STATEWIDE RALLIES

'I Love America' Scheduled At Virginia

By C. CHRISTOPHER ROSS


These are the words that strike at the heart of every American and these basic virtues of life, the foundations for living and the prices of liberty and freedom are being undermined instead of undergirded.

"For the more than 25 years of my ministry, I have been concerned with the souls of men and women," said Dr. Jerry Falwell. "This is a burning fire within my life as I have criss-crossed America preaching the Gospel. And, during the past few years I have found without equivocation that America and Americans are having these basic tenets threatened."

Dr. Falwell has been preaching his Gospel message across national television for many years. His Old-Time Gospel Hour television program is seen on more than 320 television stations and heard daily over more than 360 radio stations.

"Last April, we took our Godly patriotic program, 'I Love America' to the nation's capitol steps. We videotaped this 1 1/2-hour program for later viewing over our own syndicated network and sponsored its telecast over a special hookup," Dr. Falwell said. "Americans have born out my concern for the loosening of moral values, the desire for love of country, a strong stand against abortion on demand, a strong stand against government interference in our Christian private schools, a strong concern for a return to the values that made this nation great."

More than 15,000 private school students, parents, pastors, school administrators and political leaders joined Dr. Falwell on the steps of the Capitol building. As a result of this outstanding program, the "I Love America" patriotic program has been invited to the capitol steps of various statehouses. To date, four states have invited Dr. Falwell, the "I Love America" group and school leaders, parents and supporters to perform the patriotic program.

The rallies are scheduled as follows:

- **Thursday, Sept. 13,** Richmond, Va.
- **Monday, Sept. 17,** Columbus, Ohio.
- **Thursday, Sept. 20,** Harrisburg, Pa.
- **Monday, Sept. 24,** Albany, N.Y.

"My offices have been flooded with responses to these patriotic, issues-oriented program," Dr. Falwell said. "I know Americans care. I can tell you Americans care because Americans and Christian Americans as well are pointedly telling me they care for America and they care for the oldtime ethics, principles, integrity, patriotism and conviction."

The Virginia—based pastor and educator has expressed his views that Christians and American Americans must stand for "the virtues that aren't out of style. Loving our Lord, our families, taking pride in our government, opposing weak national leadership and namby-pamby aberrations is not only important to me, but they are important to thousands upon thousands of Americans."

Falwell said the statewide rallies are positive proof that "we are standing on the good of America."

He added, "the Gospel message of Jesus Christ is not only the winning of souls on a consistent basis, but a motivating message for Christian to always stand for righteousness, consciosness and plain and simple goodness."

The state capitol rallies will have strong emphasis on the issues troubling America:

- Abortion.
- Pornography.
- Homosexuality.
- Textbooks in public schools that portray indecent language and photographs.

Dr. Falwell said, "We want to inform our leaders of the grass-roots desire to stamp out these national cancers which are degrading our nation. It is my firm conviction, that if the moral majority of America does not stand together for freedom now, we will not have the chance to stand at all."

National leaders have joined with the pastor to speak up on these vital issues.

"I am especially concerned about attempts by the Internal Revenue Service to severely regulate Christian schools and other attempts to intervene in religious freedom."

Dr. Falwell said he was "most appreciative of the opportunity to present our patriotic programs at state capitols. Sure we have the right as Americans but what is more important is the open invitations of state leaders."

Participating in these programs will be Old-Time Gospel Hour music favorites Don Norman and Robbie Hiner, the Liberty Baptist College Singers and various state pastors and students.

The first rally is being held in Richmond, Va.

**Capitol Program**

Each rally will begin at 11 a.m. and last approximately 1 1/2 hours.

The state capitol of Virginia is one of the oldest in the nation. The Virginia General Assembly is also considered among the first deliberative bodies of the nation.

It was among the House of Burgesses, forerunner of the Virginia General Assembly, where the cry for freedom and liberty began America's revolution.

Historical Virginia continues to play a major role in modern America. Virginia, known as the Mother of Presidents has also provided the education at the university and college level more than any other state in the nation for those in the United States Senate, House of Representatives and government service.
Face Of America: The Halls Of Ivy

BY HARRY COVERT

About two decades ago, I distinctly remember President Alvin Duke Chandler telling the freshman class at the College of William and Mary that the primary aim of their education at the nation's second oldest college would be teaching them—the young people—how to think.

Time and time again since that August day I have remembered those words from the distinguished educator and naval officer whose challenge to “men and women” eighteen, nineteen and twenty—notice where I place the quotation marks. We were all bright-eyed and bushy-tailed, eagerly anticipating the Halls of Ivy.

Here it is twenty years later and thousands of young men and women are enrolled in colleges and universities across the nation. Here in the rolling hills of Virginia, we are involved in the burden of America and naval officer whose challenge to shaping and preparing these eager students for lives of commitment, service and professional excellence belongs to us.

The masthead of this newspaper reports the primary reason for its publication. This is to promote the American Heritage, promote patriotism and protect the fundamental beliefs of this nation. Words like academic excellence, achievement, success and hard work are often misused and abused in the marketing and selling of educational institutions. However, Liberty Baptist College students have been living, studying and working under miracle conditions. The faculty, staff, students and administration have determined to succeed in their goals of reaching academic excellence.

At no time in the history of this nation is education and preparation more important. We have seen the loosening of moral character, the decline in family strength, a weakening in the educational process so severe that the Christian school movement across America has been revived.

Liberty Baptist College is making a valuable contribution to the teaching of American youth. This institution is not just a Virginia school. It is a result of all the thousands upon thousands of people praying, financially supporting and caring about the young people of today, the teaching of life’s values and a preparation of serving Jesus Christ.

Christians in the America of the 1980s are moving to the forefront in leadership positions. Christians must take the lead; Christians must become solidly educated; responsibly prepared; and actively involved in the future of America.

Christians should no longer remain in a hiding place and allow others to make decisions that effect their lives, their children’s lives and this nation’s future.

The period of the riot-torn 60s must give to a period of a prepared America in the 1980s. God’s blessings upon this nation have been and will be. God’s blessings upon every Christian will continue but Christians must be responsible enough to think and prepare and act.

Christian minds are being stimulated in the classrooms. Christian colleges must remain true to their convictions and to Bible teaching and discipline. The hope of America lies with the youth of today but these youth must be prepared in the manner that godly principles are exemplified and followed.

As we approach the fall season of the final months of 1979, I remember well the beautiful September days in Colonial Williamsburg, Virginia. The heritage of the nation began in a pastoral setting I remember along Duke of Gloucester Street. The Colonial Capitel was the rallying place for the early patriots but the classrooms of The College stimulated the minds and hearts then of the face of America.

Visit To The White House: Reporting

BY HARRY COVERT

Those wordsmiths who stand on the lawn of the White House and report the news have always intrigued me. It would probably be less than honest if I didn’t say I was somewhat envious of their journalistic assignments, particularly since 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue is the most important address in the world.

For one midsummer night recently, I was a part of the White House press corps. Editors and reporters from outside of the normal Washington atmosphere were invited to attend a nationally-televised press conference with two to three hundred reporters.

After having viewed proceedings at the White House on television for years, visiting this historic and history-making building seemed like second nature. Since my name had been placed on the press list, there was little difficulty in passing through the entrance of the northwest gate to the White House, just off Pennsylvania Avenue.

At the appointed time, 8 o’clock on a hot and muggy July night, I was passed for admittance with several friends who have been covering the White House for many years. Thunderstorms were threatening but in my excitement I had forgotten my umbrella, trying to remain calm and self-assured.

Anyone spending a few hours around the Capitol and then with writers and reporters in Washington can learn in a hurry that the President is suffering from many problems but mainly his image as a leader, not only in the polls, but among Washingtonians is a distinct “poor.” One thing the press lets you know in a hurry is how a leader stacks up. Everyone says Jimmy Carter is a “nice guy” but has not proven himself a leader on any level.

The reason I am in Washington on this July 25 is to “participate” in President Carter’s national press conference to be held in the ornate East Room. It is historic
The Energy Boondoggle

By REP. ROBERT E. BAUMAN
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Washington, D.C.

A boondoggle, according to Webster's, is a "trivial, useless, or wasteful activity." In a city that thrives on headline-grabbing and bureaucracy, the term took on special meaning last month with the biggest boondoggle of them all: the Department of Energy's annual budget.

It was but one of several energy bills that the House of Representatives considered, but in many ways it represented the entire energy mess that we find ourselves in now. Like many other energy-related enterprises, the DOE grew in direct proportion to the concern and fears of Americans over our energy crisis. How effective the behemoth is in helping to solve that crisis is another question.

One thing is certain, though: from its original 1977 budget of $2.6 billion, the DOE is now prepared to more than triple that figure, to a proposed $8 billion for 1980. What are Americans getting for this astronomical sum? Among other things, a gasoline allocation system that horrified all and is designed with the consumer as scapegoat.

As if next year's billions were not enough to anger gas-starved citizens, the Department of Energy came to the House with a request for more money—another $200 million—for this year alone. The gem in this one is the $24 million for 1980's "pre-implementation" of the President's weary gas-rationing plan. This is merely a drop in the bucket of the total cost of the plan—$400 million to implement, according to Mr. Carter, and $1.6 billion each year to run—a sizeable amount simply to see if the poorly-designed rationing wheels will roll.

The Congress is no less to blame for this energy boondoggle. There are currently 31 different synthetic fuel bills in the House alone, in committees ranging from Interior to Banking. The House and Senate have 22 different committees with the word energy in their titles, and closer to 50 that deal with energy legislation in one form or another. In 1972 there was one subcommittee dealing with energy in the House. I believe Congress should at least set an example and consolidate all these conflicting groups into one energy committee in each House.

How does this logarithmic increase in money, manpower and paper affect the waterman, the farmer, the housewife, the commuter? It won't increase the allocations of diesel that the first two need for their livelihoods.

It didn't cut the gas lines by one auto. It would seem, then, that this Washington energy monster simply lives to feed itself, at a time when such bureaucratic indulgence cannot be tolerated by the economy, the energy situation, or the people.

I propose strong medicine for a virulent disease. We don't need a complicated rationing plan that will force Americans into more chaos, nor do we want the present horror of an allocation system. Do away with the ill-fated Department of Energy, and take the government out of the fuel distribution system altogether. The energy crisis is real and pressing. We need answers for the short-term and the 1980's. What we don't need is more government. As more and more people are realizing, government is the problem, not the solution.
The Meaning Of Inflation, Recession

By RUSSELL F. HUGHES

Inflation and recession are terms we read and hear daily. As an individual and family, what do these mean to you and what should you do? Price indexing, cost of living, gross national product decline, OPEC and unemployment are all factors that are associated with these terms. It is difficult for us to digest the many economic descriptions and apply them to our daily lives.

Let's diagnose some facts and ascertain our position. Prices are rapidly increasing due to fuel shortages and importing more goods than we export. These items together create inflation to the level of 10-15 percent which we are accustomed today. As a wage earner, you would have to realize a 17-20 percent annual pay increase to stay even. This is impractical for companies to pay.

Therefore, your increase will be in the five-nine range. Problem—you have lost 10-12 percent of your purchasing power. Question—What to do?

Now is the time to take stock of your needs income, budget, etc. It is obvious you will have to establish priorities with your reduced income. Will you drive a gas hog and eat steak, thereby sacrificing quality of shelter, clothing, etc., or will you economize on fuel from driving to heating and change your eating habits and place emphasis on housing and other areas.

The one word you have to recognize and utilize is priority. You must choose what your priorities are; what areas you will reduce; and exactly your game-plan of spending during the next 18 months.

Plan ahead for your winter costs. The necessities and what compromises you will make in your budget. If we fail to recognize the recession we are now in, you will be forced to reduce your savings or to increase your borrowing.

We all know the values of budgeting, smart buying and saving. It is compelling to react to the terms of inflation and recession by evaluating and planning the present and future spending habits.

(Edited: Note: Mr. Hughes of Lynchburg, Va., is a former bank president now serving as a financial consultant to major corporations and business leaders public and private.)

Swiss Bank Officials Report Deposits

The People's Temple cult deposited $1,800,000 in three separate Swiss bank accounts in 1976, but transferred the money to the United States and Panama before the mass death in Guyana last November. That word came from the Swiss Justice Ministry in answer to a U.S. Justice Department request for help in the investigation into the deaths.

The Senate, when it returns from its August recess, September 5, is scheduled to vote on the Treasury and Postal Service appropriations bill that contains two amendments that would prohibit the Internal Revenue Service from establishing racial quotas and otherwise meddling in the affairs of private Christian and Jewish schools. Jack Clayton of the American Association of Christian Schools, says the bill is of critical importance to the future of Christian schools and he urges all Christians to write their two Senators, urging them to vote in favor of the measure.

The Presbyterian Church in America has decided that divorced men may be ordained as ministers and elders but only after acknowledging their guilt and expressing repentance for their sin in the matter.
LBC Enrollment Reaches 2647

Enrollment at Liberty Baptist College for the Fall term is expected to reach 2,647 students, largest in the history of the Christian liberal arts school which is opening for its ninth term.

Dr. A. Pierre Guillermin, LBC president, said enrollment projections represent an increase of 20 per cent over the 1978-79 school year.

Of the figures, Dr. Guillermin said 1,576 students will be returning while 1,071 of the enrollment will be new students.

"We are growing rapidly during a time when many colleges are facing a decrease in students," Dr. Guillermin said. "We are expecting 2,000 students living in college dormitories on Liberty Mountain."

Liberty Baptist College has been in the midst of a $1 million dollar construction program for the past two years and for the first time in the history of the school, dormitory and classroom facilities will be located primarily in one campus area.

"We have received a record number of applications at Liberty Baptist," Dr. Guillermin said. "The interest in the academic programs has been astounding and pleasing. We are preparing our campus facilities as fast as possible to accommodate the students."

Dr. Guillermin said in July 1979, the college received 949 applications for admissions, 1,236 applications in 1978 and 2,252 in July of this year.

The breakdown for the 1979-80 school year shows that applications for admission totalled 933 from high school graduates; 63 from former LBC students; 247 from college transfer students; and nine from students who passed GED examinations.

The statistical survey released by Dr. Guillermin also pointed out that of those total applications received for this fall, 496 were men under 22 years of age and 62 men above the age of 22. There were 589 women under 22 and 19 over the age of 22.

In a further study of the new students, the intended major profile indicates 143 students planning to major in education; 136 in the division of religion; 110 in business; 51 in the division of music; 43 in natural science and mathematics; 34 in social science; 28 in television, radio and film; and 12 in the division of communications (drama, English and speech).

Dr. Guillermin also reported that admissions projections show that dormitory students will have 943 men and 1,064 women.

By ELMER L. TOWNS

I am surveying every major denomination and the independent churches to determine the factors of Sunday School growth over the past 10 years. The results are beginning to crystallize. Results show that attendance at the morning service has grown faster than Sunday School attendance. A few years ago, more people went to Sunday School. This does not mean Sunday Schools have increased, but more people are going to church.

Ten years ago the growing edge of Sunday School attendance was among children, but the childhood population is down due to abortion, emphasis on singles and couples having fewer children. America, regrettfully, is de-emphasizing the family. As a result of fewer children, churches that depend on them for growth have mostly levelled off.

An attendance growth factor is young adults, both single and young married. Polls show they are searching for religious answers. The growing church has added Sunday School classes for ages 18-40, and/or staff to minister to them.

Growing churches have added special adult classes to reinforce the large auditorium Bible class. Even the young adult class must be large enough so that they can have an expanded group of friends, yet small enough for meaningful teaching and involved fellowship.

The large auditorium class is still effective so that visitors can establish contact with the pastor and the church.

The same is happening in the teenage class. Growing churches are adding smaller classes for meaningful teaching, yet they are keeping the large opening assembly for excitement and vision.

Sunday Schools will continue to grow in the 80's, if a church will remain faithful to basic doctrines and principles, yet adapt itself to the needs of all people.
Campus Facilities Completed

The 1979-80 year for Liberty Baptist College students began with 16 dormitories, including our two-story facilities, in use for the student body.

Dr. A. Pierre Guillermin,IBC president, said that of the 2,000 dormitory facilities completed during the first week in August, a total of 1,477 will be housed on Liberty Mountain.

We are pleased that our dormitory facilities are completed to the point where the majority of students are living on the mountain campus," Dr. Guillermin said. "We will have only 450 students living at our downtown campus hotel.

In the current construction program on the mountain, Dr. Guillermin said hard-surfacing of the entrance roads were completed during the first week in August while the college bookstore was transferred to the mountain while the completing of the Fine Arts Center was made before classes began.

"Grading and seeding of the courtyard between the buildings and the grass coverage in the dorm areas greatly enhances the campus," Dr. Guillermin said. "Phase one of the construction program was finished with the completion of dorms 15 and 16, both two-story facilities.

At mid-semester, Dr. Guillermin said the college expects to occupy the administration building. At the same time, completion of a warehouse was announced while the steel is erected on the extension to the gymnasium and room on the fourth classroom building to complete the quadrangle.

"We are thankful for the progress of the construction," Dr. Guillermin said. "Liberty Mountain is a miracle campus and our students have been totally involved in the praying, planning and completion of this campus.

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Trivia Department: Dr. Earl Mills and Dr. Ron Godwin have become two popular members of the Liberty Baptist College administration. Not only are they outstanding Christian educators but their last names put together recall one of Virginia's most beloved governors. Mills E. Godwin Jr., of Suffolk, Va. , Don Norman, Mack Evans and Robbie Hiner have long been popular musicians on the Old-time Gospel Hour program. For the first time, the three soloists performed a trio during the televised services and were telecast well on his way toward a doctorate. But, Professor Davis will be seen next day. Cal, a regular writer for the Lynchburg, Va., college, teaches for sometime and the night before, he was informed that Dr. A. Pierre Guillermin verifies he has a valuable asset in recruiting outstanding young athletes for the Lynchburg, Va., college. Dr. A. Pierre Guillermin, president and chief administrator for Liberty Baptist College and Schools, has been selected to the board of a national accrediting organization, headquartered in Texas...


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“‘I Love America’ rallies will be held throughout the country. The first rally will be September 13, at 11:00am-12:30pm on the Capitol steps in Richmond, Virginia.

Look for announcements about the rally coming to your state’s capital.
By GARVIST T. REDFORD
Special To The Journal-Champion
Boonsboro, Va.
Summer finally arrived here in the mountains of Virginia. I can tell you, it's been terribly hot and sweltering. I have had to arise earlier than usual to work in my garden to beat the heat. But, I've ended up with a good bunch of rows of squash, eggplant, tomatoes, onions, snap beans. I've had a good garden: things have been plentiful and I've gotten a nickel here and there to help me make ends meet.

I've been a-watching the television a lot in the evenings, especially the news. This summer I felt I had better pay attention. I thought it was 'bout time for me to speak up and out about things. Before now, I've talked about the awful gas shortage—which I don't think is a shortage at all—especially the news. This summer I thought it was 'bout time for me to do my part. I have to go into my garden and pull weeds. It's all bad for us anyway.

Before now, I've talked about the news. This summer I thought it was 'bout time for me to do my part. I have to go into my garden and pull weeds. It's all bad for us anyway.

Anyway, I've been a-watching the TV and saw where The President was goin' to meet the press and where he was a-goin' to go out in the country and ask the people some questions. I wondered why he hasn't come to my house? I believe a lot of people wonder why he didn't come to their house.

I decided to go to his house. I read in the paper that the White House belongs to me and the other taxpayers. But, you know, I couldn't get in the door.

It was a struggle for me to drive to Washington. Can you imagine that the price of gas is almost a dollar? Well, I've scrimped and saved and sold a lot of squash and tomatoes. And, I paid 98.9 cents per gallon of gasoline and I drove to Washington. I wanted to ask The President a question. Why, if those reporters can as The President a question, I didn't see no reason why I couldn't. But you know, I couldn't ask a question 'cause I couldn't get in that White House—and they said I'm a part owner.

Those reporters who got in the White House asked him questions all right. They were all talking about his firing all of his associates, and if'n he was goin' to run again, and if he could change his image—you know, what the people think of him and what the Russians think of him.

My goodness, I believe Americans have some real questions. I wrote my questions down. But I couldn't get through the iron gate on Pennsylvania Avenue. They thought I was with the nuts who hang around the front of the White House carryin' picket signs and blarin' loudspeakers. I told the policemen on duty that I wasn't a troublemaker and that I just wanted to ask The President some questions.

The policemen—they looked nice in white starched shirts, gold shiny badges and big pistols. I believe we have a right to ask questions and they don't sound like those reporters' questions. (I would have been nice to Mr. President.)

I believe we have a right to know why The President is letting everyone else run the government. I believe we have a right to know why we can't cut down those awful gas prices (the oil companies are making indecent profits. My friend at a gas station says the oil companies are rippin' off everybody.)

I believe we have a right to stop busin' all these children to schools and to do it now. I believe we have a right to be the strongest nation on earth and not to apologize for helping feed the world.

I believe we have a right to pray in school—I mean the

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-W. A. Criswell, Pastor
First Baptist Church, Dallas, Texas
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Dr. Jerry Falwell
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Dear Dr. Falwell;

Four and one half years ago my brother Stephen and I were looking for God's will in our lives. God, through the Old Time Gospel Hour and Dr. Falwell had pricked our hearts and given us a desire to do something for Christ. We realized it would be impossible in the church we pastored due to resistance and the anti-evangelism climate of today. After several months of prayer, we stepped out by faith and formed "Calvary Baptist Temple," thirty-five precious workers in an old white house. We felt on the brink of certain victory or disaster.

I came to the Super Conference planning with God to teach us how to build a super-aggressive local church. I walked on the grounds of Thomas Road Baptist and was filled with awe at what God could do with a church seinem quietly filled thirty minutes before the first session. Then Dr. Falwell came on the platform and a host of the pastors,

Dr. Falwell opened his Bible and preached "The God of Encouragement," God spoke to my heart that morning and made a clear and strong statement. I saw clearly the principles set forth to become powerful for God.

Mr. Falwell preaching. That message still rings in my mind and motivates me to pray for the success of our work. During the rest of the week, I was supplied now with a decision plan to reach our city for Christ. I believed we could do it.

We went home and applied the principles, and our church quadrupled in a few months from 35 to 145, the second year 345, and this year up to 1,215. Last year we had over 1,200 saved in our services. Our goal this year was 1,500. We now 1,490.

We have three Sunday School buildings, Calvary Christian Academy, TV, Brit Keith Children's Home, to house, feed, love, educate, and save children part-time. Pastors to a full-time staff of twenty-five. We feel we have just begun.

We are excited at Calvary. The Super Conference has taught us that nothing is too hard for God and we have only begun to serve.

We will both be at the conference again this year. Each year our zeal, burden and faith are rekindled to "Capture Our Town for Christ." Each year we feel that Falwell for reaching out to young pastors looking for help in some way, come to the Super Conference this year and ask God for fresh oil.

Sincerely in Christ,

Dr. David L. Shuler
Co-Pastor
Calvary Baptist Temple
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Church, Calif.

James MacDonnell felt God wanted him to run for school board in Myrtle Creek and Canyonville, Oregon. He ran and was elected.

While on the board, MacDonnell found that his school district was using a series in the fifth grade called Mann: A Course of Study. (MACOS). This series was about the Netsilik Eskimos and promoted adultery through wife swapping; cannibalism; suicide; and a form of murder called senilicide which consisted of putting old folks on the ice to freeze to death or starve to death. The children played such games as "Seals" in which the winner was able to starve his other players to death by cornering all the food.

MacDonnell wanted to do something, but he did not know what to do. He felt the program was destructive to the students, but his fellow board members either did not know the content of the program, or approved of it. At this time, the neighboring city of Roseburg was fighting other destructive programs in their schools and had called in Christian Family Renewal to help. They planned a mass mailing of a tabloid newspaper to every home in Roseburg. The paper carried a full story on the MACOS series and its damage to students.

When the time came for mailing to Roseburg, there were some newspapers left over, and Christian Family Renewal mailed the remainder to a single rural route in Canyonville. The result was a huge stir among the parents in Canyonville. MacDonnell was blamed by the school officials who were promoting the MACOS courses. MacDonnell did not even know what had happened.

In the meantime, some of the parents from Canyonville and Myrtle Creek, traveled to Roseburg to meet with the people from Christian Family Renewal. They offered to pay for the papers which had already been mailed and to finance a mailing that would cover the rest of the city.

When the papers were delivered to the two cities and all the rural routes, there was a hue and cry. Parents could not believe that this course was being taught to their children through movies, films, slides, tapes, booklets and games. One such game came when children role-played an event in the Eskimo life—the little orphan girl about eight years old is no good to the tribe because she is too young. They decide to leave her behind. The tribe members get into their boats and row off. The girl sees them leaving and dives in the water and swims to the boat and grabs ahold of the side of the boat. One of the role-playing children then will role-play cutting off the girl's hands, so she will drown.

The aroused parents decided on the next school board meeting where the board members removed the course. And in the ruckus, the school superintendent who approved of the MACOS course—was also removed.

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Munson's Death Shocks

International Media Service

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Three Americans associated with the Slavic Gospel Association were arrested by Communist officials in Czechoslovakia as they attempted to enter the country carrying Bibles and Christian literature. The three were held incommunicado for four weeks before Czech officials agreed to allow U.S. Embassy officials in Prague to visit them. A spokesman for the Slavic Gospel Association in Wheaton, Illinois, says the three Americans were not trying to smuggle the Bibles and material into the country and that it was not hidden in their belongings. The spokesman said they merely wanted to present them to Christian friends in Czechoslovakia.

The Georgi Vins Research Institute in Australia, which monitors faith and atheism in Communist countries, reports Rumania is stepping up its efforts against the spread of Evangelical Christianity in the country. One report says there are as many as 150,000 new Christians each year in Rumania, a rate that may be unparalleled in the world, certainly in Communist nations. Rumanian officials have created new laws designed to weed out Christians from responsible positions, especially schools. The most notorious of the laws requests citizens to take a loyalty oath to Communism and promise to further the godless ideology. Hundreds of Christians have been dismissed, demoted or spent time in prison for refusing to swear the oath.

Peter Vins, the son of the Soviet Baptist pastor, Georgi Vins, testified in Washington before the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe. Both Peter and his father served time in Soviet prisons and have recently been allowed to come to the United States. Young Vins noted it is dangerous to contact Helsinki accord monitors in Russia, and that anyone demonstrating on behalf of a religious leader is subject to arrest. He said several hundred people showed up to bid him and his mother goodbye and those who sang hymns were taken away by the Russian militia.

China has announced a multimedia anti-smoking campaign and urged schools to prohibit students from smoking. The government has tried in the past to limit smoking and the latest announcement said more and more Chinese people, including women and youth, are taking up the habit.

Author Corrie ten Boom, whose family gave asylum in their home to Jews during World War II, is reported near death in Orange, Calif., following a second stroke. Miss ten Boom, who wrote about her World War II experience in the best selling book, "The Hiding Place" has told friends not to pray for her recovery because she is looking forward to going home to heaven.

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Opinion Polls Show American Concerns

By FORREST I. BOYD
International Media Services
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A recent opinion poll showed that the number one concern of Americans is inflation. This may have been a surprise to some who thought energy was the number one concern. But energy was the number two concern. Even more surprising than that, however, may be the fact that the number three concern was for the morality of the country.

Some serious reflection will show that concern for morality is not out of place. For example, a poll taken by Yankelovich, Skelly and White found that the number of people who believe the country is "in deep and serious trouble" rose this year to 67 per cent, 20 points higher than last year. A Roper poll indicated just about the same thing: the number who believe the nation is "on the wrong track" has jumped considerably, up to 65 per cent.

A lack of morality and a nation in trouble go together. In a speech in Honolulu last year, Clare Boothe Luce noted that all history bears witness to the fact that there can be no public virtue unless the majority of individuals in it are at least trying to be good people.

Mrs. Luce quoted a number of philosophers on the matter of morality, and listed the virtues upon which a universal morality is based: truthfulness, honesty, duty, responsibility, unselfishness, loyalty, honor, compassion and courage. She concluded that universal morality would be based on the opposite: lying, dishonesty, deme­lization of duty, selfishness, irresponsibility, dishonor­able conduct, disloyalty, cowardice, cruelty and hypocrisy. Mrs. Luce observed that there are definite signs which suggest that America may be traveling the low road to immorality to its own destruc­tion. She said a nation that is traveling the low road is doomed, sooner or later, to collapse from within or to be destroyed from without.

That explains why so many Americans are concerned about the morality of the American people. A breakdown of morality, means a breakdown of society and the demise of a nation.

To go back to the speech by Mrs. Luce, she said it is especially necessary in a democracy that the people strive for high moral standards, because the leaders and representatives are chosen from the people.

"The character of a nation is the moral character of the people to whom that nation has given its trust, and that moral character is the product of a moral community." Mrs. Luce said.

The president of the largest health maintenance plan in New England has notified his 80,000 subscribers that he disagrees with a new Massachusetts law forbidding the payment of state funds for abortions to state workers and will try to find ways to circumvent the law. Thomas O. Pyle, head of the Harvard Community Health Plan, said in an "open letter" to subscribers that the organization will offer credit plans to offset the $150 cost of an abortion.

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MILLS, GODWIN JOIN STAFF

Two veteran collegiate administrators have been named to key positions at Liberty Baptist College, one of the fastest growing liberal arts colleges in the nation.

Dr. A Pierre Guillermin, LBC president, said Dr. Ronald Godwin and Dr. Earl S. Mills have assumed administrative duties at the Lynchburg, Va., four-year collect. Both come to LBC from college posts as deans.

Dr. Godwin will serve as LBC's director of institutional relations while Dr. Mills will be director of institutional research and planning.

"These are important posts for our school because of the rapid growth in students and in facilities," Dr. Guillermin said. "As we accept more and more students, we must accept additional qualified faculty as we plan for the physical campus facilities."

Godwin, who was dean of Pensacola Christian College in Pensacola, Fla., earned his Ph. D. in education at Florida State University. He earned his masters at Old Dominion University in Norfolk and his bachelor of science at Bob Jones University.

Dr. Godwin will play a key role in the interaction between the four academic institutions of Liberty Baptist College and Schools and the Christian and private schools across America."

Dr. Guillermin said. "He has been an active member for the accrediting process of private and Christian schools and has been involved with the growth of many of these educational systems."

Godwin has been a member of the accrediting committee for the American Christian Schools International organization which is comprised of 1,500 private Christian schools.

Dr. Mills comes to Liberty Baptist College from Morris Harvey College in Charleston, W. Va., where he was dean of continuing education. Dr. Godwin has spent a major part of his time working with regional accrediting associations and state approving agencies in evaluating extended degree programs. Dr. Guillermin said.

He earned his doctorate in education at Wayne State University and both the master's and bachelor's degrees at Western Michigan University.

Diaries on Parents

Two weeks after Maryland's Attorney General ruled that certain aspects of "values clarification" courses in public schools presented certain Constitutional problems, the Anne Arundel County Board of Education eliminated an existing values program in its middle schools. Under the program, students kept diaries in which they recorded personal thoughts and activities in the home. Record keeping included what the child's mother and father fought over and questions such as "what bugs you most about your mother?" Opponents of the courses said they imposed a humanistic viewpoint on the students.

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Right-To-Life Movement Gaining Strength

By CAL THOMAS
International Media Service

Interest is growing in the plight of the Indochinese refugees, particularly the "boat people." President Carter's doubling of the refugee quota to 14,000 per month has been praised by Christian humanitarian and secular agencies alike. A Jewish member of Mr. Carter's Commission on the Holocaust to establish a fitting memorial to the victims of Hitler's gas chambers, says the most appropriate memorial would be for the nations of the world to help the Indochinese boat people. Hyman Bookbinder, Washington representative of the American Jewish Committee, said he is proud of the United States for what it has done, but he challenged this country and other nations to do more because so many are dying at sea.

The proposed Congressional re-write of the 1934 Federal Communications Act appears to be dead, at least for this session of Congress. The bill, which had been criticized by many in the Evangelical community, including the National Religious Broadcasters, would have eventually eliminated the license requirements for radio and television stations. Critics of the measure had said that provision alone would have made broadcasters even less responsive to public opinion and could pave the way for showing virtually anything "the traffic will bear" on TV.

The energy crisis has been blamed for cancellation of a major United Methodist assembly that had been scheduled for San Antonio, Texas in September. Although one thousand persons were expected to attend the National Convocation on Christian Mission, an organizer said, "in light of the national energy crisis, it would be poor stewardship and perhaps irresponsible for us to encourage persons to attend now." Planners of the event hope that by 1981 there will be new ways of dealing with the energy crisis and the meeting might be held then.

Pro-abortion forces are so concerned about the growing strength of the right to life movement that they are planning an Abortion Rights Action Week in October in an effort to raise $1 million for grassroots lobbying and education. The National Abortion Rights Action League and other pro-abortion organizations are clearly concerned about the political impact the abortion issue is having and the targeting of pro-abortion Senators and Congressmen for defeat in the 1980 election. Pro-life forces are credited with a number of victories in the last election, including the ouster of Minnesota Congressman Don Fraser and Senators Dick Clark of Iowa and Ed Ward Brooke of Massachusetts.

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Dr. Woodrow M. Kroll has been named Chairman of the Division of Religion at Liberty Baptist College. He has been a member of the faculty for five years at the Lynchburg, Va. school.

Dr. Kroll, 35, who holds the rank of full professor, was appointed for the position by Dr. A. Pierre Guillermin, LBC president. Kroll replaces Dr. C. Sumner Wemp, vice president for spiritual affairs, who assumes a newer and broader administrative and pastoral role in the academic community.

Kroll is experienced not only as an educator but is well-known as a writer and pastor. He is a native of Ellwood City, Pa., and has an education background. He earned his doctorate in theology from the Geneva Theological Seminary; has completed extensive graduate studies at Harvard, Princeton and the University of Strasbourg, France; earned his master of divinity and master of theology degrees at the Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, and earned his bachelor of arts degree at Barrington College, Barrington, R.I.

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Dr. Kroll joined the LBC faculty in 1975, coming from San Antonio where he was associate director of the Christian Jew Foundation. He was a daily radio speaker for 2½ years to more than 5 million listeners.

He has also served as chairman of the Practical Bible Training School, Binghamton, N.Y., for three years and pastored for several years at the First Baptist Church, Middleboro, Mass.

In addition to writing numerous booklets, Dr. Kroll's book, "It Will Be Worth It All," published in 1978, has entered a second printing. Another book, "Prescription For Preaching," a hardback text for homiletics, will be released soon by Baker.

He was also a major contributor with Dr. Edward E. Hindson for the "Liberty Commentary on the New Testament," published in 1975 by Thomas Nelson, Inc., and is completing work on the "Liberty Commentary on the Old Testament," with Dr. Hindson and Dr. Robert L. Hughes.

As chairman of the Division of Religion, Dr. Kroll will administer the operations of 18 fulltime and seven parttime faculty members. He has relinquished the directorship of LBC's Office of International Studies where he conducted world tours for students to receive foreign study credit.

Dr. Kroll, who majored in language as an undergraduate, speaks fluent French and German and reads Greek and Hebrew.

"I want to influence and encourage our faculty members to become published in academic and religious publications," Dr. Kroll said. "We have so many outstanding faculty members that we need to see their work in print. Publishing allows teachers to express their creativity and encourages their work in the classroom. Publishing adds to a college professor's credibility and will show the world that as thinking Christians we have something to give."

Kroll said that LBC is not a Bible school. "This college is a different breed of liberal arts school and we're not a church-related college, contrary to much outside opinion."

He explained that a church-related college is related to a denomination. "We're not. We're related to a single, local church as one of the primary teaching arms of that church. As such, our responsibility to teach more than the Bible."

Kroll said, "It is just as important for a Christian to be an effective Christian as it is to be an effective doctor, housewife, lawyer or politician."

Kroll is married to the former Miss Linda Piper of Ellwood City, Pa. They are the parents of four children, Tracy, 13; Timothy, 12; Tina, 5; and Tiffany, 4.

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By MURRAY NORRIS
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Debbie was 16 and pregnant when she called the toll-free National Pregnancy hotline. She was scheduled for an abortion at the Canadian National Pregnancy Hotline. She was worried about what was going to happen.

The volunteer who took her call some 3,000 miles away, told her that Canadian studies showed two out of three girls who have abortions will have troubles later on. Then Debbie told the hotline volunteer that she could not help her as she was a prostitute and on drugs. It was her pimp who had made the appointment for an abortion as she could not work when she was obviously pregnant.

The volunteer assured her that she could leave the work and go someplace to have her baby. But the girl explained that she was a streetwalker in New York City and her pimp would beat her severely if she ever did anything wrong. He would follow her and beat her. When the volunteer assured her that she would be protected, she simply did not believe it was possible.

The conversation ended without anything being resolved, but the girl did agree to call back.

In talking over the call with Dr. Murray Norris, the volunteer pointed out that there were no places to handle the drug problem in New York City on the list used by the hotline which was based in Clovis, Ca. Dr. Norris, co-chairman of the National Pregnancy Hotline, said he would remedy the situation before the girl called back the next evening.

In a few hours he had located the Convent House which handles these girls with drug problems and figured it was close to the area where the girl had called from—although the girl was careful not to tell the volunteer her real name or where exactly she was calling from.

The next call did not come to the volunteer, but direct to Dr. Norris. The girl was offered the Convent House which she said was only two blocks from where she was phoning. But she turned the idea down as it was so close she was sure her pimp would find her there and beat her. She also felt she was too far gone for anyone to save her.

Dr. Norris also offered to send her to a teenage center in Garrison, N.Y., but she refused that. He offered to provide a plane ticket to California if she would go to the airport. She said she didn't think she could get there.

This was not the most complicated case handled by the National Pregnancy Hotline, but it is one of the few which has handled teenage prostitutes in New York City.

Unlike most hotlines, the National Pregnancy Hotline does not take a "non-judgmental" approach, which means they do not mention God. Volunteers are trained in Christian counseling instead of the usual psychological theories. Dr. Charles Norris, M.D., and Dr. Norris, co-chairmen of the hotline, believe that Christian counseling is faster, more efficient, more effective and more permanent. In the National Pregnancy Hotline, they use the principles even on those who do not believe in God, such as Debbie.

The Drs. Norris also give talks and seminars on hotlines, natural family planning, and Christian counseling, throughout the nation. The next call—following Debbie's last phone conversation—was a call from a hotline in South Carolina asking how to answer girls who insist they must have an abortion or they will not be able to go to college.

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International Year The Child—Friend Or Foe?

By BEVERLY LAHAYE
Special To The Journal-Champion

What exactly is the International Year of the Child? Some people think its primary purpose is to alert us to child abuse and child neglect. Others say that it’s a national organization which is focusing attention on children, so that they can have a better world in the next generation.

It’s important that an organization like this not be accepted at face value. Examine its roots, find out where it comes from and who is behind it. What do they believe in? What is their philosophy? We are encouraged to promote the goals for the IYC. What are their goals?

It may surprise you to learn that the International Year of the Child is a branch off the same tree that produced the International Women’s Year. The Women’s International Democratic Federation (WIDF) is a socialist organization which is responsible for the International Women’s Year. It was WIDF that held the first international seminar in preparation for IYC on October 2, 1977 in Prague, Czechoslovakia.

Their basic philosophy was outlined by the keynote speaker at the conference: “All the rights of the new generation to a harmonious, healthy and universal development of all children and young people are laid down in the constitution of all socialist countries. They are also again included in the draft of the new Constitution of the Soviet Union which was the first country in history to solve all the problems of the young generation in such an inspiring way.”

Two years ago, my husband and I visited five socialist countries, and we saw first-hand how their young generation lives. We saw their child care centers. We saw how little freedom of choice they have, and we watched with heavy hearts as hundreds of young school children marched like little unemotional puppets to the tomb of Lenin to obediently pay tribute to their idol. Was this their plan for solving all the problems of the young generation?

As we observed these children, it became obvious that our American children have so much to be thankful for! Freedom! The opportunity to choose—to select their vocations, to be educated in the areas they desire.

In speaking of the International Year of the Child, Mr. Henry Labouisse, Executive Director of UNICEF, said, “The objectives of the year are two-fold... advocacy and action. The advocacy is to place the child in the center of world attention and to guide the attention of the world community to the importance of the child. The Year must not be seen as a one-time, short-lived celebration, but as an ever-marking the beginning of a period of sustained action. (Journal of the WIDF, No. 2, 1978) This first aspect—advocacy—is already in full swing. We have television specials on child abuse, and volumes of material on the neglect of children is being published. This is just the beginning of a period of sustained action and will not end at the close of 1979. After the media blitz

has gotten our attention and we have reacted in rage and horror at the way children are treated, the government can then move in, saying, “We must make legislation to protect children from these terrible conditions in our country.” It is then just one short step to remove the parents’ authority over the child.

Colombians 2:8 gives us instruction and warning about the dangers of humanism, “See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deception, according to the tradition of men, according to the principles of the world rather than according to Christ.” In other words, do not be deceived by the emotional covering over the philosophies of IYC, because underneath lies the deception of humanism.

Freda Brown (President of the WIDF) gives an indication of the philosophy behind IYC in her article “Our Duty to the Children,” World Marxist Review, June, 1978. “Even though the future of our planet will soon be in the hands of today’s children, the world still faces the critical problem of making life better for them... In a major part of the world, primarily in the capitalist and developing countries, a good deal remains to be done... In socialist countries, we see healthy morals... and we can say that in the socialist countries the principles of the Declaration of the Rights of the Child are really being carried out. It is regrettable that not in every country do governments and societies show a similar concern for children... countries that today have rid themselves of colonialism and for which the problem is not at hand. The 1979 budget allocates a total of $1,372,000 for the promotion of IYC.

And what’s happening on the local level? Well, here is San Diego, for example, we have a local committee that has a full-time involvement with the United Nations. They have planned workshops for local high schools, which consist of discussing such topics as their legal rights, family survival, responsible sexuality, drugs and alcohol, employment, and education. The school system, their own principles and integrity, etc. will be evaluated, and young people will be taught that they have rights that should be exercised