

Dr. Robert Legget Addresses Clarkson Commencement Today

POTSDAM - The challenge to build cities with full regard for the environment will be given to the graduates of Clarkson College of Technology by Dr. Robert Legget, retired director of the Division of Building Research of the National Research Council of Canada, at the 79th Clarkson Commencement today.

Dr. Legget said: "We must plan for a gigantic increase in urban living and we must plan well. The works of peace for which you are responsible, either as concerned citizens, or as engineers charged with their design and execution, will not, therefore, be merely the

building of these burgeoning cities. Every city must be alive to the claims upon it from the region around."

Prior to being awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Science, the commencement speaker pointed out that by the year 2,000, major urban regions in the United States will cover about 340,000 square miles, as compared to the present 200,000 square miles and additional areas will be affected by smaller individual areas.

He noted that the additional 140,000 square miles will be largely covered by pavement, buildings, bridges, and all other structures that go to make up

modern cities. He described this area as being slightly greater than the combined area of England, Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland, and Czechoslovakia.

He said that this building must be carried out in conformity with the best and most socially desirable use of good land that has to be used this way. "Planning with Nature", he said, "must become an inviolate rule in all planning, rather than being thought of as just the title of a book."

Dr. Legget said that the enlightened planning that must be done will not stop at city boundaries. "The ages have their warning for us here. The great ancient cities of North Africa were wonderfully well planned; the regions around were neglected."

He cited the more recent warnings like the dust storms of the mid-30s and said how much more remains to be done all of us know well. "I think of the polluted rivers in Canada; we can all think of what has been done to our Great Lakes; and each of us will know a stream that is lovely no longer, a gully where water flows no more."

"There must be, if the cities of the future are to be places where the good life may be lived, forests within reach where the spirit can be renewed, clear flowing streams where the music of water can dispel the cares of the day, wilderness areas where nature unadorned and undefiled can be enjoyed in all its pristine glory."

"Geology, the Cinderella of the natural sciences, must at last come into its own as the 'people science' so that all citizens, and especially those privileged to be graduates, may be guardians of the natural heritage of the regions in which they live, ensuring by their lovely interest that the planning of all urban expansion is carried out with full appreciation of the constraints of local ecology, features of special natural interest or beauty being conserved for all time and not defaced or destroyed as they have been all too often in the past."

Dr. Legget looked to the year 2000 and the challenge that lies ahead for the graduates. He quoted the prophet Joel, "Your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions", and continued: "What visions can be yours, and will be yours, I trust, as you leave these halls and take up active work in your professions or callings."

Amongst them should be a vision of the cities that yet may be, conserving what is good from the past but rebuilding that which is need of renewal; new cities that are planned in association with their natural surroundings; a countryside conserved and protected; pollution of all types controlled and minimized; the wilderness preserved in its grandeur and guarded against all despoilers."

Dr. Legget spoke of the common purpose - the works of peace - and said: "Perhaps, after all, it is not too inappropriate to have a Canadian and an engineer speaking on this occasion, for the works of peace are the works of the engineer."

The speaker said that behind the engineer must always be the devoted work of the scientist. He will be aided by those with special skills in management and distribution, and he will be strengthened by all that humanities can mean. "When, therefore", he said, "I speak of what the engineer must do in the years ahead, I am not unmindful of the contributions that all members of this graduating class will be making in the future."

He spoke of the unguarded peaceful borders that mark the boundary separating the United States and Canada and quoted the inscription that stands on the international boundary at the powerhouse on the St. Lawrence River at Massena and Cornwall: "The stone bears witness to the common purpose of two nations whose frontiers are the frontiers of friendship, whose ways are the ways of freedom, and whose works are the works of peace."

L.E. Wood Dies At 67; Rites Monday

RICHVILLE—Leland E. Wood, 67, of Main Street, Richville, died at 11 a.m. Friday (May 19, 1972) at the E. J. Noble Hospital, Gouverneur, about an hour after he was admitted. He had suffered a coronary attack at home.

The funeral will be at 2 p.m. Monday at the Green Funeral Home, Richville, with the Rev. William A. Masters, pastor of the United Church, officiating. Burial will be in Maple Grove Cemetery.

Calling hours at the funeral home are this afternoon and evening.

The Elks Lodge of Gouverneur will hold a service at the funeral home at 8 o'clock tonight.

Surviving are his widow, Helen F.; two daughters, Mrs. Carmen F. Patterson of Ogdensburg, and Mrs. Gregory (Audrey M.) Fox, of Ballston Spa; two sons, Otto W. of Schenectady, and Durwin F. of Mattydale; a sister, Mrs. Enid Howie of DeKalb Junction; 16 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

A son, Carlton W., died June 4, 1969. Mr. Wood was born at Hermon, Oct. 19, 1904. He was the foster son of Jesse and Zephia Townsend Wood, and lived in the DePeyster area most of his life.

He married Helen Fleming at DePeyster, Oct. 21, 1925. After their marriage, the couple operated farms in that area. They moved to Richville in 1941, and he worked as a mechanic for machinery dealers in the Gouverneur area. In 1970, he retired from Smith's Buick, Canton, where he had been a mechanic.

Mr. Wood was a member of the Richville Volunteer Fire Department and of the Gouverneur Elks Lodge (B. P. O. E. No. 2035).

Heuvelton Guild Awards Prizes To 3 Students

HEUVELTON—The regular meeting of the literary Guild was held May 11 at the home of Mrs. Harry Woodside, president. Mrs. Aaron Lasher presided.

Members voted to award the usual three \$5 prizes to Heuvelton Central School students for outstanding achievements.

Newly elected officers to serve for two-year terms are: president, Mrs. Monroe Wallace; vice president, Mrs. Albert Gesner; secretary, Mrs. Eugene Todd; and treasurer, Mrs. Clive Chambers.

The group unanimously elected Dora Tuggey a member to fill the vacancy left by Mrs. David Poulton who resigned from the Guild.

Mrs. G. Carl Alverson addressed the group on her recent trip to Germany. Birthdays celebrated were for Mrs. Robert MacRorie, Mrs. Gesner and Mrs. Alverson.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Kenneth Henry and Mrs. Wallace.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN
May 24 - Circle I of the United Presbyterian Women will meet for a covered dish luncheon at 11 a.m. at home of Mrs. Everett Crowell, River Road.

RITES HELD SATURDAY FOR MRS. RAYMOND BENKLER, AGE 64
HAMMOND—A private funeral for Mrs. Mildred M. Howie Benkler, 64, wife of Raymond Benkler of St. Lawrence Ave., this village, was held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Fox Funeral Home here, with the Rev. Gerald E. Shibley, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial was in Fineview Cemetery, Town of Hammond.

Bearers were Earl Howie, Irwin McQueer, Bernard Lavarnway, Morris Sequin, Lawrence Marsaw and Rickie Bass.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE
May 25 - The Women of the Moose will meet at 8 p.m., refreshments.

VICINITY EVENTS
May 23, 24 - Lisbon - Lisbon Central School play "The Egg and I", to be presented at 8 p.m.

ENTERED INTO REST
MRS. JOSEPHINE MARIE PAPIEAU RAMIE, 73, WIFE OF EDGAR A. RAMIE, 317 DEVILLES ST., OGDENBURG, N.Y., MAY 19, 1972

Surviving, besides her husband, are one daughter, Mrs. Francis (Ruth) Brickwood of Orangeburg, N. Y.; two sons, Charles of Easton, Pa., and Gerald of West Nyack, N. Y.; 11 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and nieces and nephews. The funeral will be at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Lalonde-Briggs Funeral Home and at 10 a.m. at St. Mary's Cathedral. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery. Calling hours at the funeral home are afternoons and evenings today and Monday. The Lalonde-Briggs Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

ENTERED INTO REST
MRS. MARY LAROCK AMO, 78, WIDOW OF WILLIAM H. AMO, 405 SOUTH WATER ST., OGDENBURG, N.Y., AT A. BARTON HEPBURN HOSPITAL, MAY 19, 1972

Surviving are one son, Francis L. of Morrisstown; three daughters, Mrs. James (Dorothy) Mashaw of Heuvelton, Mrs. Milton (Mary Jo) Downey of Ogdensburg, at whose home Mrs. Amo resided; and Mrs. Irvin (Betty) Simmons of the Horse Shoe Road, Heuvelton; one sister, Mrs. Sarah Jane Mills of Heuvelton; 35 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. The funeral will be at 10 a.m. Monday at St. John's Church, Episcopal, with the Rev. George N. Sayles, rector, officiating. Burial will be in the Ogdensburg Cemetery. Calling hours at the Nichols Funeral Home are this afternoon and evening. The Nichols Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

NICHOLS FUNERAL HOME
ENTERED INTO REST
MICHAEL A. JANACK, 18-YEAR-OLD SON OF MR. AND MRS. REGINALD E. JANACK, 455 BELMONT COURTS, OGDENBURG, N.Y., AT A. BARTON HEPBURN HOSPITAL, MAY 19, 1972

Surviving besides his parents are two sisters and a brother, Monica A., 20, Mark A., 15, and Melissa A., 8, all at home; the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen J. Doboze of Ogdensburg; the paternal grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Janack of RFD 4, Canton; and several aunts and uncles. The funeral will be at 9:30 a.m. Monday at the Lalonde-Briggs Funeral Home and at 10 a.m. at St. Mary's Cathedral. Burial will be in Notre Dame Cemetery. Calling hours at the funeral home are this afternoon and evening. The family requests that friends, who desire to do so, make donations to the Ogdensburg Rescue Squad. The Lalonde-Briggs Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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Gene Warren To Address Narcotic Council Here

The public is invited to attend the fourth program in a series of six training programs for members and volunteers of the Ogdensburg Narcotics Guidance Council, Wednesday, May 24 at 7:15 p.m. at City Hall. The program will be presented by Gene Warren, Associate Narcotic Education Representative, Narcotic Addiction Control Commission.

Warren's topic will be The Psychology of the Drug Dependent Personality. Programs such as this have been developed by the state to

bring background information to local councils so that they may cope with local situations as they are found to exist. The local council has pointed out that prevention of drug abuse is one of the facets of their interest and counseling is another. However, law enforcement is not within their scope. The local council feels that there should be more active community participating in their program and will welcome you Wednesday evening even if you have missed previous meetings.

1,000 To Win Degrees At Potsdam On May 28

POTSDAM—More than 1,000 students will receive degrees during State University College at Potsdam's 138th commencement ceremony which will begin at 2 p.m. next Sunday in the ice arena of Maxcy Hall, the college's new health and physical education building.

Among those receiving degrees, 966 are potential recipients of bachelor's degrees and 125 are expected to be awarded master's degrees.

Among the undergraduate degree candidates approximately 865 are expected to receive bachelor of arts, 90 bachelor of music, and 11 bachelor of science degrees.

In the graduate degree group, 19 are master of arts degree candidates and 106 are candidates for master of science degrees.

By a majority vote of the senior class it was decided that there would be no

guest speaker at his year's commencement. Brief remarks will be given by Dr. Thomas M. Barrington, college president.

Commencement weekend will begin with graduation rehearsals at 9:30 a.m. Friday.

At 4 p.m. Saturday, Dr. and Mrs. Barrington will host a reception for members of the Class of 1972, their friends and families and for alumni and faculty in the College Union.

Baccalaureate services will be conducted by individual churches in Potsdam Sunday morning.

Participating in the conferring of degrees on Sunday along with Dr. Barrington will be Dr. Harold K. Hughes, vice president for academic affairs, and Dr. Marvin P. Garner, acting dean of liberal studies.

SLC's Share Of Federal Aid Said Relatively Large

(Special to the Advance News)
NEW YORK - To what extent is St. Lawrence County sharing in the billions of dollars of Federal funds that are being distributed by the government annually in the form of grants-in-aid?

Of the \$29 billion handed out by Washington in the past fiscal year, how much reached the local area? Based upon Treasury Department figures and a state-by-state analysis of them made by the Tax Foundation, a non-profit organization that keeps track of government taxation and spending, St. Lawrence County's share was relatively large.

An estimated \$20,039,000 went to the local area under a variety of community aid programs.

The grants made throughout the State of New York as a whole totaled \$3,286,000,000, the Tax Foundation reports. They were for such purposes as urban renewal, welfare and public assistance, highways, food stamps, job training, health, education and many others.

The figures take into account only grants-in-aid to states and their communities, it is noted, and do not include other expenditures made by the government in local areas for goods and services.

As to the cost of these benefits, it

comes out of Federal income and excise taxes that are allocated to the grants-in-aid programs.

St. Lawrence County's share of these costs amounted to approximately \$19,638,000 last year, it is estimated from a breakdown of the Tax Foundation's figures. The statewide contribution is listed as \$3,232,000,000. This is exclusive of the amount that must be paid in matching funds.

In some states, the costs involved exceed the benefits received. In others the reverse is true.

There is no intention of striking a balance in that regard. The awards are intended to be made on the basis of local requirements and needs.

Many communities are not getting as much as they might from the grants programs because they are unaware of what is available and therefore have not submitted applications.

In fact, according to Senator William Roth of Delaware, there is no one in Washington itself that is aware of all of them. With much difficulty he states, he has been able to compile a list of 1,350 grant possibilities.

Mrs. Nixon In Moscow

WASHINGTON (AP) - While her husband confers with Soviet leaders, first lady Pat Nixon will strike out on her own with a heavy Moscow schedule carrying her to a school, circus, watch factory and department store.

According to a tentative schedule made available by White House sources, Mrs. Nixon will also ride a Moscow subway, visit a university, watch aspiring young ballet dancers practice, attend a fashion show and tour a museum next week.

The presidential jet, The Spirit of '76, Saturday winged toward Salzburg, Austria on the first leg of a two-week journey that will carry the Nixons to Iran and Poland as well as the Soviet Union.

Zoning Board Of Appeals To Meet Wednesday

The Zoning Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the City Hall council chambers to discuss the following variances.

A variance for Charles F. Brigham of 129 Patterson St. to place a TV sales room in his residence; a variance for Michael Brassard of 208 Franklin St., to place a trailer on a lot facing Hamilton Street and a variance for Clarence Lacomb of 307 Mansion Ave., to construct a gift shop in his residence.

Abrahams Says Schwartz Could Face Eviction

Frank Schwartz, proprietor of Franks - The Decorator Corner, stated Friday that he expects to move from his present location by June 15, but will remain in business until the time of the move.

He added that there is a possibility he could stay in his present building until Aug. 15.

Schwartz' business is located on the future site of the new Niagara Mohawk office building, the southwest corner of the intersection of Ford and Caroline streets and is scheduled for demolition under one of the contracts awarded to McConville, Inc. by the Ogdensburg Urban Renewal Agency Thursday night.

McConville was given three contracts at approximately \$1667 each. One contract was for the Lawson property on Caroline Street, where demolition will start Monday, another for Mid-Town Laundramat, Massena Vacuum and the former Algies store, and the third contract is for the Schwartz property.

Executive Director Allan B. Abrahams said Saturday that the agency will initiate eviction proceedings against Schwartz if he interferes with the Niagara Mohawk construction schedule, which is scheduled to start between June 1 and June 15. He said the eviction notice can be served in three days after start of the proceeding.

Mary Mallette Gets Office In Rebekah Grand

Eureka Rebekah Lodge 129 has been honored by having an appointment in the Rebekah Assembly of the State of New York.

Mary Mallette of Ogdensburg, was appointed Assembly left herald for the ensuing year by Assembly President Dorothy Javarone. Mrs. Mallette has served twice as noble grand and as district deputy president and is currently serving as treasurer of her lodge. She is also the manager of the new Puritan Store in Ogdensburg.

RESCUE SQUAD CALLS
The Ogdensburg Rescue Squad answered a call of 1120 Ogdenville St., at 11:04 p.m. Friday, from where they took George Montroy, 23, to Hepburn Hospital. A hospital official said Saturday that Montroy was not listed as a patient and that "evidentially he was treated and released".



NEIGHBORS UNITE TO BEAUTIFY AREA - Fourteen families, all residents of the 1000 block of Pickering Street, have joined together to purchase 14 flowering crab trees in an effort to beautify their neighborhood. John Farrand, right, of Farrand's Landscape Service, plants the first tree at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Lyons. From left, are Don Brown, James Brown,

Dorothy Brown, Christopher Woods, Glenda Woods, Mary Ann Ashley, Mary Brown, Tim Cobb, Mary Abar, Gladys Cobb, Leonard Cobb, Don Ashwood, Gregory Lyons, Tundall Lyons, Dave Lyons, Bob Smith, Betty Smith and John Farrand. The children of the neighborhood are now busy painting area trash cans. (Como Photo)