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TAYLOR DAY PLANS SET

A unique event for both Taylor University and Fort Wayne will take place November 4th, Saturday, when approximately 800 students will travel to Fort Wayne to participate in "Taylor Day."

The event, sponsored by the Fort Wayne Jaycees, will commemorate Taylor's anticipated return to that city.

The student body will journey from Upland to Fort Wayne by bus cavalcade, making their first stop at the new 700 acre campus site on route 24, three miles west of the city.

The students will then be brought to the city where the motorcade, led by the Taylor Marching Band, will parade through the downtown area. The group will then leave the buses to shop in local stores and eat before proceeding to the game.

A highlight of the day will be a Saturday afternoon football game between Taylor and Defiance College, to be played at Northside High School's Northrop Field beginning at 1:30.

According to Dar Eshelman, Jaycee Chairman of the Taylor Day Project, all proceeds from the event will be turned over to the Taylor University Building Fund Campaign being organized to raise $1,500,000 in Fort Wayne and the surrounding area.

Taylor Building Fund Chairman, Donald F. Strutz, praised the Jaycees' Taylor Day Project, saying, "The Steering Committee feels this is one of the best ways for our community to become acquainted with this future group of citizens."

Serving with Eshelman on the Jaycee Project will be Charles Gaunt, past Jaycee president and Vice Chairman of the Taylor University Steering Committee, Donald Dettmer, and Bill Hall.

Governor Matthew Welsh
Is Citizenship Day Guest

The Honorable Matthew Welsh, Governor of the state of Indiana, will visit the Taylor campus as guest speaker for annual Citizenship Day, October 27th, Friday. He will deliver the main address of the conference at 8:00 p.m. in Maytag Gymnasium.

Another noted political figure, state Senator D. Russell Bontrager from Elkhart, will address the student body and faculty at 9:30 a.m., also in the gymnasium. Other sessions and activities for the day are currently being planned by the Social Science Club which sponsors the event.

Purpose of Citizenship Day is to give students a deeper understanding of the structure and functions of government, and to stimulate participation in political affairs as responsible Christian citizens.

The public is invited to hear the address by Governor Welsh.
**ALUMNU S NAMED LEGAL COUNSEL FOR U. S. JAYCEES**

A Taylor University graduate has been appointed General Legal Counsel for the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce according to an announcement by Chamber President Robert Conger of Jackson, Tennessee.

Maurice W. Coburn, a Chicago and Springfield attorney, will advise the President and Headquarters Staff in Tulsa, Oklahoma, on matters of a legal or policy nature, and will also represent the Jaycees throughout the country on matters of national policy.

**SCIENTISTS GIVE BOOKS TO TAYLOR LIBRARY**

Fourteen noted scientists throughout the U. S. have given scientific books or funds for the purchase of books, to the Taylor library, in response to a personal request from Dr. Charles W. Shilling, Chairman of the Taylor Board of Trustees.

The generosity of these men in giving valuable additions to the Taylor library is deeply appreciated.

**Doctrine Seminar Slated**

A seminar on Holiness Doctrine will be held at Taylor October 19th, Thursday, with four guest Christian educators participating.

Visiting lecturers will be Dr. William M. Arnett, Professor of Christian Doctrine, Asbury Theological Seminary; Dr. Roy S. Nicholson, Chairman, Division of Religion at Central Wesleyan College, South Carolina; and Dr. Jared Gerig, President, Fort Wayne Bible College. Taylor professor Dr. Ralph Thompson, Chairman, Division of Philosophy and Religion, will deliver the concluding lecture.

The seminar will convene at 9 a.m. with devotions by the Rev. Merne Harris of Vennard College, Iowa, who is serving as Chairman and Discussion Leader. He is also Seminars Dean of the National Holiness Association.

The schedule of lectures is as follows:

- **Morning Session** 9 a.m.-12 noon
  - "Wesleyan-Arminian Teaching on Sin"
    - Dr. William Arnett
  - "Holiness and the Human Element"
    - Dr. Roy Nicholson
- **Afternoon Session** 1:30-4:30 p.m.
  - "The Gifts of the Spirit"
    - Dr. Jared Gerig
  - "An Appraisal of the Keswick and Wesleyan Contemporary Positions"
    - Dr. Ralph Thompson

A discussion period will be held following each lecture. The public is invited.

**Missionary Conference Will Be November 15-17**

The annual Missionary Conference at Taylor, scheduled for November 15-17 will feature Dr. Charles J. Woodbridge and the Rev. Donald Ward.

Dr. Woodbridge, internationally known Bible teacher, is on the staff of the Word of Life Fellowship, Incorporated, headed by Mr. Jack Wyrtenz.

Born in China of missionary parents, Woodbridge is a graduate of Princeton University and Seminary and holds a Master's degree from the Princeton Graduate School and a Ph.D. degree from Duke University. He has also studied at the Universities of Berlin, Marburg, and Goettingen in Germany, and Sorbonne in Paris.

The Rev. Mr. Ward, veteran missionary-statesman, is pastor of the Christian and Missionary Alliance Church in Lansing, Michigan. For thirty-one years he served as a missionary in Palestine and Arabia, where his main work was carried on among roving tribesmen in the Arabian desert. Originally his field comprised Palestine, Trans-Jordan, Syria, Lebanon, and Djibouti, over which he was elected missions chairman.

Evening services will be held in Maytag Gymnasium at 7:30. The public is invited.

**SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED BY OHIO INDUSTRY**

A Taylor freshman, Loretta Graham from Rockford, Ohio, has been granted a Financial Aid Award by the Ohio Oil Company of Findlay, Ohio, through their Scholarship Plan. Under the terms of the award, the college also receives a gift of $500 for educational expenses.

The recipients are selected on the basis of scholarship achievement, intelligence, leadership, and the promise of success in college and following graduation.
TRUSTEE HONORED BY ACADEMY OF ARTS, SCIENCES

Dr. Charles W. Shilling, Medical Research Scientist, and currently chairman of the Taylor University Board of Trustees, has been honored by the National Academy of Sciences—National Research Council, for his “outstanding performance” and “distinguished participation” in the activities of the Academy’s Committee on Vision.

This is the first time such a certificate has been awarded. The Committee on Vision has decided to recognize a select few past members who have assisted in its program of advising the armed forces on military visual problems.

TAYLOR SELECTED FOR MISSIONS TRAINING PROGRAM

Taylor University is one of three Indiana colleges which will train African scholars under a crash program sponsored by the Methodist Board of Missions in New York, for preparing African Christians for leadership positions in their respective countries.

The initiative for the new program began with Methodist leaders in Africa, especially Bishop Ralph E. Dodge, a Taylor graduate.

The program is being coordinated by an African Education Committee of which Dr. C. Melvin Blake, also a Taylor alumnus, is a member.

Leadership Conference Held

The annual Student Leadership Conference was held October 4th with student leaders and faculty advisors participating. The Matriculation Convocation was also conducted the same day.

Speaker for both events was Dr. Laurence G. Smith, Dean of Students and Professor of Philosophy, Texas Christian University. The subjects of his addresses during the Leadership Conference were “The Honor Principle,” “Leadership As the Molding of Attitude,” and “Student Government.”

Purposes of the Conference were to provide concentrated instruction in the principles and practices of leadership, and to help preserve the spirit of student-faculty teamwork which characterizes Taylor campus life.

COLLEGE NAMED IN WILLS

Taylor University was named a beneficiary in the will of the late Mary A. Towar who had been a resident of Charlotte, Michigan.

She bequeathed the sum of $5,000 to the college.

The late William Hiatt of Muncie, Indiana, who passed away last summer, named Taylor University a beneficiary in his will. Provisions of the will call for a trust fund to be established to assist needy students desiring to attend Taylor University.

AREA CHAIRMAN APPOINTED FOR RELOCATION CAMPAIGN

Mr. Lester C. Gerig, Vice President of Brotherhood Mutual Life Insurance Company, Fort Wayne, and a member of the Taylor University Board of Trustees, has been named Area Division Chairman of the Taylor University relocation campaign, Donald F. Strutz, campaign General Chairman has announced.

Mr. Gerig is a member of the Executive Board, and treasurer of the Evangelical Mennonite Conference, and is chairman of the Highland Bethel Mennonite Church Council. He is also a member of the Fort Wayne Estate Planning Council and the National Association of Life Underwriters.

Taylor plans to begin classes in 1983 on its new 700-acre campus site located on U. S. highway 24, three miles west of the city.

“The addition of Taylor University will make the Fort Wayne area an educational center which will help attract additional professional persons, parents, industries and businesses to North Indiana,” Strutz commented.

TAYLOR UNIVERSITY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

CURRENT FUND INCOME AND EXPENSE

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* Gain—Current Fund—$81,365.00
* Above gain applied—Increase Plant Investment
  Increase Annuity Funds
  Increase Endowment Funds
Taylor quarterback Ben Mosher completes pass to halfback Kermit Starkweather (34) during Earlham College game which the Trojans won 21-7. Undefeated to-date, the Trojans are established contenders for the Hoosier Conference title, with victories over Indiana Central, 21-13, Rose Poly, 73-0 and Franklin, 32-6.

**ODLE PUBLISHES BOOK**

Basketball Around the World, the third book by Don J. Odle, Taylor Athletic Director and basketball coach, has been published.

The new volume, which deals with the philosophy, fundamentals and administrative problems of basketball, covers the following subjects: The Span and History of Basketball, Experiences Coaching the Chinese Olympic Team, Philosophy and Objectives, Fundamentals and Techniques, Offensive Basketball, Defense, the Day of the Game, and Administration.

Indiana University basketball coach, Branch McCracken has described Odle as . . . “uniquely qualified to present a book about basketball around the world.” Odle’s teams have won three Hoosier Conference Championships and finished second two years.

His earlier books are Basic Basketball and Venture for Victory.

**CRUSADE SCHOLAR STUDIES AT TAYLOR**

Taylor is one of 29 U. S. colleges and universities training one or more Methodist Crusades Scholars during the 1961-62 academic year. Forty of the Crusade Scholars are from 21 countries overseas, and 32 are from the U. S.

Taylor’s Crusade Scholar is Boniface Chiwengo, from the Congo, a junior who plans to return to his native land as a teacher.

**BASKETBALL SCHEDULE (Through December)**

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Home games start at 8:00 E.S.T.

**CAPACITY ENROLLMENT**

The 116th academic year of the college began with a capacity enrollment of 820 students for the second consecutive year, according to E. Sterl Phinney, Director of Admissions. The students represent 32 denominations, and come from 40 states and seven countries.

Enrollment jumped 37.4% from 594 to the present capacity figure in just three years—from 1957 to 1960.

**TROJAN PLAYERS OPEN 1961-62 DRAMA SEASON NOVEMBER 2-4**

The first production of the 1961-62 season by the acclaimed Trojan Players dramatic group will be “The Hasty Heart,” by John Patrick, scheduled for three successive nights, November 2, 3 and 4.

All performances will be in Shreiner Auditorium at 8:15 p.m. Tickets are $1.00. For reservations write: Trojan Players, Taylor University.

**NAMED TO COMMITTEE**

Robert B. Hayes, Associate Professor of Education and Chairman of the Division of Education was recently appointed to the Association for Student Teaching National Committee on the Professional Education of Supervising Teachers.

The twelve member committee represents nine states and is considered one of the major standing committees of the organization.