The University has applied to the Australian Universities Commission for funds to be provided for the setting up of an FM radio station on the campus.

Professor E.O. Hall, Executive Member of the Planning Committee of the Senate, explained that for some time members of the University had been giving consideration to how the special interests of community organisations could be met by the establishment of a university radio station similar to "The University of the Air", operated by the University of New South Wales.

He said that more than a year ago the University of Newcastle had been offered an AM (amplitude modulated) station by the University of New South Wales, but had declined to proceed because it would be necessary to modify radio receivers so that they could pick up programmes in the extended broadcasting band. The University would not have been able to broadcast music, and reception would have been subjected to static in this band.

At about this time the Federal Government announced that a special Independent Inquiry Into FM Broadcasting would be held and appointed Sir Francis McLean, a former Director of Engineering for the BBC, and Professor Cyril Renwick, Director of the Hunter Valley Research Foundation, Commissioners. The University made a formal application to the Inquiry, supported by documentation from Newcastle Teachers' and Newcastle Technical Colleges, and, subsequently, the Vice-Chancellor was interviewed by the Commissioners.

(The report of the Inquiry has just been published and the Commissioners state that they hope a regular FM broadcasting service will begin in Australia in 2 to 2 1/2 years in the VHF band. They found that those broadcasting on FM should be ABC national stations, public access stations, non-profit community stations and commercial stations. They reported that community groups of various sorts, covering drama, Politics, education and other talk-type programmes, had requested FM as an alternative to the existing commercial and ABC services.)

Professor Hall said that the Commissioners also recommended that, in the Hunter Valley area, the community might expect three ABC stations, three commercial stations and four low-power community and public access stations. The University intended, if money were forthcoming, to apply to the Broadcasting Control Board for a licence to operate one of the community and public access stations. The University hoped to present a series of community programmes broadly similar to those offered by "The University of the Air" consisting of spoken lectures.

"Radio listeners will not have to modify their receivers to hear the university's FM programmes. Reception will be of a very high quality, while only a simple modification to a radio will permit high quality stereophonic music to be received".

Professor Hall said that it was likely the FM station would also be useful to the proposed Faculty of Medicine, since members of the medical profession in this region would probably be interested in availing themselves of continuing education programmes which the University broadcast.

"If the report is adopted it will be necessary to replace transmissions from Channel 5 and Channel 3 by transmissions on other channels so that the frequency now held by these channels can be used for FM radio," he stated. "Some cost will be involved in members of the public modifying their TV sets to receive Channels 5 and 3".

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COUNCIL ELECTIONS

One new member has already been elected to the University Council. He is Professor B.L. Johns, who succeeds Professor A.D. Tweedie. Professor Tweedie did not stand for re-election.

Professor Johns and Professor C.D. Ellyett, a member of the present Council, have been elected members elected by the members of the academic staff being professors. As the number of valid nominations received did not exceed the number of vacancies on the Council it was not necessary to hold a ballot.

Likewise, Mr. M.E. Edmonds, who belongs to the present Council, was the only valid nomination for election by members of the staff other than academic staff and has been declared elected.

The names of other persons nominated for the elections are published on the Noticeboard at the head of the main stairway in the Arts/Administration building. They are:

One member to be elected by members of the academic staff other than the Professors

Associate Professor J.P.S. Bach
Mr. R.P. Laidlaw
Mr. R. MacL. Robinson
Associate Professor S. St.J. Warne

Five members to be elected by Convocation

Mr. C.B. Belcher
Mr. E.J. Buckman
Mr. C.J.A. Cornelius
Mr. W.G. Derkenne
Mr. B.W. Relf
Dr. K.H. White
Mr. A.W. Young

One member to be elected by students

Mr. C.F. Baker
Mr. L.J. Galbraith
Mr. G.L. Hurrell
Mrs. B.J. Lord
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* Present Member

The persons elected to the Council other than the student elected to the casual vacancy will hold office from 1st July this year until 30th June, 1976. Votes for the member to be elected by students will be taken in the foyer of the University Library between the hours of 11.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m. and 7.30 p.m. on Wednesday, 26th June, and Thursday, 27th June.

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P.D. ALEXANDER,
Returning Officer

COLIN ANDERSON TO ENTERTAIN AT BALL

Mr. Colin Anderson, Lecturer in Drama at Riverina College of Advanced Education, has accepted an invitation to return to the University to present the entertainment at Convocation's first reunion for graduates.

The reunion will be a ball for graduates, their wives, husbands and friends. It will be held in the Great Hall on Friday night, 26th July.

The Harbourside Six has been commissioned to provide music for dancing and a nostalgic revue, using themes from old University days, by Mr. Anderson, who appeared in many student productions for the old University College at Tighes Hill will be presented.

The cost will be $5 each (excluding refreshments) and dress will be informal. Dancing will terminate at 2 a.m.

People intending to attend should get in touch with Miss C. Johanson, C/o the Department of Classics. A loge will hold 12 guests.
At a meeting of the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Architecture on 10th June, Professor E.C. Parker was elected Dean of the Faculty of Architecture to succeed the Vice-Chancellor, Professor J.J. Auchmuty.

On the same day, the Vice-Chancellor appointed Professor Parker Head of the Department of Architecture.

University News has reported the acceptance by Professor Parker of the offer made by the University Council on 14th March of the second Chair of Architecture at the University. Professor Parker will vacate his present post of University Planner on 16th August next, when he will return to full-time duty in the Department of Architecture.

CURRICULUM AND RESOURCE CENTRE

Teacher trainees, postgraduate students and working teachers are making almost constant use of the materials and facilities available to them in the Department of Education's Curriculum and Resource Centre.

Establishment of the Centre in the temporary buildings near the Arts/Administration Building has not only permitted the Department to expand its curriculum materials and services but also to develop its training and teaching aids. The space available has proved to be insufficient for all the tasks and developments being undertaken.

Development of a repository in a section of the Centre has brought together a vast quantity of curriculum, teaching and learning materials which was previously widely scattered throughout the Department. This information is used by teacher trainees to prepare their assignments, by Master of Education students to undertake research and by practising teachers to design lessons and evaluate pupils' learning levels.

Shelves in this section hold, among other things, publishers' lists of educational publications; teaching kits; syllabuses of the N.S.W. Department of Education, other states of Australia and some other countries; guides to school programmes on radio; journals; catalogues of audio-visual aids and equipment to produce slides and notes. There is an ever-increasing library of audio and video tapes.

An allocation of $4,900 from Departmental funds has established and developed the curriculum materials and information services.

A separate part of the Centre is devoted to the utilisation of video, film screening and audio-visual equipment. Instead of being asked to teach "cold", trainee teachers can get a form of practice teaching experience by seeing practising teachers working on TV. Another activity here is "micro-teaching", which is the name given to the taping of students' performances in the Centre, their re-screening on TV for self-evaluation and self-criticism and the development of the students' teaching abilities.

Groups of students use the Centre to collaborate in the preparation of lessons and discuss their likely effectiveness. This activity is the one most likely to cause crowding, especially when people are using the curriculum materials.

The Centre also serves as a convenient exhibition area for new teaching equipment and materials and not insignificant is the use being made of the reference service, available to all members of the University's academic and teaching staff.

Supervision of the Curriculum Laboratory and Resource Centre is the duty of an Executive Committee of which Professor J. Biggs is Chairman ex-officio, Mr. J. McQualter, Lecturer in Education, Deputy Chairman, Mr. P. Moore, Senior Tutor in Education, Secretary and Mr. J. Gill, Lecturer in Education, Treasurer. Mrs. F. Offen is attached to the Centre as Typiste and Mr. K. Scott, Audio-visual Officer, gives assistance.

FURTHER DONATIONS FOR GREAT HALL

The Vice-Chancellor has expressed the University's thanks to Mr. H.L. Wheeler, the Newcastle Cricket Association and the Newcastle Rugby Football League for having provided a piano for use in the Great Hall of the University.

The piano was bought partly with money raised at a testimonial dinner which was staged by the Cricket and Rugby bodies to honour Mr. Wheeler last year. Later Mr. Wheeler contributed the balance of the $1,150 required.

The piano, two banners and a set of stained glass panels have been donated to the Great Hall since the Lord Mayor's Appeal for funds for the project was officially closed last year, with the grand total, including votes from
Federal and State Governments, having reached approximately $1,200,000. At that time the Chairman (Ald. F.J. Purdue) announced that he would be pleased to receive gifts in kind so that some of the embellishments required in the hall could be provided.

Two artistic banners were purchased from Newcastle artist, Rae Richards, who later donated two more. They can be seen above the two doors to the Auditorium of the Great Hall.

Mr. P. Handel, of Sydney, a specialist in stained glass art, is currently working on four glass panels which will be placed on top of the main doors of the Great Hall. The design for the panels incorporates the Arms of the City of Newcastle and the Arms of the University. Part of the cost of this commission has been borne by the Joint Coal Board and Mrs. R. Anderson, of Glenbrook.

Ald. Purdue has invited citizens who are interested in presenting gifts to further embellish the Great Hall to get in touch with the Vice-Chancellor.

SECOND CHAIR IN COMMERCE

Professor Ross Watts, who graduated with First Class Honours at this University in 1966, has taken up his appointment to the second Chair in Commerce. Dr. Watts was previously Assistant Professor of Finance and Accounting at the Graduate School of Management, University of Rochester, U.S.A.

Dr. Watts went to the University of Chicago, where he graduated MBA in 1968 and Ph.D. in Economics, Finance and Accounting in 1971. In 1969 and 1970 he was an Instructor in Finance and Accounting in the Graduate School of Business at the University of Chicago and was in his former position at the University of Rochester since 1971. He has been very active both as a research worker and a teacher, and, in addition, has acted as a consultant to a number of significant outside organizations, including the United States Navy.

APPOINTMENT

Mr. Peter Farley has taken up his appointment as Assistant Secretary to the University. Formerly an Administrative Officer with Macquarie University he holds a B.A. degree in the University of N.S.W. and an M.A. degree in Macquarie University.

MOVE TO REVIVE WUS

The screening of films will be the first of the World University Service's endeavours to revive the work of the organization on this campus. (WUS is represented in about 70 world countries and consists of members of staff and students from universities who work together to promote education in under-privileged countries.)

Members of this University interested in assisting the local branch should leave their names with the S.R.C. Office, or write to Mr. Noel Conners, 428 Brunker Road, Adamstown.

On 20th and 21st June, films will be screened in the Union Common Room at 7 o'clock each night. The films will include "The Curse of Laradjongran" (Indonesia), "Children of the Fire" and "The Country Made for Disaster" (both Bangladesh).

MEETING OF GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

The next meeting of the Hunter Valley Branch of the Geological Society of Australia Inc. will be held in Room G04 in the Department of Geology on Friday, 21st June at 7.30 p.m. A seminar will be held, with Professor A. Ritchie speaking on "The World Mineral Crises and Australia". Visitors are welcome.

Professor Ritchie, who was the Society's Foundation Chairman in 1950, was elected Chairman at the annual meeting. Other officers elected: Vice-Chairman, Mr. D. Rose; Secretary/Treasurer, Mr. D. Marchoni; Auditors, Dr. R. Offler and Dr. B. Engel; Publicity Officer, Miss K. Jackson.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON CONCERT

The band of Sydney Conservatorium High School will present a concert in the Great Hall of the University on Sunday, 23rd June, beginning at 2.30 p.m.

The band consists of 30 highly-talented young musicians, who, having given a series of most successful concerts in Sydney, will be making their first
visit to Newcastle. The range of their repertoire is considerable; the programme will include works by Berlioz, Handel, Gabrielli and Rossini, traditional marches, "Ob-la-dee" (the Beatles), excerpts from "Jesus Christ Superstar", a jazz sextette performance, some Vivaldi by the woodwind section and a big band number. Admission will cost 50¢.

DYASON LECTURER'S VISIT

The Dyason Lecturer for 1974, Professor Rajni Kothari, will speak on "The Challenges Facing India", in Lecture Room R04 at 8.15 p.m. on 26th June. The Women's Graduates Association and the Institute of International Affairs are co-sponsors of the lecture.

The meeting will be preceded by a buffet dinner in the University Staff House, beginning with sherry from 6 to 6.30 p.m. The cost for each person will be $3.50 including wine.

There will be a charge of 50¢ for the lecture only, and these visitors will be admitted at 8 p.m.

Professor Kothari is Director of the Centre for the Study of Developing Societies at New Delhi and has been described as the leading political scientist in India.

GERMAN FILMS

The German Club of the University has organised a programme of German films. Screenings will be in the Science Lecture Theatre (H01) at 7 p.m.

On Thursday, 20th June, "Ein Herz spielt falsch" will be screened. The rest of the season: Thursday, 18th July, "Der Verteidiger hat das Wort"; Thursday, 15th August, "Das Glas Wasser"; Thursday, 19th September, "Lebenszeichen"; Thursday, 17th October, "Das Wirtshaus im Spessart". The films will be preceded by a newsreel or a documentary. Admission is free and everybody is welcome.

ANXIETY TO BE EXAMINED

The Department of Community Programmes, in association with the Health Commission, will conduct a series of six lecture/discussions dealing with "Anxiety - its causes and effects". The meetings will be held on Monday evenings at 8 o'clock, commencing on 24th June.

"The Nature and Manifestations of Anxiety" will be the title of a lecture to be given by Mr. B. Fenelon, Senior Lecturer in Psychology, on 24th June. On 1st July, Dr. D. Wallace, Physician in charge of the Cardiology Unit, Royal Newcastle Hospital, will talk on "Anxieties Over Health".

The fee for the course is $4.

MACRO-ECONOMIST'S TALK

Newcastle Committee of the Economic Society of Australia and New Zealand will meet in the Staff Conference Room, Faculty of Economics and Commerce, on 18th June commencing at 7.30 p.m.

Professor John Nevile, of the University of New South Wales, will speak on "Inflation Today". He is a noted macro-economist, whose work in the area of stabilization policy has created considerable interest in Australia and overseas. In particular, his views on the causes and appropriate remedies for inflation have been sought by a number of policy makers in Australia.

HUMAN RELATIONS GROUPS

During Second Term the University Counselling Service plans to run two Human Relations Groups for people who are interested in exploring interpersonal relationships and developing self-understanding and sensitivity to the feelings of others.

The Service plans to have approximately 10-12 people in each group and will focus on the "here and now" feelings and events as they occur in the group.

GROUP 1

The first group will be run on six consecutive Monday evenings from 5.15 p.m. to 7 p.m., commencing 24th June, plus one full day to be arranged.

A preliminary meeting for those people interested in joining the Monday Night Group will be held in Anne Furner's room in the basement of the Union on Friday, 21st June at 1 p.m. If you are unable to attend the Friday meeting,
but interested in joining the group, let the Service know by contacting the Secretary (68 5255) or Anne Furner (68 5258).

GROUP 2

The second group will be organized by Don Martin as a weekend group, commencing Friday evening and finishing Sunday afternoon. An initial meeting to arrange a suitable date will be held in the Counselling Service Theatre on Friday, 5th July at 1 p.m. If unable to attend the Friday meeting, but interested in joining the group, let the Service know by contacting the Secretary (68 5255) or Don Martin (68 5203).

BOARD PUBLISHES NEW PAPER

Professor W.F. Pickering, Head of the Department of Chemistry, is the author of the third research paper to be published by the Board of Environmental Studies. Entitled "Challenging Aspects of Pollution Studies" the paper contains Professor Pickering's view that while the Newcastle region does not possess the major chemical pollution problems of many of its overseas counterparts, it does possess many desirable attributes in regard to basic studies.

People interested in the subject can obtain copies by getting in touch with Mrs. C. Samojluk, of the Secretary's Division, on Ext. 711.

FILMS IN THE UNION

Films to be screened in the Union will include:

21st June, Five Easy Pieces, starring Jack Nicholson;
5th July, The Anderson Tapes, Sean Connery;
12th July, Le Joli Mat.

CLASSIC FILMS

The Department of Community Programmes has transferred the screenings of Classic Films from the Main Lecture Theatre to the Science Lecture Theatre. Films in the series are shown on Fridays at 8 p.m.

The University has made improvements to screening facilities in the Science Lecture Theatre. The projection room is now equipped with two 16mm projectors, connected by a change-over device which eliminates the "breaks" between reels. In addition, a wide screen has replaced a conventional screen.

Some films to be screened are:

21st June, Bonnie and Clyde, an influential American film, directed by Arthur Penn;
28th June, Don Quixote, a faithful Russian adaptation of Cervantes' novel.

CREDIT UNION NEWS

Credit Union Supervisory Committee

The Credit Union is seeking applications from interested persons to serve on the Supervisory Committee. Duties are similar to those of an internal auditor. Remuneration is by way of an honorarium paid annually. Applicants should contact the Chairman of the Credit Union, Mr. M. Edmonds, Ext. 201.

Credit Union Assistant Secretary

The Credit Union is seeking applications from interested persons to serve as Honorary Assistant Secretary. Duties would consist of typing of minutes, etc. and manning the Credit Union office for half an hour (12.45 - 1.15 p.m.) on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Remuneration is by way of an honorarium paid annually. Applicants should contact the Credit Union Secretary, Mr. R. Richardson, Ext. 371.

WITHDRAWAL FROM SUBJECTS

The 15th July is the deadline for permission to withdraw without penalty from all subjects (other than some in Engineering).

If you are unsure of your present situation, feel free to make an appointment with a counsellor to discuss the problem.
HOME OFFICES

The decisions of the High Court in the cases of Thomas v. F.C.T. and Faichney v. F.C.T. have confirmed the policy adopted in determining the deductibility of certain expenditure and depreciation associated with the use by a taxpayer of part of his home as an office or study in the derivation of assessable income. Enquiries from agents indicate, however, that there is still some uncertainty concerning the principles involved in determining the deductibility of such expenses. The following notes are, therefore, designed to assist in clarifying the areas of doubt.

Interest, Rent, Insurance and Repairs

A taxpayer who actually carries on a business from his private residence and sets aside a particular area of the premises exclusively as a place of business, and that area is not readily suitable or adaptable for use as part of the person's domestic establishment, will be allowed deductions for proportion of the expenditure on such outgoings as interest, rent, insurance and repairs. This principle does not extend to self-employed or professional persons who carry on their income producing activities in business premises, but who, as in Thomas' case, maintain a study or office at home for use in connection with those activities. Similarly, with regard to a person in employment who has set aside a room in his home as an office or study for use in connection with matters relating to his employment, no deduction will be allowed for interest, rent, insurance or repairs.

Depreciation

Depreciation will be allowed on plant or articles, such as a desk, chair, bookshelves, only to the extent to which they are used for the purpose of producing the assessable income. It will, therefore, be necessary for agents to determine the proportionate use of plant and articles for income producing purposes and for family or private purposes and make the necessary adjustments to the depreciation calculation when preparing returns.
Examples of Expenditure Falling Within Terms "fees, books and equipment"

Subject to the qualification that the expenses satisfy the tests of being necessarily incurred in connection with a prescribed course of education, the following are examples of expenditure which could fail to be allowed under each heading:-

Fees would include, in addition to course fees, compulsory sports or union fees at a university, school college or other place of education.

Books would include exercise books or loose leaf note books in which notes are recorded, text books or duplicated lecture notes.

Equipment would include such items as pens, pencils, erasers, ink. In appropriate cases where it can be established that there was a sufficient nexus to the prescribed course of education, the cost of other equipment, such as drawing instruments purchased by an engineering student or medical instruments purchased by a medical student could also represent expenditure eligible for the new deduction.

Fares, Travelling Expenses, Board and Lodgings

Under the definition of "expenses of self-education" in section 82JAA(5), a deduction is permitted only for expenses necessarily incurred for fees, books and equipment. Accordingly, fares, travelling expenses, board and quarters are examples of expenditure incurred in connection with a prescribed course of education which cannot satisfy the definition and, therefore, are not allowable.

Overseas Courses

The new concession is available for the cost of fees, books and equipment incurred by a resident taxpayer for a course of study undertaken at an overseas school, college, university or other place of education on the same basis as for a course of study undertaken in Australia.

In terms of section 82A, the deduction is not available to taxpayers who are non-residents of Australia.

Courses for Obtaining Initial Qualifications

Expenses for fees, books and equipment incurred in connection with a course of education undertaken for the purposes of obtaining initial qualifications for use in the carrying on of a profession, business or trade or in the course of any employment are allowable. Also, expenses of the kind mentioned earlier, not deductible under any other provision of the income tax law, related to a course undertaken to obtain further or higher qualifications or skills are allowable.

Courses of Education not Restricted to Gaining Formal Degree

The reference to "qualifications" in the definition of "prescribed course of education" in section 82JAA(5) does not restrict the concession to expenses of self-education associated with the gaining of a formal degree or diploma. For the purposes of the section, the term "qualifications" has the broader meaning of any quality, accomplishment, knowledge or skill for use in the carrying on of a profession, business or trade or in the course of any employment.

Qualifications or Skills in New Sphere

A course of study undertaken at a school, college, university or other place of education for the purpose of gaining qualifications or skills for use in a new or future sphere of activity is eligible for the new concessional deduction.

It is not necessary for the taxpayer to be employed or to be carrying on a business, trade or a profession at the time the course is undertaken or the expenditure is incurred, provided that the course of study is undertaken for the purpose of gaining qualifications or skills for use in a career or employment and not merely for hobby or recreational purposes.
Private Tuition Fees

Private tuition fees incurred by a taxpayer who is not enrolled in a prescribed course of education or that are unrelated to the curriculum of a prescribed course of education, do not qualify for deduction under section 82JAA.

A deduction for fees paid to a private tutor would be allowed where the taxpayer is pursuing a prescribed course of education and the tuition fees are directly related to the curriculum of that course. For example, additional tuition in a particular subject of a prescribed course.

Meaning of Other Place of Education

Generally speaking, the term "other place of education" brings within the scope of the new section the cost of fees, books and equipment, not allowable under other provisions of the income tax law, incurred by a taxpayer in connection with a prescribed course of education provided by teaching hospitals, accountancy institutes or other similar educational organisations. Correspondence courses with educational organisations would also fall within this term. The courses may be on a full-time or part-time basis.

Maximum Deduction

The maximum deduction allowed to a taxpayer under section 82JAA is $400 in any one income year. This limit is, however, reduced by any amount allowed as a deduction under section 82J to any other person in respect of the taxpayer's education.

Where, for example, a parent pays fees of $300 in respect of his son's full-time university course during the 1972-73 income year and the son himself pays $200 in that year for fees, books and equipment associated with the course, the total deduction allowable in respect of those expenses would be $400, apportioned as follows:

$300 to the parent under section 82J; and
$100 to the son under section 82JAA(3).

THE ROYAL SOCIETY - COMMONWEALTH BURSARIES SCHEME

The purpose of this scheme is to provide a scheme whereby scientists of proven ability may increase their competence by working with scientists of a Commonwealth country other than their own.

Application forms and copies of the detailed regulations governing the scheme may be obtained from the Executive Secretary, The Royal Society, 6 Carlton House Terrace, London, SW1Y 5AG, to whom completed forms should be returned to arrive before 15th March each year for proposed visits commencing in July of the same year and later, and before 15th September for proposed visits beginning in January of the following year and later.

Further information may be obtained from Mrs. G. Durham on Ext. 240.

LEARN TO RELAX

The University Counselling Service is offering courses for those students who wish to learn how to relax.

The courses are primarily aimed at helping those students who, in spite of being well prepared for examinations, experience incapacitating anxiety (nausea, vomiting, headaches, "going blank") before or during examinations.

Separate courses are being offered in both second and third terms and will involve the use of relaxation technique to eliminate severe examination anxiety.

To arrange times for attendance, an initial lunch time meeting will be held in the Counselling Service Theatre on Thursday, 20th June at 1 p.m., for those interested in being involved this term.

LEONARDO DA VINCI EXHIBITION

Eighty reproductions of the drawings of Leonardo Da Vinci will be exhibited by the Department of Community Programmes in the Great Hall from 21st to 28th June.

The collection was prepared by Unesco to celebrate the 500th anniversary of Leonardo's birth and as part of its programme for fostering a greater understanding of art. In New South Wales the exhibition is under the control of the Arts Council.
To mark the opening of the exhibition Urisa Prunster, of the Power Institute of Fine Arts, will give a lecture on the Art of Leonardo Da Vinci in the Music Lecture Room of the Great Hall on 21st June at 8 p.m. The exhibition will then be opened. Wine and cheese will be served. Tickets ($2) for the opening may be obtained by writing to, or calling on, the Cashier, Newcastle University, 2308.

UNIVERSITY EVANGELICAL UNION

During a four-day mission from 18th to 21st June, the Christian message will be presented to students by Mr. Geoff Wilson. In the lunch hour (1 - 2 p.m.) meetings will be held:

(a) in the Union Courtyard, on 18th, 20th and 21st;
(b) in the Arts/Drama Theatre, on 19th, a challenging film entitled "Number One".

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Technical Officer Grade 1 Chemical Engineering Position No. N67/74

Applications are invited from adults for the above position. Duties include the preparation of equipment and assisting with departmental class and research work in process engineering. Salary range is $5,284 - $7,086 per annum. Commencing salary will depend upon qualifications and experience.

Applicants must possess a Technical College certificate in Chemistry or Metallurgy or have completed other qualifications deemed by the University to be appropriate and industrial laboratory experience would be advantageous.

Secretary Department of Chemistry Position No. N68/74

Applications are invited for the above position from experienced, competent adult stenographers. The successful applicant would be directly responsible to the Head of the Department. The work of the Department is varied and interesting encompassing a range of duties including considerable contact with staff and students.

Commencing salary will be up to $95.18 per week depending upon qualifications, ability and experience. Annual incremental progression to a maximum salary of $105.56 per week may be available.

Applications close on 18th June, 1974.

Clerk Accountant's Department Position No. N69/74

Applications are invited for the above position. The duties include a variety of cashiering and clerical services and the collection and disbursement of moneys, daily banking, bank reconciliations and maintaining related records. There may be opportunities to gain experience in other duties.

Applicants should have a strong background in this type of work and have made satisfactory progress in an accountancy course. Commencing salary will be at a level between $5,737 and $6,572 per annum.

Applications close on 19th June, 1974.

Temporary/Full-time Technical Officer, Grade 1 Department of Chemical Engineering Position No. N71/74

Applications are invited from adults for the above position. The position is connected with a Research Project on droplet coalescence, and is financed from outside funds and appointment will be for twelve months in the first instance with the possibility of continuation for a further one or two years subject to funds being available.

Duties include the assembly of equipment, the making and recording of photographic and other observations and the calculation of results. Applicants must possess a Technical College Certificate in Chemistry or Metallurgy or have completed other qualifications deemed by the University to be appropriate.

Salary range is $101.34 per week - $135.90 per week and commencing salary will depend upon qualifications and experience.

Applications close on 24th June, 1974.
Clerical Vacancy  Accountant's Department  Position No. N73/74

Applications are invited from persons who have made progress in an accountancy course for a position in the Accountant's Department. The successful applicant would be required to assist with a range of accounts work and relieve in various areas. The position would suit a clerk in the 21 to 30 age group who has had experience in a wide variety of accounting tasks.

Commencing salary would be in the range $3,917 - $6,572 per annum and depend upon qualifications and experience.

Cartographic Draughtsman (Junior)  Department of Geography  Position No. N72/74

Applications are invited for a junior trainee Cartographic Draughtsman. Applicants should be less than 21 years of age and have passed the N.S.W. Higher School Certificate with a pass in Mathematics and preferably Geography to at least second level. The successful applicant will be required to work under the guidance of the Cartographer, and will be encouraged to undertake relevant Technical College studies.

Commencing salary will be within a junior range $2,568 - $4,383 p.a. depending upon age, qualifications and experience.

Applications close on 1st July, 1974.

Application forms may be obtained by telephoning the Personnel Section, Ext. 251.

SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS

Student Administration has further details about these awards and scholarships:

- Senior and post-doctoral research scholarships with Government Departments in New Zealand in 1975. Closing date: 30th September
- Australia/China student exchange scholarships for study of Chinese at the Peking Language Institute from September, 1974. Closing date: 31st July
- Fellowships tenable at the University of London Institute of Education during the 1975/76 academic year.

ADVISEMENTS

HOUSE WANTED: Administrative Officer wants to rent a furnished or unfurnished house with two to three bedrooms in close proximity to the University; 'phone 63 1139.

WANTED TO RENT: A postgraduate student and wife wishes to rent a comfortable house or modern unit in near proximity to the University for approximately $37 per week. A telephone would be desirable. Please ring Jillian Mitchell on 82 6251 between 9 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. weekdays.

FOR SALE: 1967 HR Holden Panel Van, green, 186 motor, good condition, registered till February, 1975; has not been used commercially; 'phone Ext. 401

FOR SALE, Attention Americans!! 240/120V Power transformers, suitable for domestic appliances, one 2 x 1,000 watt, one x 1,000 watt, and one 150 watt unit; must sell; 'phone 48 8160.

FOR SALE: Yamaha folk guitar, $30, 'phone Mrs. Cottingham, 57 5031, or call at 3 South Street, Adamstown.

HOUSE FOR RENT: Available September, 1974. Norton House, in Bishopstone village near the coast south of London in Sussex, between Brighton and Seaford, is for rent for a period of six to 21 months. The house is a completely self-contained, well-furnished, and well-heated dwelling. Ground floor: Walled garden, own entrance, hallway and storage area.
1st Floor: Modern electric kitchen (refrigerator, etc.) with breakfast-nook seating 6; sitting room with fireplace and large bay-window suitable for dining alcove; master bedroom; bedroom-study or dining room; bathroom with shower; wide balcony overlooking garden with fine view of the Downs.

2nd Floor: Three bedrooms, bathroom with tub, drying cupboard.

The house has recently been modernized, with complete re-wiring, and installation of electric water heating and electric off-peak-storage "central" heating. The house is ready for "suit-case move-in". The nearest shopping centre is Seaford, three miles away, where there are banks, schools, automatic laundries, hairdressers, and a complete range of shops from wine-merchants to Woolworths. Children are welcome, but no pets.

Terms: $290 (U.S.) monthly), October through May; $350 monthly for June, July, August and September.

Write to: S. Stratford-Lawrence, 457 17th Street, Santa Monica, California, 90402

SPORTING NEWS

Athletics

University athlete, Glyn Cox, put up another outstanding effort by ploughing through the mud and water at Gosford Racecourse and finishing eighth in the State 10,000-metre Championship. Glyn is right up amongst the top distance runners in the State and is still improving.

A General Meeting of the Club has been called for Thursday, 27th June, in the Union Meeting Room at 6 p.m. Any interested athlete is invited to attend. Mr. Ray Durie, Honorary Secretary of the Newcastle and Central Coast Branch and Manager of the Australian Track and Field Team to the Commonwealth Games in Christchurch, will be present to answer any queries and offer advice.

Bowls

A Gala Bowls Day has been organised for Friday, 13th September, at the Commonwealth Steel Recreation and Sporting Club in Maud Street, Waratah. Staff members and students are invited. For further information please contact Stan Barwick on Ext. 520, or Tom Tobin on Ext. 664.

Golf

The Staff v. Students Golf Match will be played at Newcastle Golf Club on Sunday, 30th June. Any player interested should contact Stan Barwick on Ext. 520. Students, particularly, are required in numbers.

Swimming

The University Swimming Club meets at the Lazarus Indoor Pool, 3 Jenner Parade, The Junction, each Tuesday morning from 8.15 to 9.15 p.m. The cost is only 30 cents per person. Coaching and learn-to-swim instruction is available. Students and staff are welcome. For further information contact Geoff Cowper-Hill on Ext. 542 or Don Robertson on Ext. 732.

Sailing

Negotiations are proceeding with the objective of affiliating University Sailing Club with the Pat Hunter Sailing Club and acquiring land for the building of a boat house at Stockton.

THE CAUSAL THEORY OF MIND

Philosophy Club invites members of staff and students to a paper by Professor David Armstrong, Professor of Philosophy at the University of Sydney, on "The Causal Theory of the Mind". TIME: Wednesday, 26th June, 5 p.m. PLACE: Council Room (top floor of Arts Building).

Professor Armstrong is a world famous authority in the area of philosophy of mind and author of several books, including The Materialist Theory of Mind. His paper will be of a relatively popular nature and will be followed by discussion, accompanied by wine and cheese.