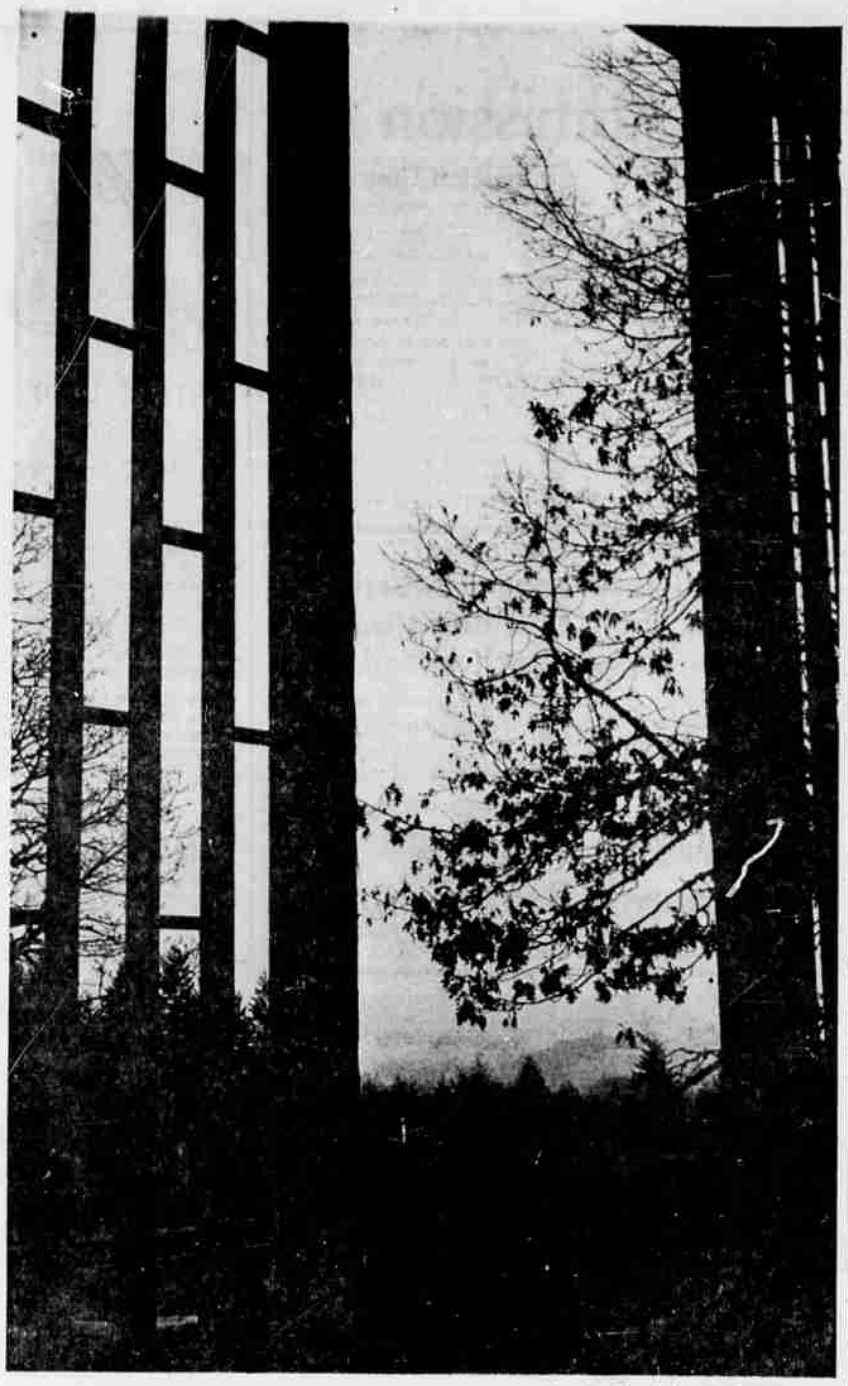

(Register-Guard photo by Phil Grenon)

Chapel Vista Carmelite Sisters at the Carmel of Maria Regina on Green Hill Drive, Eugene, will have this view of the Willamette Valley—looking east—from their new chapel. The chapel is one feature of a new wing to the monastery which will be open to the public Sunday from noon to 3 p.m. A plaque in front of the chapel will be dedicated in formal ceremonies at 3 p.m. Sunday.

Carmelite Order's New Wing

Nuns' Open House Sunday

Open house will continue Sunday from noon to 3 p.m. at the new L-shaped wing at the monastery of the Carmelite Sisters on Green Hill Drive, west of Eugene.

The new wing, begun this summer, provides additional living quarters for the sisters, a large permanent chapel, work room and storage.

Sunday's visitors will be shown the addition, and invited to a ceremony at 3 p.m. blessing the bronze plaque in front of the new chapel. This ceremony will close with Solemn Benediction in the new chapel, with the Rt. Rev. Msgr. E. J. Murnane, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church, officiating.

The Rev. Louis H. Sohler, pastor of St. Alice Catholic Church in Springfield, will be deacon for the service and the Rev. C. J. Linehan, pastor of St. Mark's Catholic Church, will be sub-deacon. The Rev. Eugene Heidt of St. Mary's will be master of ceremonies.

There will be a number of special guests at the service.

The Carmel of Maria Regina, Eugene's only monastery, began in 1958 as a residence. The first addition to the monastery was "enclosed," or shut to the public, in September of that year. At that time there were eight resident nuns.

Since the monastery now houses 13 nuns, these quarters were crowded, the Rev. Mother Miriam said. The new addition will increase the residential capacity to 24 or 25, she said.

The new addition completes the plans of architects of Bogen, Hosey and Greene of Eugene to form the convent buildings into a square, with a cloister in the center.

Featured in the addition is the new chapel, which looks out on the Willamette Valley through a wall of colored glass.

Traffic Deaths High

CHICAGO (AP) — The nation's traffic death toll in the first 10 months this year—33,430—was a record high for any similar period, the National Safety Council reports.

Snakes and Cockroaches to Begin With

Letters Tell of Missionary Life

For 23 years, the Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Maier lived in a comfortable home at 1343 Mill St., Eugene, not far from Grace Lutheran Church, where he was pastor.

Early last year, the couple—whose five children are now grown—went to the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod mission field in Nigeria.

Now, Rev. Maier is on the teaching faculty of the Lutheran Seminary at Obot Idim, in Nigeria's coastal area. In letters to friends and members of his former congregation, Rev. Maier has outlined some of the hazards of life in Africa and some of the highlights of his assignment.

The hazards include living with huge cockroaches, "swarms of insects," huge lizards and snakes.

Rev. Maier described the snake problem in one letter to friends in Eugene.

"We have had no more snakes in the house (at least we haven't seen any) since one slithered up into our bathtub through an open-end drain; but we have dispatched another in our carport, just outside our kitchen door."

Then there are the cockroaches, a special problem of Mrs. Maier. Some of these insects are over 3 inches long and nearly 2½ inches across.

Mrs. Maier "is not making much of an impact on the cockroach population of Nigeria," her husband wrote. "Fresh reinforcements show up almost immediately to take the places of their fallen comrades."

Heavily Populated

Their area of Nigeria, Rev. Maier wrote, is very heavily populated. A recent census, he said, indicated that more than 700,000 persons live between Obot Idim and Eket, a village 30 miles to the southwest.

"But one sees very few huts and houses along the road," he said. "Practically all of the people live right here in the midst of the African rain-forest, which surrounds us on every side. All one sees is a path or trail going off from the road into the bush of the rain forest about every 50 feet or so."

About 60 per cent of the Africans in this area of Nigeria, Rev. Maier said, are—"at least nominally" — Christians and members of one or another "of the evangelical Christian denominations which are engaged in missionary work in this area."

Many of these Christians, he continued, are Lutherans.

Communication Problem

But there is a real problem in communicating with the Africans. Most of the "bush people," he said, do not speak or understand English. Their native tongue is Efik, which none of the African missionaries have been able to master.

This places an even greater emphasis on the work of the seminary, which trains bilingual Africans — those who speak both English and Efik—for the ministry.

The seminary's teaching program is ambitious—subjects taught by the former Eugene minister include Old and New Testament interpretation, the Lutheran confessions and the history of the Reformation.

He is also teaching two classes in religion at Nsit Lutheran High School, about 10 miles from the mission compound.

At present, Rev. and Mrs. Maier have a special project dealing with the shortage of theological books for the native pastors.

"They (the native pastors) simply do not have the theological books which by all means ought to be included, without exception, in even the smallest working library of a Lutheran pastor," he wrote.

But these books cost from $5 to $15, and the salary of a native minister is about $40 a month "at most." So Rev. Maier has started a fund to provide basic books for the seminary's graduates.

Council Announces Conference Theme

"New Delhi and Its Implications for Oregon" will be the theme of this year's general assembly of the Oregon Council of Churches Monday through Wednesday at Beaverton.

Council sessions, which will feature the Rev. Theodore A. Gill as keynote speaker, will be held at First Methodist Church in Beaverton.

Rev. Gill is president of San Francisco Theological Seminary in San Anselmo, Calif.

Starts Monday

This year's program will open at 11 a.m. Monday with the annual meeting of the Migrant Ministry Department of the council. The council's division of Christian education will convene in the evening.

Regular sessions of the general assembly will begin Wednesday morning with registration from 9:30 to 11.

Several Eugene church leaders will be participants in council events. Mrs. P. L. Herbig of Eugene, state president of United Church Women, will preside Wednesday noon at the council's opening luncheon.

The Rev. George Ashwood Jr., pastor of Central United Presbyterian Church in Eugene, will be chairman of a discussion group Tuesday afternoon.

Arthur S. Flemming, president of the University of Oregon and chairman of the council's long-range planning consultation committee, will preside at a meeting of that group Wednesday morning.

Sponsors from Eugene

Sponsors of this year's general assembly include the Central Lane Council of Churches, the Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Aschenbrenner, Mr. and Mrs. Ross J. Griffeth and the Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Stamp, all of Eugene.

In addition to the Rev. Gill, featured addresses will be given at the general assembly by the Rev. George Dick, executive director of the council and Joe Dell, director of the Church World Service center in Modesto, Calif.

Business of the council and election of officers are on the agenda for the council's annual business meeting Wednesday at 9 a.m. Methodist Bishop A. Raymond Grant of Portland will preside.

In addition to the speeches and formal sessions, discussion groups and informal programs are scheduled for the three-day meeting.

Congregation Hears Three Church Plans

Three plans to meet the shortage of classroom and parking space at First Methodist Church, 1185 Willamette St. in Eugene were presented to members of the church's congregation this week at three special meetings.

The plans—presented by the church's building committee — involve the following basic changes:

- Plan "A." Comprehensive remodeling of the present building facing on Willamette Street, and construction of a parking lot on adjacent church-owned property on Oak Street. This would involve tearing down the south part of the church, leaving the sanctuary, and building a multi-story educational unit next to the old structure.
- Plan "B." A "combination" plan. Under this, there would be some remodeling of the present building, and construction of a multi-story parking and education unit on the Oak Street property.
- Plan "C." Disposal of the present property, acquisition of additional land on Oak Street and the construction of an entirely new sanctuary and education unit on Oak Street, with provisions for parking.

Architects Morin and Longwood of Eugene have prepared schematic drawings to illustrate the three plans.

The next step in the church's program is a vote on the three plans Dec. 11, at a church meeting called a quarterly conference.

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9:30 a.m.
CHURCH SCHOOL
10:45 a.m.
"GOD'S POWER REDEEMS THE WORLD"
Mrs. Elden Buck
7:30 p.m.
"COME BEFORE WINTER"
Dr. Carlton Buck, Minister

Congregational Church
1050 E. 23rd
Services:
9:30 and 11:00 a.m.
Church School
9:30 and 11:00 a.m.
Ministers: Wesley G. Nicholson
Lloyd R. Stamp

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