments as: "women are God's greatest invention. . .you are a fringe benefit of Valpo. . .good salesmen for the university. . .best type of public relations. . .fine and dedicated. . . ." This is only a partial list of the ego-building comments tossed

Needless to say the ladies were pleased and flattered and bestowed the rarest gift that women can offer — they LISTENED.

Sorority students brought some fresh tunes from current Broadway shows, acting with such enthusiasm they knocked down a few of the state flags pinned on the stage background.

The new president, Bette Froehlich, presented an idea for a National Cookbook, and Mrs. Paul Block had some clever Christmas craft ideas. The evening ended with MORE Food. The Valparaiso Chapter, which acts as annual hostesses for the event, served punch and carrot-nut bread - yes, carrot-nut!



Dr. Dorothy Siegert Lyle receives the honorary Doctor of Laws degree from President Huegli.

#### **SATURDAY'S FORMALITIES**

Saturday's main events, the election of National Officers and the State of the University address by Dr. Huegli, followed the state breakfasts, held in various dorms. In the lovely crisp afternoon sunlight, the dedication of the Loke Home Economics Building, with its tidy formality and short ceremony, was highlighted by the parade of the faculty in their bright academic robes.

Inside the home ec facility to which the Guilders have contributed, the gals noticed the preponderance of the number 7. There were 7 offices, 7 student kitchens, 14 sewing machines and 49 chairs in the lecture room!

Coffee and rolls, served by the happy home ec majors, were delicious. When this reporter, thinking to praise the culinary efforts of the students, cornered a busy hostess in the kitchen, she heard, "Oh, but we didn't bake the rolls!" The senior had the grace to blush. "We really don't have that much space yet!"

With the main events over and the convention formally adjourned, the Guild women repaired to their various lodgings to put up their feet and prepare for the

Saturday night banquet.

#### PINK DELIGHT AT NIGHT

Michigan delegates turned the Great Hall into a Pink Delight. Pink cabbage-rose topiary trees stood guard over the speaker's table like so many fluffy sentinels. The tables were decorated with wire-satin roses and pink candles. Everyone oohed and ahhed over such details as the tiny gummed stars which were pasted on the Michigan-shaped programs to represent each chapter in that state. (It required someone with the fortitude of an ant-eater to lick those 11,500 stars!)

Detroit-area women put together the arts and crafts details, and the other state chapter members furnished the "goodies" for the pink take-home bag.

The most fun was the breezy informality of the toastmistress, Mrs. Walter Schur from Massachusetts. Alumna of Valpo, enthusiastic booster of Guild causes, and wife of a busy doctor, she was a humorist as well, and regaled the company with gay, light-hearted tales that only a mother of 11 could relate. She ought to publish her account of "The Elephant Who Sat on My Son's Red Volkswagen!"

Members of the Sebewaing Chapter enthusiastically performed a skit about "Our Pride — the Tigers" which seems prophetic now. Musical interludes by two voice students and a French horn quartette preceded the interesting talk by Dr. Dorothy Siegert Lyle on Fabrics and Fashions.

The evening ended in the Gloria Christi Chapel at a late hour as the Officers were installed. The gals staggered away to bed, exhausted, happy and filled with a sense of purpose that only a national convention can bestow.

#### PERSONAL CLOSE-UPS

Ber Ruprecht, our Gal in the Main Office, has been appointed to a position on the LC-MS Foundation Board. She also received the Honorary Alumnus Award at Homecoming this year. Both honors are deserved by this hardworking helper of our. Congratulations!

Hats were definitely OUT this year as the gals continued to tease and fluff their hair. The National Officers, of course, were in lovely, full-dress uniform, hats and all. Rank hath its priviledges, I guess.

The enterprising Northern Virginia chapter sold cans of delicious candies to anyone who cared to buy. Many indulgent mothers dispensed them to their collegiate offspring on campus, or took them home for Christmas gifts.

Our nursing college dean, Dr. Dorothy Paulsen, got married over the summer and is now Mrs. Oliver Smith. He is a chem prof at Valpo.

Out-going prexy, Wilma Jacobs, has served 19 continuous years as a Guild Officer. She organized a guild in 1949 and went on to become Indiana State Field secretary, and then served on the National Board as V.P. and then Pres. This enthusiastic gal is not out of the Guild business yet. The Indiana chapters have asked to decorate the banquet next year, and Wilma will no doubt have her part in that.

Sat next to a gal who celebrated her 78th birthday at the convention. Mrs. Margaret Sweeder, Sturgis, Michigan, remains active in the Kendallville, Indiana chapter, and attends the conventions when she can hook a ride.

Interesting to note that Dr. Norman Nagel, the new dean of the Chapel, was a coordinator last year for Valpo at the Cambridge overseas program. He is from Australia, but sounds like a young Winston Churchill.

Was priviledged to drive down to Valpo with Mrs. Walter Maier (of Lutheran Hour fame). She recounted how she brought her baby to the founding meeting of the Guild in 1931. She and Mrs. Hoppe were the only charter members present this year.

More than 700 women served as officers on a national scale this past year. 20 out of the 29 states in the Guild were present at the convention.

Unfortunately, the Field Secretaries were unable to report any new chapters, but seemed optimistic about chances for improving the record next year. It was suggested that more regional rallies be held this year, to pep up the energy of the members.

PROJECT FUND

RESOLVED that the Valparaiso University Guild allocate its 1968-69 Project Fund to provide modern up-to-date equipment for the Physics Department.

#### CALENDAR FUND

Purchase of a Video Camera and Videocorder to be used in many class rooms and for various purposes in departments at the University.



TOASTMISTRESS Mrs. Walter Schur, Oxford, Massachusetts

Best Joke: Some monks who wanted to raise money decided to open a "Fish and Chips" drive-in. One fellow approached a monk and said, "You must be the Fish Friar!"

"No," the priest replied, "I'm the Chip Monk!"

The Guild Special this year, the landscaping of the Foreign Language Center, was delayed until the last minute and landscapers were still working on the project when the convention got underway! Whew! Someone must have breathed a sigh of relief.

We were encouraged to work harder for the Guild and University this year. Each of us absorbed the enthusiasm generated by a dedicated Executive Council and the hundreds who attended. Perhaps some portion of that enthusiasm can be carried home to inspire the Guild nationwide. May this be the best year ever!

#### **CALENDAR OF MUSICAL EVENTS**

December:	
15, Sunday - 4 p.m.	Christmas Concert
19, Thursday - 6:30 p.m	<ol> <li>Midnight Vespers</li> </ol>
11:00 p.r	n.

February:	
2, Sunday - 4 p.m.	Chamber Music Concert
	The Zen Woodwind Quartet
4, Tuesday - 7:30 p.m.	Valparaiso University Concert Band

	Homecoming Tour Concert
9, Sunday - 8:15 p.m.	Valparaiso University Choir
	Homecoming Tour Concert
27 Thursday - 9-15 n m	Organ Recital

Brother Jean-Luc Taize Community

March:
7,8,14,15 - Fri., Sat.
8:15 p.m. Valparaiso University Opera
Company

Valparaiso University-Civic Orchestra

16, Sunday - 4 p.m. Organ recital Philip Gehring, University organist

20, Thursday - 7:30 p.m. Valparaiso University Concert Band

23, Sunday - 4 p.m. Passion Vespers April:

12, Sat., 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. High School String Festival 4 p.m. Concert 19, Sat., 2 p.m. Organ workshop

19, Sat., 2 p.m. Organ workshop
Dr. Oswald Ragatz, Guest Lec-

20, Sunday - 4 p.m. Concert Oswald Ragatz, organist

22, Tuesday - 8:15 p.m. Sigma Alpha lota American Musicale

26, Sat., 9 a.m.-5 p.m. High School Choral Festival Concert
27, Sunday - 4 p.m. Valparaiso University Cham-

ber Orchestra

4, Sunday - 4 p.m.
Valparaiso University Concert
Band
13, Tuesday, 8:15 p.m.
18, Sunday - 4 p.m.
Valparaiso University Concert
Band
Faculty String Quartet
Spring Concert
University Choirs

## REPORT of the EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR Mrs. E.H. Ruprecht

September finds our members returning from summer vacations to resume the many activities that have been discontinued for a few months. Once again chapters will be meeting, and as we gather together today we would like to remind you that it is important to begin the work for the new year with a prayer in our hearts that God will give us the necessary strength, time and energy to face the tasks before us. Perhaps we can pledge ourselves to use our resources to the best advantage, so that we can see the truth of the University motto "In Thy Light shall we see Light," and follow it with willing hearts. And only then can we humbly bow with the knowledge that He has pleaded with us to "be strong and work" followed with the loving assurance "for I am with you."

What better words to keep before us when we become discouraged; when we think other chapters are not pulling the same load as we are; when we wonder if we can possibly face another committee meeting, or take on another responsibility. We know that voluntary groups have always faced an uphill struggle for survival, but we also know that if each one of us continues to "be strong and work" this struggle will become a challenge and a joy to overcome. We do know that we have a cause that is worthwhile — our projects fulfill a definite need, and that there is reason for our continuing to exist and flourish.

Since we have come here these days to hear more about Valparaiso University, more about the activities and the program of the Guild, more about the students and faculty, more about one another, we should remember how important it is to have this privilege of assembling together. We are a social people in the world of today — we enjoy meeting friends from all parts of the country, and we hope to add to our circle of friends and to learn from others about the chapters in which they work. We expect that you, as a member of the Guild, will return to your chapter and report about the proceedings and meetings you have attended. We would want those of you who serve as officers to remember that salesmen need to go to the home office to gain knowledge of the products they are selling. Just so do you need to come to Valpo to find out more about OUR products — namely, the youth of today who are students at this University. We wish to congratulate the more than 700 women who have served as officers of local chapters during the past year. Think of this staggering figure and realize what an outpouring of talent has been offered to the Guild! Each Guild member throughout the country has contributed to the vitality of the Guild again keep the words in mind - "be strong."

We urge all of you to participate actively in a plan to increase local chapter membership this coming year. It is necessary that we keep our chapters filled with energetic women who are not weary of carrying on the Guild program year after year. With the addition of new members you will find new ideas being proposed, new women to serve on committees, new talent for programs. If someone has moved into your community during this

past summer, why not extend a warm welcome to them to attend your next meeting? A list of new members can be obtained from your church office; names of new people in the community can be supplied by the Chamber of Commerce. Make these new people feel welcome invite them soon before they become too involved in other activities. The Alumni Office at Valpo has been kind to the Guild, and upon request has generously spent time to send lists of alumnae living in your area write them for this service! Also, try to encourage mothers of students on campus — or prospective students — to join the group. If they are working in order to send their son or daughter to school, perhaps you can arrange an annual program for them whereby they can learn more about Valpo, and attempt to find some method for participation in part of your program at least. It is important to remember that most women are vitally interested in Christian education, and where could they find a better opportunity of expressing their interest than by becoming a member of an organization which exists solely for the support of an educational institution like Valpo?

During the past year we have had fine response from chapters who send newsy items for the Chapter Chatter column in the Guild Bulletin — our thanks to those faithful women who have supplied us with interesting tidbits. We have wondered if we could expand this section and feature individual women of our chapters. Perhaps some woman has had a special honor bestowed upon her. Someone else may have been elected to some important community office; another may have produced a book, or had a poem published, or created something special for sale. Wouldn't it be interesting to have a "Personal Column" with just such newsy items to share with other chapter members throughout the country? If you wish we will gladly publish them and inaugurate a new column for the spring edition.

State Unit conventions and rallies have been unusually successful the past year. This means there is still need for the assembling together of women in larger groups to spread the Valpostory. Please try to attend a meeting in your State, won't you? The chapters in the Baltimore, Washington, D.C., and Northern Virginia are experimenting with a Rally this next month. Chapters in the Southern California area discovered that this was most successful last year and plan to repeat it again in October. Wouldn't more of you like to try this to see how it may be developed in your part of the country?

You are all aware that at the February Executive Board meeting, the decision was made to change the recipient of funds which accrue from Memorial Wreaths. In the past these monies were used for the Chapel Fund, and now the University has its own Memorial Wreaths for this purpose. Therefore, it was agreed that we would propose that the funds be allocated to another vitally important factor of University service which will apply to the total life of the students. Each Memorial Wreath you send will be used to supply books for the students who are on campus so as to create a "living books fund."

# REPORT of the ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE Mrs. Alfred Bichsel Mrs. Hubert Velepec

These gifts will be sent directly to the Library by the individual donor and an acknowledgement will be sent from Valpo. It is no longer necessary for the chapter treasurer to collect and report on these funds. The Memorial column will still appear in the Guild Bulletin as heretofore. Continue to use them freely. Ask that they be supplied to your local churches and funeral homes so that they are available whenever there is a need for them

Again we would like to suggest that you make use of the talents of the national officers should you need a speaker for some important occasion in the life of your chapter. They bring a personal message and pertinent information to you. You may also continue to contact the News Bureau or the Guild office for speakers from the campus as well.

From past experiences through the sixteen years in this office we find there are many questions which chapters are eager to have clarified. We would encourage you to write at any time for this sort of help, for your questions are welcomed and information can usually be supplied.

May we remind you officers that it is extremely important at the conclusion of your term of office to hand down information pertinent to the work you have been doing in your respective office to those women who succeed you. We would urge committee chairmen to prepare complete reports of any activity or project and keep them in the chapter file for referral by other committees who need the help you can give them in this manner.

We are sorry to report the loss of several chapters who have had difficulty in maintaining their effectiveness at present. We trust they will gain and seek new interest at some later date. They are:

Phoenix, Arizona; Mattoon, Illinois; Memphis, Tennessee; Warren, Ohio; Miami, Florida; Pittsburgh Afternoon.

We wish to thank these groups publicly for the support they have given to the University in the past through their association with the Guild.

We could not close without a word of gratitude to all national officers and committee members with whom we have worked so closely; and also to President Kretzmann who has guided and counseled us through another year of Guild operation.

In conclusion I would say to you that today's woman must have remarkable creative relationships with others, and be willing to cope with the constant, unpredictable changes that will surely come in the course of her life. She must do many jobs well, dividing her time, energy and interest among her family, herself, and we would suggest with the Guild. She must have faith that today is a wonderful day to be a Christian woman, and that tomorrow will be an even better one. She must have the vision and the courage to take today and shape it into a glorious tomorrow. This charge I leave with you — this you can do — this we must do, for we have the promise "for lo, I am with you always, saith the Lord of hosts."

A few weeks ago at the opening Convocation of this University, Acting President Huegli addressed his audience, using "Renewal" as his topic. This is a very fine thesis for us also to consider as the Guild—a very valuable and vital member of an untiring team of workers—moves forward into another year of service to Valparaiso University. Dr. Huegli pointed out: "Renewal is not revolution—renewal encourages fresh approaches and necessary modifications which will enable the organization to meet the needs for which it has been set up in the first place."

We must examine ourselves individually and our chapters individually. We, too, must be constantly on the alert for fresh approaches and necessary modifications—perhaps dictated by our local situations and circumstances in conjunction with the tune of the Space Age itself—to meet the goals of this organization and its reason for existing at all. And it should be pointed out that these purposes could even move beyond our reach if we do not move with the present while keeping an eye on the future.

Being a year of national elections, 1968 automatically puts us in a campaigning frame of mind. Obviously, a strong and increasing membership can do great things and of course, and alas, the opposite is also true. There are now approximately 3,950 on-campus students - and we can safely assume that a great many of those young people are here because you encouraged them to come here, as a result of one of the greatest efforts this organization has ever embraced, namely the Person-to-Person Program. It is also reasonably safe to assume that there must then be approximately 3,950 off-campus mothers who want to know more about the University, who have nowavery deep interest in what the University is trying to do for her youngster, and who can do something about it by joining the Guild — a virtual hot-line to Valpo. Therefore, we urgently recommend to you to extend and expand the Person-to-Person Program to the mothers of the students whom you contact in this way. They should receive the same treatment - telephone them, meet them in person, invite them to your first meeting, and subsequently to all Guild and Alumni functions in your area. For many years in Rochester our September luncheon has been aimed at stimulating membership, and it has always been successful. Our speaker is always outstanding and our guests leave wanting to return and to hear more about the Guild and how it contributes to the cause of Valparaiso University. We phone them, we ask them to assist on various projects, the Advent Vespers, the Banquet, the Fashion Show, the Person-to-Person Program. Keep in touch with them in person. It helps. Observe how this has worked with increasing student enrollment. Let's extend that a little and use the Person-to-Person approach to increase our membership. And a post script, but an important one-keep your eyes open for the "individual member" who is remote from but closest to your particular area. Keep her advised of everything

that goes on in your chapter. Our next suggestion will explain to you exactly how to accomplish this.

Nobody is so isolated these days that she cannot attend one or two Valpo functions during a year—and/or make a substantial contribution (not necessarily a monetary contribution) to **one** of your chapter's projects or programs. Some of our best workers in Rochester make wreaths while watching the late show—this probably works with the early show as well. New blood is always good, and everything that lives must have new blood. We all know that. **Our** blood stream is our membership and we can't renew that unless we use the personal approach, particularly valuable in this numerical era when too often our complete identity depends upon telephone numbers, social security numbers, area codes and zip codes.

Don't overlook the alumni—every year there are some moving into your town. This same approach applies to them, for while they may not necessarily have children in college, they always have a very strong desire to keep in touch with Valpo, and **your** Guild Chapter can do that for them.

Now another suggestion, your chapter **needs** a Chapter Newsletter. The National Newsletter which we have attempted is good, but you need a newsletter on the chapter level. **This can be better.** The importance of keeping your membership informed cannot be underestimated.

We have enjoyed getting this Guild Newsletter together, first, because we must of necessity keep up with what goes on on campus; and second, because we keep in touch with you and vice versa. And we hope that the Newsletter has been beneficial to your chapter in some way. Some of you have written to us—and we will continue to pass along to you the many good ideas which your letters contain. Of course, there are always some of us who "never write" so could you let us know now by a show of hands whether our newsletter is helpful to you. Thank you.

The local newsletter on the chapter level **must contain** names, addresses and telephone numbers of new members; of "individual" members (who incidentally) will be especially grateful to have a periodic communication from your chapter); of alumni; of prospective students and potential Guild members. Keep your newsletter informative, give time, date and place of the next meeting, of Guild and Alumni functions, programs and projects, both current and future, include a particularly exciting news flash from the University.

Keeping people informed keeps your membership alive, for what is going on in your chapter is important to each and every member and it is therefore important to use this means of communication to keep your membership in touch with each other and with chapter events.

The best way to achieve this is to include in your ros-

ter of officers a Publicity Chairman whose job it is to get out a brief chapter newsletter as often as possible. The president of your chapter should submit a short paragraph and others should be encouraged to contribute pertinent information and material, particularly if they have news items from campus. **Every** chapter has **one** member at least who visits the University from time to time. She can be your hot-line to where things happen and your chapter newsletter is ready to pass these news items along to your membership where it will do the most good.

We have heard from several chapters who have been doing this for some time and those newsletters have been terrific. They not only provide enjoyable reading, but also they can give your members the feeling that someone other than the A & P cares about them.

Please keep sending your ideas to Mrs. Hubert Velepec, 61 Allwood Drive, Rochester, New York 14617. We will include as many of them as possible in the next newsletter. We try to select those items which have the broadest appeal, and these we will always pass along to you.

In conclusion then, during this year of renewal, we recommend concentration on the Person-to-Person approach to increasing our membership; and on the chapter newsletter to keep your membership informed, stimulated and excited about the life and the work of the Guild.

We all know that we can raise money for new buildings, furnishings, shrubbery, lighting and other physical equipment, but without a vital and enthusiastic membership, our hands are helpless and our hearts can only be heavy with frustrations. Therefore, as we renew ourselves and our efforts, we must start again from the beginning; that is, we must do our utmost to increase and strengthen our membership and we must do our utmost to keep that membership alive and working in a very special and informed closeness to the cause for which we exist

Almighty God is the Master of this renewal—not you or I or Dr. Huegli—and He Himself is sending us on to do something better. As women devoted to the Lord, and convinced that it is the Holy Spirit who is calling us and leading us forward, we can only work cheerfully and with confidence to serve this University, for there is a great community of teachers and learners here and we can be very proud of them and to be a part of them. Above all we can thank God for them. "Now be strong and work, for I am with you saith the Lord of hosts."

Just one footnote: As we are typing this, the S.S. United States is moving out of New York Harbor with two of the dearest friends of the Guild and of the University aboard. Maybe O.P. is saying as the ship slips into the bay, "here today, gone tomorrow" and then as that vessel with confidence and majesty approaches the great ocean, maybe O.P. is thinking, "the past is prologue."

#### HERE AND THERE AROUND CAMPUS

Dr. O. P. Kretzmann has been appointed Chancellor of Valparaiso University, and Dr. A. G. Huegli, Acting President for the next academic year. Dr. Donald C. Mundinger will serve as Acting Vice President for Academic Affairs; Dr. Louis A. Foster as Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences; and Prof. Dean W. Kohloff as Assistant to the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences. Mr. Alfred R. Looman has been appointed Dean of Student Services. . . .

Dr. Theodore Schwan, Professor of Chemistry has been granted a leave-of-absence to accept a 2 year appointment as Senior Lecturer in Chemistry at the University Haile Selassie I, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia....

Dr. Philip Gehring, University organist has been elected vice president of the Lutheran Society for Worship, Music and the Arts....

Two V.U. seniors and one faculty member won Full-bright Fellowships for advanced study abroad; James V. Bachman of Hopkins, Minnesota will study technology at Cambridge University; Miss Pat Lange, from Old Westbury, N.Y. will study at the Free University in West Berlin; and Miss Linda Brust will use her Fellowship to study at the University of Frankfurt in German Literature. . . .

Mr. Jerry Wagenblast, Assistant Professor in the Department of Mathematics has written a book, Mathematics Methods for Junior High School Teachers....

Prof. William Dallman of the Speech and Drama Department, has been awarded a National Defense grant for study towards a doctoral degree at Purdue University....

Prof. Margaretta Tangerman of the Social Work Department was appointed Chairman of an ad hoc committee to study in depth the task force report on "Social Insurance and Taxes" at the meeting of the Indiana Governor's Commission on the Status of Women....

The National Alumni Committee awarded two Faculty Fellowships for 1968 to Hans Boehringer and Alice Rechlin....

A print by Professor William Benson was recently purchased by the Art Institute of Chicago to become part of its permanent collection, title "Silver on Black Progression"....

Dr. Newman Powell of the music faculty has been elected first vice president of the Indiana Music Teachers Association for 1968-69....

Dr. Leslie Zoss, head of the Mechanical Engineering Department, has been cited as winner of the 1968 Donald P. Eckman Award, presentation of which will be made in New York City. . . .

Dr. Albert G. Huegli, Acting President of V.U., was awarded an honorary Doctor of Divinity Degree by Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, at the Opening Service for the Seminary's 130th academic year held September 15....

The former Engineering Lab Building became a busy center of fine arts activities this fall with its renovation for use by the Art and Music Departments....

Dr. Paul W. Lange, Education Department head, announced the beginning of operations this fall in a newly-painted, brightly-lighted remodelled former Immanuel Lutheran School Building which contains 4 laboratory classrooms, 4 offices for faculty members, 4 regular classrooms, and a panelled seminar room....

An electronic learning laboratory has been installed in the new Foreign Language Center termed by Irving S. Olsen, Director of Instructional Materials, as a "Random Access Information Storage and Retrieval System"....

The Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service has an exhibit of 50 engravings and Stone-block prints of Eskimo Graphic Art in the University's Sloan Galleries of American Paintings....

Approximately 700 high school sophomores and juniors visited campus October 5 for V.U. High School Day....

The Lutheran Lawyers Association held its annual conference in October with the topic discussions centered around "The Church Looks at Civil Disobedience" and "Law and Civil Disobedience."....

Three Alumni Distinguished Service Awards were given at Homecoming to Emory Bauer, VU baseball coach, Walter R. Schur, M.D., Oxford, Mass.; and Paul Brandt, Ft. Worth, Texas, chairman of VU's Board of Directors. Mrs. E. H. Ruprecht, executive director of the national VU Guild, was named an Honorary Alumna at the morning Chapel Service. October 20th. . . .

Dr. Dorothy Siegert Lyle, alumna of V.U., received an honorary LL.D. Degree from VU at the dedication ceremonies of the Loke Home Economics Center, Saturday, September 28th. A panel discussion on "Home Economics Future Role in Strengthening Family Life" was presented by five professional women in the Wesemann Law School courtroom. . . .

Arthur T. Wellman, River Forest, III., has been reelected President of the national VU Alumni Association Board of Directors for 1969. Other officers are John Sauerman, Glenn Ellyn, III., treasurer; John P. Schroeder, Zionsville, Ind., Vice President; Prof. Richard Laube, VU faculty member, Vice President for Academic Encouragement; and Mrs. James McGill, Valpo, secretary of the Association. Also Paul Dickmeyer, Ft. Wayne, Vice President for Current Support; Edward Kirk, West Bend, Wis., Vice President for Public Relations....

Harold Hoffman, Elgin, III., recently appointed Chairman of the Executive Committee of VU's President's Council, died unexpectedly October 16 in Detroit....

The Gellersen Engineering-Mathematics Center and the Foreign Language Center were dedicated Saturday and Sunday, November 2-3....

The 21st annual Institute of Liturgical Studies held the first of two identical conferences on the theme, "The Reconciling Community" at St. Olaf College, Oct. 30-Nov. 1. The second session of the Institute will be held at VU February 11-12....

#### **EUROPEAN TOUR**

Dr. Richard D. Knudten, head of the Sociology Department, is the author of two recently published books: The Systematic Thought of Washington Gladden, and a book on Criminological Controversies. . . .

Raymond G. Krumsieg, Director of the Student Visitation Program for VU since 1959, and husband of Verna Krumsieg, former Illinois Field Secretary of the Guild, will retire from this position November 1. He was named this year to received the Distinguished Alumnus of Beta Sigma Psi, national Lutheran fraternity, which will be presented at the University of Illinois Homecoming. Ray and Verna plan to make their home in the area of Clearwater, Florida after Christmas....

Construction contracts have been awarded and work is to begin the end of October on the building of 6 residences for fraternities, each housing 50 men. The houses will be placed on each side of Mound Street between Linwood and Greenwich. All of the residences will have the same interior arrangement, but modifications will be made in the exterior treatments and five different kinds of brick will be used. . . .

The Bach Collegium and Kantorei Stuttgart, Germany, a company of 80 European musicians presented a concert in the Chapel on Sunday, October 27. The group is making its first American tour....

Paul Thune reports total VU enrollment for the current semester is 4409. This includes 3831 on-campus students; 174 undergraduates and 216 graduates in the evening division; 188 in the Fort Wayne, Cleveland and St. Louis nursing divisions. . . .

A 10 country European tour which includes Scandinavia and Spain as well as Britain, Germany, Italy, France, the Lowlands, and Austria will be offered by Valparaiso University from June 17 to August 7, 1969. The tour of 30 persons will be conducted by Dr. Willis Boyd, History Department, and Prof. William Kowitz, Geography Department, who have taken several groups on previous European trips. The tour may be taken for six undergraduate academic credits — three in European Geographical Problems and three in History of European Culture.

The 52-day trip will begin June 17 when the travellers leave New York City for Prestwick, Scotland. British highlights will include Edinburgh, the Scottish Lake Country, Oxford, Stratford, Warwick, and London. Bergen, the fjords of Norway, Oslo, and Copenhagen will be next followed by East and West Berlin, Rothenburg (Germany's 13th century city), and a week in the Bavarian Alps with trips to Munich, Oberammergau, Innsbruck, and Garmisch.

In Italy, the group will visit Venice, the Republic of San Marco, Florence, Pisa, Rome, and Vatican City. Spanish sites will include Madrid, Toledo, the plains of Castille, and the prehistoric caves of Altamira. From there, the tour will go to Biarritz, the French chateau country, Paris, and Versailles before heading for the Flemish city of Bruges, Amsterdam, and New York City.

Further information on the tour may be obtained from Dr. Boyd or Prof. Kowitz, Valparaiso (Ind.) University, 46383.



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