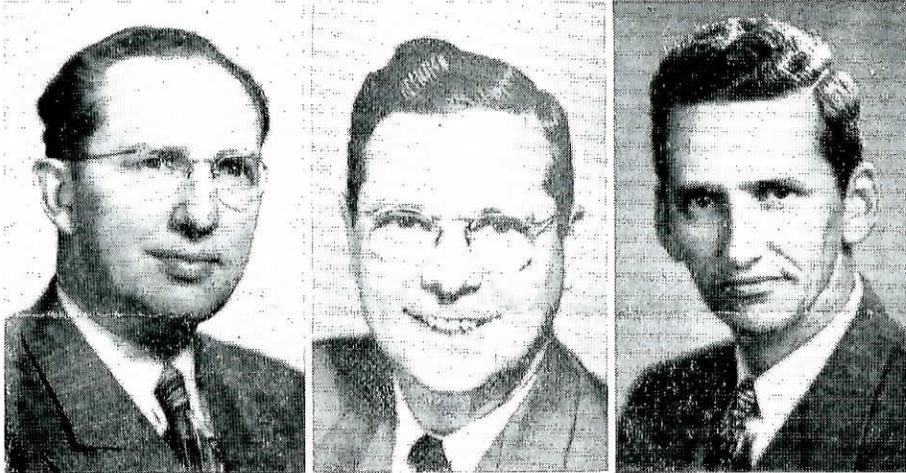


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Dr. S. Franklin Logsdon

Rev. Fred Brown

Rev. Donald Graham

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL Bible Conference October 23 - 30

Above are pictured three of the main speakers for the 25th annual Bible conference to be held at the University, beginning October 23 and running through October 30.

Dr. S. Franklin Logsdon is pastor of the Immanuel Church of Holland, Michigan; Rev. Fred Brown is an evangelist, making his home in Chattanooga, Tennessee; and Rev. Donald Graham is pastor of the McIlwain Memorial Presbyterian Church, Pensacola, Florida. All of these speakers are recognized conference leaders. In addition to being a speaker, Mr. Graham will add to the blessings of the conference as a tenor soloist whose voice has been heard in the leading parts of some of the best-loved oratorios, including "The Messiah."

Other speakers will include Rev. T. Perry Brannon, well known radio speaker and evangelist of Chattanooga; Rev. William Venable, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Acworth, Georgia; and Dr. Irving Jensen, head of the University Bible Department.

A schedule of the meetings is given elsewhere in this issue of Newslette.

C. S. A. Launches Program

The Christian Service Association once again is preparing for an effective program in the Dayton area. This program of Christian service is an excellent means to use for integrating the theory of the classroom with the practical experience of real-life situations and has proved to be of special value to potential pastors, missionaries, and other church workers.

The majority of 252 enrolled students have volunteered for service in the C. S. A. Bible classes in the public schools will use 46 teachers in 16 classes. About 6 of the men will hold weekly services in the Rhea County Jail, and a special group will minister to over 200 students at the Pikeville Agricultural Training Institute. Other students will serve in student pastorates, Sunday Schools, junior church work, hospitals, open air meetings, and a visitation program in an area as far as 35 miles from Bryan Hill.

The C. S. A. Council, which directs all Christian service done by student personnel, is made up of five students and one faculty co-ordinator: Ronald Bensinger, president; Richard Ruble, vice-president; Mark

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Miss Tabor Joins Faculty Staff Members Elected

Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Tabor was recently elected to the University faculty as Instructor in Zoology and Chemistry. Miss Tabor is a native of the state of West Virginia.

In addition to a B.S. degree from Concord College, Athens, West Virginia, Miss Tabor received the M.S. degree from the University of Virginia and has since had courses in special fields of study at Bob Jones University and the University of Florida.

Her experiences have been varied and include service in the armed forces, in teaching, and in the University of Florida, where she was a research assistant in the field of cancer.

Additions to the staff include Mr. Dean Piper, as Associate Director of the Boarding Department, Mrs. Dean Piper, who holds the office of Secretary in Stewardship and Mrs. Gordon Talbot, who will serve in the capacity of secretary to the Business Manager. Both Mr. and Mrs. Piper are graduates of Bryan University.

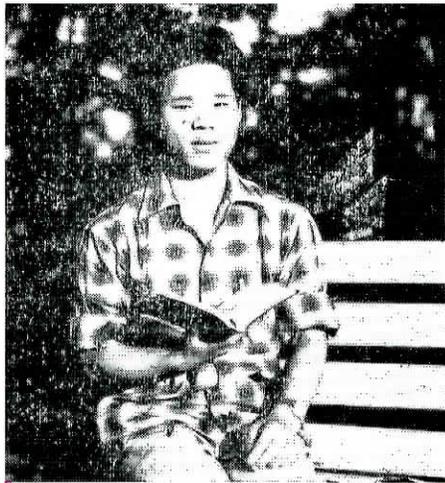
252 Enroll For '55-'56 Session 28 States, 3 Foreign Countries Represented

Coming from some twenty-eight states across the nation and three foreign countries, 252 students enrolled in Bryan University last week to begin or continue their studies. The number included 91 freshmen, 60 sophomores, 49 juniors, 46 seniors, 4 special students, and 2 as yet unclassified.

The three foreign countries represented are Canada, Korea and Switzerland, with one student coming from each of the three.

Michigan again leads the list with 34 students enrolled. Tennessee comes next with 31 representatives and Ohio with 29, Pennsylvania with 25,

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Uh Yeoune Hong, who has just within the last five weeks come to America from Korea to attend Bryan University.

FIRST KOREAN STUDENT

When asked what aspect of Bryan University impressed him most, Uh Yeoune Hong—the first Korean student to enter the University—replied, “The students are so kind; they are like a big family.”

Some of the many things Hong noted in the United States that were not common to the Korean were the colorful countryside, towering buildings, the large number and many varieties of trees, and the numerous methods of transportation.

Through correspondence with friends in Illinois, with whom he came into contact through an American GI, Hong learned of and was encouraged to come to the States to study at Bryan. A native of Taegu, Korea, located about 250 miles south of Seoul, Hong speaks English with unexpected clarity and ease, having studied both grammar and composition in high school.

At the present time Hong sees as his ultimate goal the responsible work of being an ambassador to his own country.

Henley to Edit “Commoner”

The 1956 “Commoner,” University yearbook, will be published under the editorship of Frank Henley, of Knoxville, Tennessee. The yearbook is the responsibility of the junior class. Assisting Editor Henley will be a capable staff of workers which will include the following:

Assistant Editor Rogers Havird
Business Manager Jim Barth

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF SPEAKERS FOR THE 1955 ANNUAL BIBLE CONFERENCE

The speakers listed below are Rev. T. Perry Brannon, who will open the conference on the afternoon of the twenty-third; Dr. Irving Jensen, Bible Department head; Dr. S. Franklin Logsdon; Rev. Fred Brown; Rev. Donald Graham; and Rev. William Venable.

The final program on the night of Sunday, October 30, will be the musical sermon, “The Life of Man,” a one-hour message in song and scripture. Rev. Donald Graham, who is a recognized and talented singer, as well as a minister of the Gospel, will give this program.

The public is invited to attend all services which will be held each morning in the University Memorial Chapel, and at all other times in the Rhea Central High School.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Date	8:45 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	3:00 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
October 23	————	————	Brannon	————
October 24	Jensen	Logsdon	————	Brown
October 25	Graham	Brown	————	Logsdon
October 26	Brown	Logsdon	————	Brown
October 27	Graham	Brown	————	Logsdon
October 28	Logsdon	Brown	————	Logsdon
October 29	Logsdon	Venable	————	Graham
October 30	————	————	Graham	Graham

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Davis of Greenville, South Carolina, and Mark Davis of Red Jacket, West Virginia. Junior representatives were Lyrle Cue of West Chicago, Illinois, and Malcolm Bradshaw of Laurel, Virginia. Joyce Hughes, Greenville, South Carolina, and Roger Hughes of Youngstown, Ohio, spoke for the sophomores. Responses from the freshman class were given by Sarah Meador of Roanoke, Virginia, and David Jones of Greenville, South Carolina. The interesting feature about all this was that no one knew until called upon who was to do the speaking.

OPENING RECEPTION HELD

The annual opening reception to the new faculty and staff members and the new students was held on the night of September sixteenth. Each of the new students was brought to the head of the line by a senior escort, introduced to Dr. Judson A. Rudd, President Emeritus, and then presented to each of the other members of the faculty and staff. Following the introductions, Lyle Hillegas, senior from Neenah, Wisconsin, took over as master of ceremonies and called on representatives from each class to voice a word of welcome to the new arrivals on the Hill. Speaking for the seniors were Sarah

Interspersed through the informative talks, were a piano solo, Chopin’s “Fantasie Impromptu,” played by Donna Black, of Littleton, Colo., a vocal solo, the old favorite, “On the Road to Mandalay,” sung by James Reese, of Williamston, Mich., and “O Love that Wilt Not Let Me Go” sung by the ladies quartette of the Gospel Messengers, composed of Lois Bingle, Martha King, Judy King, Wilma Anglebrandt. Professor Heydenburk and Pearl Rathbun, the latter being from Glen Ellyn, Illinois, provided

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Pictured above are the members of the Board of Trustees who were present at the fall meeting of the board. Bottom to top, left to right, Mr. C. H. Dentler, Mrs. James Frazier, Mrs. Harris H. Gregg, Mrs. E. B. Arnold, Dr. H. D. Long, Chairman of the Board, Mr. F. E. Robinson, Mr. Russell T. Hitt, Chancellor Glen Woodlee, Mr. Roy Adams, Mr. R. L. Bryan, Dr. J. Wesley McKinney, Rev. Robert L. Gilbert, Mr. Harry Johnson, Dr. Herman Hoyt, Mr. Lewis Llewellyn, Mr. F. R. Rogers.

Freshmen Offer Varied Talent

In the annual Freshman Talent program, held the evening of September 19, the offerings of the freshmen were as varied as enjoyable, including both vocal and instrumental numbers sung and played to a capacity audience in the Memorial Chapel. Professor Gerald Woughter, head of the music department, acted as master of ceremonies, introducing the freshmen as they appeared on the program. Both religious and secular in character, the compositions included within their range both the well-known and the new. The program was as follows.

"At the End of the Road," vocal trio, Marilyn Laszlo, Lois Robertson, and Janet Farley; medley, "My God is Real" and "Mansion Over the Hilltop," piano solo, Raymond Holmes; "Ciribiribin," trumpet solo, Lloyd Matthes; "My Jesus I Love Thee," cello solo, Barbara Pedigo; "The Holy City," vocal solo, Phyllis Francis; "Keys to the Kingdom," piano solo, Esther Sharp; "Rose of Sharon," organ solo, Glen Lehman; "It Took a Miracle," vocal solo, Evon Smith; "I Will Pilot Thee," trumpet trio, Bill Brew, Darryl Bradley, Glen Lehman; "It Is No Secret," accordion solo, Nancy Hershey; "Marching Beneath the Banner," cornet solo,

Joe Toth; "Allegro Movement of the Sonata in C Minor" (by Mozart), piano solo, David Pates; "Caro Mio Ben," vocal solo, Darryl Bradley; "Strange Fruit" (Negro Folk Song), vocal solo, David Jones; "Indian Love Call," marimba solo, Elaine Smetters; "Jesus, Wonderful Lord," vocal duet, Eleanor Lemke and Darryl Bradley; "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," vocal trio, Bernice Brown, Laurel Hansen, and Ursula Hildebrandt.

Those accompanying the various numbers included Alice Tobelmann, Elaine Smetters, David Pates, Ursula Hildebrandt, Janet Cummins, and Sarah Meador.

252 ENROLL FOR '55-'56 SESSION

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and Wisconsin with 19, making the first five. Other states represented and the number of students from each are as follows:

Colorado	11
Illinois	10
Indiana	10
Virginia	9
Florida	7
Kentucky	7
Minnesota	7
Georgia	6
West Virginia	6
New Jersey	5

New York	5
Texas	5
Iowa	4
North Carolina	4
South Carolina	4
Missouri	3
Nebraska	2
Arizona	1
Connecticut	1
Kansas	1
Louisiana	1
Maine	1
Massachusetts	1

Opening Reception Held

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the piano accompaniment for the vocal numbers.

Following the serving of punch and cake, Herbert Sierk, of Fort Worth, Texas, brought a short devotional centered around the general theme of Christian love.

C. S. A. Launches Program

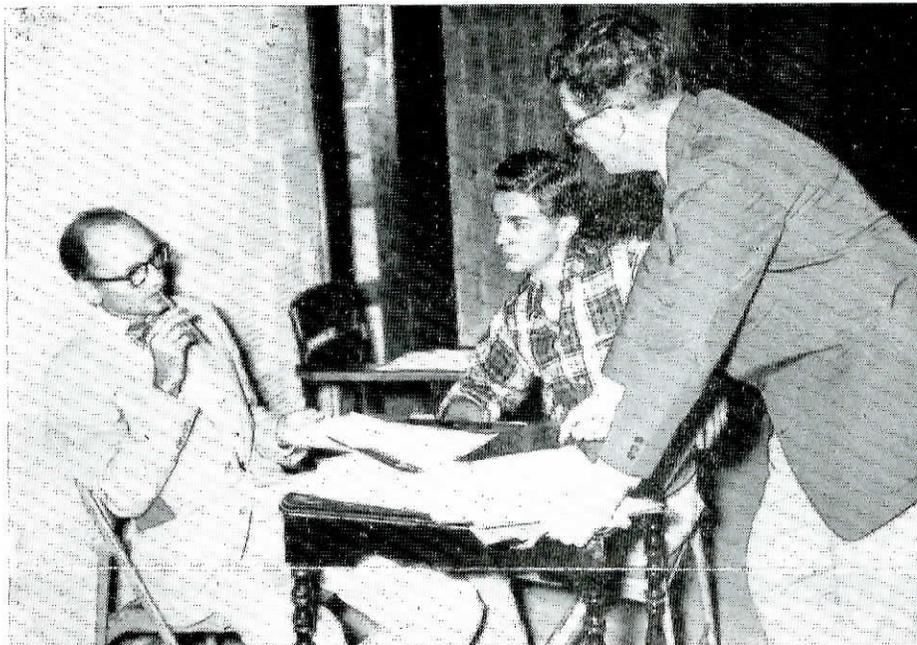
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Davis, treasurer; Rogers Havird, secretary, and Mr. Gordon Talbot, new instructor in Christian education, co-ordinator. The fifth student has not yet been elected. These officers also have responsibilities for program, finance, assignment, transportation, tract distribution, and equipment.

The prayers of all those interested in Bryan University will be appreciated by the one hundred and seventy students who regularly go out each week to place "Christ Above All."



New students sign in upon their arrival on Bryan Hill, as Adrienne Kerr, senior from Hammond, Ind., keeps the record. Left to right, Bill Brew, Euclid, Ohio; Marilyn Taylor, Estes Park, Colorado; Sandra Anderson, Danville, Iowa; Evon Smith, Englewood, Colorado; Peggy McCartney, Nederland, Texas.



Prof. Morton A. Brown, Charles Russell, and Prof. Roy Butler talk things over to see that Charles is in line for his degree in June. The picture was taken during registration time for the upper classmen.

Willoughby To Lead Seniors

At recent class organization meetings officers for the year for the various classes were elected to office. Charles Willoughby, from Ft. Worth, Texas, was elected to be president of the senior class. Other officers included Jim Reese, Williamston, Mich., vice-president; Marilyn Steinberger, Everett, Pa., secretary; Charles Russell, Grand Rapids, Mich., treasurer; Kenneth Campbell, Ajax, Ontario, Canada, chaplain; and Dr. Irving Jensen, sponsor.

In the junior class the presidency went to Ronald Bensinger, Ionia, Mich. He will be assisted by Kenneth Hanna, Sale Creek, Tenn., vice-president; Ann Ross, Whitwell, Tenn., secretary; Quentin Matthes, Mansfield, Ohio, treasurer; Miss Ila Ruth Mahr, class sponsor.

Sophomores chose Dick Franklin, Emmalena, Ky., as president, with Gayle Ryle, Erlanger, Ky., as vice-president and chaplain; Barbara Ridder, Lansing, Ill., as secretary; and Lyn Catron, Roanoke, Va., as

treasurer. Prof. Woughter is sponsor.

Darryl Bradley, Pensacola, Fla., was elected to the presidency of the freshman class. William McKinley, Erlanger, Ky., vice-president; Margie Beikert, Butler, Pa., secretary; Vernon Stiles, Brentwood, Mo., treasurer; and Mr. Gordon Talbot, sponsor.

Books About Bryan Wanted

Do you have any of the following books about William Jennings Bryan and the Scopes evolution case?

The Memoirs of William Jennings Bryan, by himself and his wife, Mary Baird Bryan; **The Life of William Jennings Bryan**, by Herrick and Herrick; **William Jennings Bryan**, by Wayne C. Williams; **The Cruelty of Commoner**, by Charles McDaniel Rosser; **The World's Most Famous Court Trails**, Stenographic Report.

If anyone has copies of one or more of these volumes and would be willing to donate them to the University for the H. A. Ironside Memorial Library, the library would be in position to lend them to interested friends.

Individuals desiring to secure copies for themselves can purchase any of the first three mentioned through the Metropolitan Book Co., Box 104, Cooper Station, New York 3, New York.

Sixty-two Conquer Lone Mt.

The first Monday afternoon of the school year saw sixty-two would-be mountain scalars leave the hill for the trek through town, down the highway, and across the fields to the bottom of Lone Mountain. Up to that point, all went well. After that, everybody went, but some, certainly, did not go too well.

The first slopes were conquered rather easily, with a stop now and then for stragglers to catch up. When the last steep climb was reached, several climbers resorted to rather primitive methods of travel and dropped to all fours, grabbing for anything they could get their hands on to keep from sliding back down and having it all to do over again. Red of face, short of breath, and wondering why in the world they had come in the first place, everyone finally reached the top to enjoy the customary time of fellowship, chorus singing, and looking for familiar spots in town or over on Bryan Hill, far away across the valley.

The trip down was, to some, at least, largely a matter of gravity, for feet somehow or other refused to stay beneath one, insisting rather, on shooting out into space and permitting all that was above to drop none too gently upon the earth beneath. No bones were broken, but it was quite noticeable the next day that there were those whose aches and pains were uncomfortable reminders that Lone Mountain was, after all, having the last word.

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