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Puzzled Leaders



PUZZLED IS probably the best adjective describing the looks on the faces of these Junior-Senior ball heads. Their problem is two-fold, that of meeting a war-time ball budget and yet getting up a prom that will appeal to the students. They have already once changed the date from May 8 to May 15 because of band difficulties. The latter date is now definite, but that's about the only sure thing. In the picture from left to right are Norbert Lange, assistant junior ball manager; Alice Larson, junior ball manager, and Bohn Lindemann, senior manager.

Spinsters'll Pick Their Dream Man At Skip Tonight

NDAC women will be on the proving grounds tonight! Ten "attempts" at Model Men will vie for the honor of being called such. And it's up to the gals at the Spinster skip to come through with the winner!

According to the best of authorities, voting will be strictly on the up-and-up. No political wire pulling, no stuffed ballot boxes, no nothing.

Out to take the prize of \$5.00 in merchandise from Siegel's are T. J. Nelson, Sigma Chi; Elmer Anderson, Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Cliff Nygard, Kappa Sigma Chi; Harvey Millang, Sigma Phi Delta; Orville Kvamme, Alpha Tau Omega; Norbert Lange, Co-op house; Vince Carvell, Kappa Psi; Leyden Finney, Alpha Gamma Rho; John Sanders, Theta Chi and Bob Wells, Mens' dorm.

20 Represent AC At State YM-YW Meeting In Valley

Representing the NDAC at the state YM-YW conference held at Valley City State Teachers college Thursday through Sunday of this week are 16 students, 3 faculty members and Richard Sweitzer, Y secretary.

Sweitzer left Thursday afternoon and was accompanied by Dr. W. C. Hunter and Ellsworth Moe. Annabelle Donovan, YW president, and Bernice Wichmann, Marion Nelson, Doris Bjorklund and Lucille McMahon left this morning.

Also making the trip are Clark Heggeness, Lois Jean Hefti, Bob Rowe, Harry Graves, Wayne Rowe and G. N. Lawritson.

A 15-week course in aircraft drafting, to provide intensive training to engineers, draftsmen, shop executives and others, is being offered at Wayne university.

... Reminder ...

According to the rules and regulations under which the Student Social committee operates, picnics are classified as parties. (See page 15, Handbook of General Information). It is necessary for any group sponsoring a picnic to go through the same procedure as for a party. Picnics also count as parties under the ruling of the number of parties permitted per quarter or per year.

If those groups sponsoring picnics will please keep the above mentioned facts in mind it will aid in maintaining cordial relations between student groups and the Student Social committee.

Chairman,
Student Social Committee

NOTICE

All groups entering contestants for the Model Man award at the Spinster skip tonight should introduce their candidates with a skit or other entertainment.

May Festival Will Attract High School Students To NDAC Campus May 12

Margin Of 24-10 Places Jones In Board Position

By a vote of 24 to 10, Kenny Jones, junior in arts and science, defeated Don Ness for the position of junior member of the Board of Publications Control in re-balloting Tuesday. The vote was called to break the tie which developed in class elections of last week.

Faculty Men Plan To Gorge On Monday

Members of NDAC's Faculty Men's club will enjoy their second annual All-College Food Feast Monday evening in the Lincoln Log Cabin.

All food served will have been produced, processed and prepared at the college. Food will be the main attraction and there will be no speeches to mar the informality of the affair, committeemen in charge promise.

A. G. Arvold will assume the role of host, while Dr. Frank L. Eversull becomes headwaiter assisted by the deans of the various schools.

Rudolf Otterson, president of the club, is general chairman. Other officers of the club in charge of ticket sales are Glenn Hill, R. E. Burris and G. L. Seaman.

Dr. Ralph E. Dunbar is chairman of the gastronomic committee. His helpers are Chris Jensen, Albert Severson and Ole Grotodden.

Tryota Names Doris Marie Larson As Prexy

Elected at a buffet supper Wednesday, new officers of Tryota, home economics group, are Doris Marie Larson, president; Blanche Carlson, vice president; Mary Jane Pavlik, secretary, and Marie Fog, treasurer.

The Tryota scholarship was presented to Esther Sorenson.

College In Action Theme For 35th Annual Session

Highlight of many North Dakota high school students school year is the May festival staged annually at NDAC. Under the direction of A. G. Arvold the 35th session will get under way May 1 and 2. Following the theme of "The College in Action", displays and demonstrations will be given by each division of the college.

A special performance of the operetta "Sweethearts" will be given by the all-college cast Thursday evening, April 30. Out of town guests and Fargo high school students will be admitted.

HOME ECONOMISTS SPEAK

Guidance for high school senior girls and national defense will be the two-fold theme carried out by the home economics department. Scheduled for Friday, a series of talks will be given by women in different fields of home economics followed by a discussion period. There also will be demonstrations by the college clothing department of wartime wardrobes and nutritional needs for defense.

Concluding the day will be a talk by Dean Alba Bales, a food demonstration, a style show and an art exhibit.

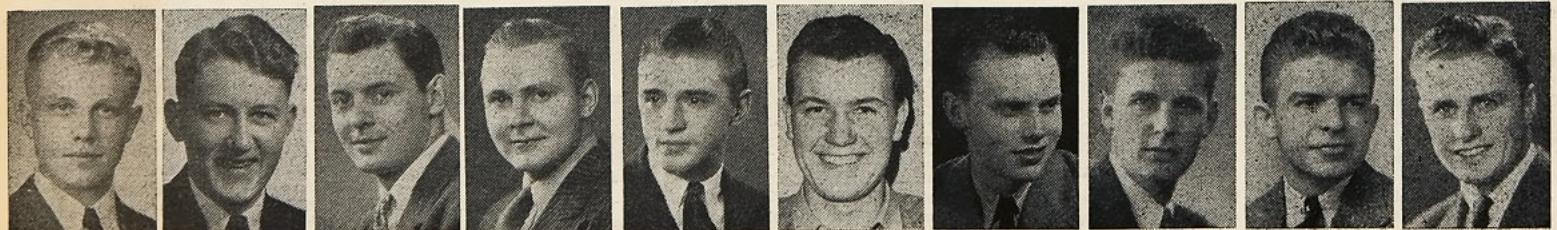
Movies, skits and talks will carry out the theme for Saturday—"My Health and My Country". The program will close with a party for all girls.

SPEECH EVENTS SCHEDULED

Highlighting the Friday morning program are extemporaneous speech, oratorical and radio drama contests. All College day exercises, sponsored by the student commission, will follow. Students with literary ability will again compete in the afternoon in declamation, story telling and one act play contests starting at 1 p. m.

Friday evening at 7 p. m. the one act plays will be presented, after which all Festival guests are invited to attend the twenty-fifth annual cadet review in the stadium at 8 p. m. An opportunity for everyone to get acquainted will be given in the all college family party at 9 p. m. in the Physical Education building.

Final climax to the Festival will be a campus frolic set for 4 o'clock Saturday.



Bob Wells
Men's Dorm

Norbert Lange
Co-op House

Leyden Finney
Alpha Gamma Rho

Harvey Millang
Sigma Phi Delta

Vincent Carvell
Kappa Psi

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● RUMORS

Rumor has it that many of the old guard of the faculty are seriously distressed by the use to which our beautiful elms, lining our campus walks, are being put today. It seems that those who have watched the mighty trees grow from innocent seedlings to the pillars of vegetation that they are today tear their hair at the thought of gaudy and useless signs and posters being placed upon the sturdy trunks of the venerable trees.

Some say the very unsightly aspect of the idea should be sufficient reason for stringent regulations regarding the posting; some say that the nails and tacks will bring the trees to a slow and miserable end. And some say that it is all a good joke, which perhaps it is, for we must admit that the signs and posters certainly brighten up that dismal rush to our eight o'clocks.

However, in response to the laments of our elders about the worthy trees, another rumor has floated our way that a movement is under foot to establish some type of sign boards or poster holders to relieve the problem. One can hardly say that it is not an extremely fine idea, but whatever the outcome may be, let us hope that there are none so narrow as to wish the abolition of the type of publicity which is now adorning our trees.

Elmer Anderson Installed As Head Of Scabbard, Blade

New officers of M company, Third regiment of Scabbard and Blade were installed Tuesday. They are Elmer Anderson, captain; Paul Berge, first lieutenant; Bernard Bennison, second lieutenant, and Kenneth McLarty, first sergeant.

Recently initiated into the organization were Anderson, Bennison, Berge, Richard Fernbaugh, Jim Ford, Don Gabe, Roy Humphreys, Leonard King, McLarty, Carl Sebens, Clinton Taylor, Dale Wretlind and Bob Lorenzen.

Deadbeat Street

There was a young lady named Hooper,
Who whooped through life as a scooper;
She got into a fuss
With a geezer named Gus,
And her scoop was a Whooper, a Dooper!

Model men come and they go—
Experience tells us it's so.

But the one called T. J.
Is destined to stay
He's model, he's manly, and oh!

Home is a word that means Hasty
Where students their periods wastey—
Where Myrt, in distress,
Will her anger express
In language delightful and tasty.

Good-bye to the seniors who lead us.
Good-bye to the stuff that they feed us.

With a tear in our eye
We must say good-bye
To Sweeney, the guy who will need us.

The prevalent pastime this season
Is picnicking out of all reason.
But does Vangie know
A dozen or so
When added together is TREASON!

The kid that has humor and height
Can get dates almost any old night.
Williams, the Jack,
Has no obvious lack,
Get a date with a gate—well, he might.

We're sorry, but nobody knows
Which way the wedding wind blows.
Ask Dorothy or Buck
You won't have any luck
It's a secret as any fool can plainly see
. . . . who is on his toes

Watch The Things Go By
Bye, Bye, Money Blues

By Jim Ford

MORTGAGE BURNING

Mortgage burning seems to be a popular sport of late.

For weeks the men of Sigma Chi have been planning to be the first on the campus to see the precious little piece of paper representing the last of the debt on their chapter house go up in smoke. Finally the big event was set for Monday. Later in the week it was found that the Kappa Sigma Chis also were planning a hot foot for their creditors, but their banquet was on Saturday, two days earlier. Oh, the irony of it all!

Anyway, the heartiest congratulations go out from this column to both groups. In their fine financial shape both will be well able to weather the crisis now facing the fraternity system.

THE ORIENTAL INFLUENCE

Chinese garb has been in vogue during the past week due to the Little Country theater's splendid production of the Chinese fantasy, the Yellow Jacket.

Most embarrassing situation arising from the foreign costumes happened to Dick Olson, who besides being a college student is Fargo Forum photographer. Dick went to the ball park to snap pictures of several boys of an athletic nature. They took one look at the fingers on the cameraman and in a body chorused, "What's that on your fingernails?"

Dick glanced at his hands and blushed, for there on his fingernails was the bright red of a Chinese polish. He passed the situation off with a glancing remark that it was part of a gag.

ON LUNCHEONS

Fraternity men are not pansies. It would be nice if members of Panhellenic would understand this. At a joint Interfraternity council-Panhellenic luncheon on Tuesday the representatives of the various campus fraternity

houses, who really are all hard-working robust young men, were greeted with plates containing two apricots, half a pear, four strawberries, a slice of pineapple, three orange slices, three banana slices, three green olives, one ripe olive and the usual parsley and lettuce.

Needless to say, the Hasty did a rush hamburger business Tuesday afternoon.

TURTLE-HUNTING

Note to members of organized groups: It is time to begin your annual hunt for speedy turtles. The reptiles will be in great demand about May 13 which is tentatively set as All-College day. Again Gamma Tau Sigma, journalism group, will sponsor its annual Turtle derby. Willie Boehrs is in charge this year. Members of the group are proud to announce that the traveling trophy which has been among the missing for several years was finally located Thursday in the Kappa rooms.

Collegian Gives New Viewpoint On Male Sex

Men are what women marry. They have two feet, two hands, and sometimes two wives, but never more than one dollar and one idea at a time. Men are all made of the same material but may be divided into three classes: 1. husbands, 2. bachelors, 3. widowers.

Husbands are of three varieties: 1. prizes, 2. surprises, 3. consolation prizes. Making a husband out of a man is one of the highest plastic arts known to civilization. It requires science, sculpture, common sense, faith, hope and charity.

It is a psychological miracle that a soft, fluffy, tender, gardenia-scented, sweet little thing of a woman should enjoy kissing a big, awkward, stubble-chinned, tobacco-scented thing like a man.

A man is hard to understand. If you flatter a man, you frighten him to death; if you don't, you bore him to death.

If you permit him to make love to you, he gets tired of you in the end; if you don't, he gets tired of you in the beginning.

If you believe all he tells you, then he thinks you are foolish; and if you don't, he thinks you are a cynic.

If you are the clinging-vine type, he doubts whether you have any brains; and if you are the modern, advanced, intelligent type, he doubts if you have a heart.

If you are silly, he longs for a bright mate; and if you are intelligent, he longs for a playmate.

If you wear gay colors, rouge, nail polish and startling hats, he hesitates to take you out. If you wear tailored suits and dull hats, he takes you out and stares at a woman in gay colors, rouge, nail polish and wearing a startling hat.

In conclusion, may I say that a man is just a worm in the dust. He comes along, wriggles about awhile, and finally some chicken grabs him up.

Seventy-two per cent of the students in the University of California college of dentistry work while they are in school.

Names Of Students In Service Wanted

Anybody who knows of former NDAC students who have entered the armed forces before graduating are requested to see Helen Stokke in the Alumni office at their earliest convenience. A directory is being compiled which will be free for students to consult for correspondence purposes and obtainable for the sending of college publications.

Tonight We Love Concert Feature

The next to the last of NDAC's series of Concerts on Records is Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the Lounge of Old Main.

Featured will be Tschaiowsky's Concert in B Flat, currently heard in a popular interpretation as Tonight We Love. A Spanish note will be added by DeFalla's Nights in Gardens of Spain.

EVERSULL HANGS PIN

Dr. Frank L. Eversull became a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity at initiation exercises a week ago Sunday, and immediately upon receiving his badge he hung it on his sweetheart, Mrs. Eversull.

Saddle, Sirloin Guys To Sling Jamboree In Casey's Hayloft

Casey Finnegan's barn is again to be the scene of Saddle and Sirloin's annual barn dance next Friday. Fellows, let's grab a queen and hustle over to hear Doc Lawson and his 12-piece band swing out with the latest jive hits.

No, the suit won't have to be pressed—just dig out a pair of overalls—the more patches the better. There will be a prize for the couple who have the most typical barn dance costumes, so tell the lady friend to scout around for a gingham dress.

BARN DANCE QUEENS

A trophy will be awarded the barn dance queen who will be chosen by popular vote at the door from the representatives which the sororities have chosen. The candidates are Marjorie Peterson, Alpha Gamma Delta; Marjorie Akre, Gamma Phi Beta; Phyllis English, Kappa Delta; Gail Putz, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Jean McQuade, Phi Mu, and Jackie Jongeward of Phi Omega Pi.

The committees working with Ernest Deutsch, general manager are: ticket sales manager, James Noonan; floor managers, Orville

Stanley, Don Ouradnik and Warren Huebschwerlen; lights, Royal Berstler and James Gallagher; amplifying system, Harvey Coon and David Haibeck, and publicity, Lloyd Best, Don Sweeney and George Ruud.

PLENTY OF HAY

The music will begin at 9:30 and the dancing as soon as the hay and corn fodder is trampled down enough to permit moving around. We must warn you to be on the lookout because those saddles and harnesses are always falling off the rafters. Just imagine one of those AC wolves with a harness around his neck. I would give you odds that it still wouldn't cramp his style.

Get your dates early—avoid being embarrassed by finding your best girl at the Barn Dance with your neighbor.

We'll see you over in the gym the evening of May 1, from 9:30 until 1:00, and it will be your own fault if you don't have a good time.

Music library at the University of Wisconsin contains more than 2,500 volumes of a historical, biographical, critical or scientific nature, as well as several hundred miniature scores.

Crystal Ballroom - Dance Tomorrow Night, Sat., April 25

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Pi Gamma Mu Names Five

New member of Pi Gamma Mu, honorary social science fraternity, are:

Carsten Hellebust
Jean Hoeft
Mildred Ann Ferch
Don Landeck
Charles Meyers

Plans are being made to initiate the new members and to enlarge the group later on.

Pi Gamma Mu is working in conjunction with Phi Kappa Phi to provide materials for the Key Center of Information in Festival hall.

Ceres Residents Plan Party Saturday

With music furnished by the Edgeley orchestra, Ceres hall girls and guests will dance at Festival hall Saturday night. This party is the second in their series of annual spring parties.

Expenses for the party will be held down by taking furniture and all other decorations needed from Ceres hall. All the girls will take part in decorating.

Chaperones for the party are Lt.-Col. and Mrs. R. L. Kiker and Mr. and Mrs. Richard White.

Committee chairmen for the party include Eileen Dolve, Carolyn Thompson, Lois Jane Schumacher and Luella Heine, decorations; Elaine Tvete, arrangements; Genevieve Hamilton and Jeanne Paul, programs; Dorothy Pearson, chaperones; Audrey Jacobsen and Evelyn Schuman, refreshments.

NOTICE

All members of LSA are requested to meet in the college Y Sunday at 5 p. m. Transportation will be furnished for a picnic in Oak Grove.

Blanche Carlson Elected President Of College 4-H

At the regular meeting of the NDAC 4-H club on April 16, Blanche Carlson was elected president for the coming year.

Other officers are vice president, Del Colwell; secretary, Esther Sorensen; publicity, Jean Peschell; parliamentarian, Bill Griebstein; treasurer, Ila Jahnke; and social chairman, Grace Vogel.

These officers take office immediately to plan work for next year.

The annual spring 4-H picnic will be held this Friday at Oak Grove for all the members. In charge are Grace Vogel, general chairman; Orville Stanley, chaperones; publicity, Jean Petchell and Phyllis Jacobson; Belvedere Olson, Florence Halbett, Jimmy Coe and Kenny Abbey, refreshments; and Del Colwell and Rita Kessler, entertainment.

Chaperones are Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Dunbar and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rilling. Special guests are members of the NDAC extension office and Jean Hatt and E. A. Calhoun, Cass county agents.

LOST

In the Dugout a small gold cross and chain with a diamond inset. Grace Vogel.

The castor bean may become a major United States crop from which will flow oil needed to replace imports cut off by the Pacific war, says Dr. W. L. Burlison of the University of Illinois.

Mortgage Burning Feature Kappa Sigma Chi Dinner

The highlight of the Kappa Sigma Chi Founders day banquet set for Saturday night at the Bison hotel will be a mortgage burning ceremony. They have completely paid the debt on their house and the adjacent lot.

R. A. Trubey of the Board of Higher Education will be the main speaker of the evening. George Strum, state 4H club agent, is the toastmaster.

Guests at the banquet will be Pres. Frank L. Eversull, Dean C. A. Severson, Gerry Seaman, S. W. Smith, who was the dean of men when Kappa Sigma Chi was first organized.

Conducting the mortgage burning ceremony will be Bob Adams, first president of the chapter, and Clarence Becker, recently elected president of the chapter.

Roland Currie is in general charge of the banquet.

Burnice Vollrath New Kappa Epsilon Head

New president of Kappa Epsilon, women's pharmaceutical fraternity, is Burnice Vollrath. Other officers are Norma Vasenden, vice president; Ruth Bauer, secretary, and Ruth Moll, treasurer. Miss Vasenden was also named representative of the group on the Women's Senate.

An athletic field at the College of St. Scholastica, Duluth, Minn., covers one-third of the 160-acre campus.

Social Notes Of The Week

By RACHAEL ELZNIC

WEEKEND SOCIAL WHIRLS

Coinciding in the social world this weekend are the Spinster skip and the Phi Mu spring party, both Friday night. The Phi Mu party will be held at the Moorhead Country club, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Seaman and Sgt. and Mrs. L. L. Detroit. Music will be furnished by a nickelodeon and a midnight supper will be served. In general charge are Phyllis Carlson and Marlys Braaten.

OUTSTANDING MEN

At the annual Sigma Phi Delt founder's day banquet awards were presented to Orville Holman, outstanding senior, and to Harold Young, outstanding pledge.

NEWMAN CLUB INSTALLS

At a regular meeting of the Newman club to be held Sunday at 7 p. m., new officers will be installed. They are president, Mary Jane Walker; vice president, Tom Wellems; treasurer, Norbert Kuzel; secretary, Mary Rose Vogel; publicity, Audrey Cadieux, and editor of news, Marjorie Challoner.

SENIORS HONORED

Phi Mus are honoring their graduating members at a senior breakfast in the Powers Sunday morning at 9:30. Afterward the entire chapter will attend church at the Plymouth Congregational

church. Committee chairmen are Lucille Grenier, general chairman; Elaine Tvete, programs; and Joan Cumber, arrangements.

NEW INITIATES

Phi Mu's will hold initiation Sunday in the chapter house for Merry Buchanan and Shirley Rodewald. Jean Eboltoff will conduct services with Marlys Braaten in charge of arrangements.

New pledges have recently been added to three fraternities Billy Bolmier, Neil Berquist, Don Sorlie and Clayton Melby, SAE; Louis Blazek and Selmer Melhouse, Theta Chi; Harold Erickson, Sigma Phi Delt.

DANCING AND PLAYING

A regular meeting of the Independent Students association will be held next Monday in the college Y. Dancing will be from 7 to 8, and after 8 folk games will be played.

BITS OF INTEREST

Sunday morning the Kappa chapter will attend the Presbyterian church.

The SAEs were entertained by the KD's last Tuesday from 6:30 to 8 in the college Y.

Bud Chase, Ed Rolle and Hubert Sweeney left Thursday for Madison, Wis., where they will attend the province convention of SAE.

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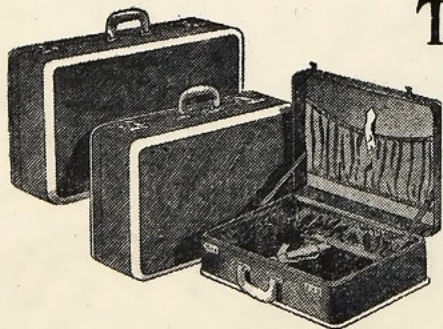
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City Business Firms Aid In Production

"Fargo business men have wholeheartedly cooperated with us in trying to make this Brevities show the best ever," stated Don Landeck in commenting on the business staff of the Brevities. Landeck, veteran in college and professional theatrical circles, is the producer of the modern adaptation of Victor Herbert's light opera, Sweethearts. Assisting him are Geraldine Clarey, advertising manager, and Al Sandmark, ticket sales campaign head.

Sweethearts has received widespread publicity. Thoughts of curtailing the publicity budget were entirely dismissed. Everything possible was and is being done to let the public know about the production.

Several thousand handbills will be spread throughout the city to supplement the placards now carried by the city buses. In addition all theaters are carrying trailers in connection with their regular advertising.

WDAY carried a program similar to the Pot-of-Gold feature Thursday evening which further publicized the show. Phone calls were made during the broadcast and each completed call carried with it two complimentary tickets if the person called could repeat the show's tag-line.

Signs on the campus, in front of the Black building and Herbs department store complete the publicity campaign.

NOTICE

Attention Bison Brevities ticket sales representatives. See Don Landeck in Brevities office before 4 p. m. today. It is important that each group participating in campaign send in their representative.

PRIZE BONER

On last night's Bison Brevities broadcast Norbert Lange pulled a prize boner that will be long remembered by this year's cast. It seems that Norbert chose one Mrs. J. M. Wilson as his prospective guest at the opening performance.

Upon finding Mrs. Wilson at home, Norbert asked, "Are you home tonight—with your husband?"—She was.

Norbert Lange, Shirley Putz Take Title Roles In Victor Herbert's Immortal Operetta

Supporting Leads Taken By Sanders, Lindemann

George Truesdell Provides Humor In Typical Role

Singing the title roles of Victor Herbert's operetta, Sweethearts, Shirley Putz and Norbert Lange lead an impressive cast of 125 students Tuesday and Wednesday in Festival hall.

Miss Putz as Sylvia sings the songs that made Herbert a great artist. Her voice won acclaim for her at the music convention held in Los Angeles last year where she was given a special award by Lily Pons, famous Metropolitan star.

Miss Putz is a member of the NDAC mixed chorus and a year ago had a weekly program over KVOX.

LANGE ROMANTIC

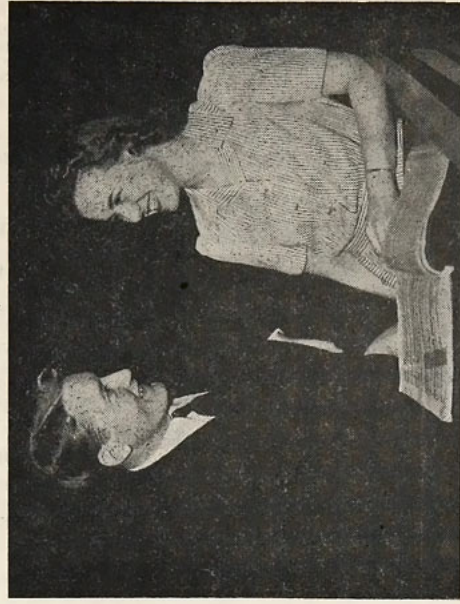
Norbert Lange as the romantic prince, Franz, makes his debut as a singing star. He has had considerable experience in LCT plays, working in such productions as Family Portrait, You Can't Take It With You and Emma. This experience combined with two years work in the Glee club and mixed chorus make him an ideal choice for the masculine lead.

Genevieve Lindemann and John Sanders are rivals for the love of Franz and Sylvia in the roles of Liane and Lieutenant Karl.

Miss Lindemann has been a member of the mixed chorus for two years and has sung in two previous Brevities choruses. She was in the LCT production, Yellow Jacket, and has done considerable solo work in outside singing engagements.

SANDERS VALUABLE

John Sanders, like the other leads, is a member of the mixed chorus.



St. Paul Version Of 'Sweethearts' Seen By AC Cast

Taking in the St. Paul Civic Opera association's production of Sweethearts was the opportunity of 12 members of the AC cast. The group made the trip last Friday and saw the performance given that night.

Playing each time to a house of 20,000, the St. Paul company gave four performances. Each was superbly done and well received by enthusiastic audiences. The production was of particular interest to the Fargo students because with the exception of the male lead the cast used there was one of amateurs taken from the St. Paul and Minneapolis schools.

METROPOLITAN STAR

Walter Cassel, Metropolitan opera tenor star, played Franz, the male lead. Playing opposite him was Audrey Shorbund, a St.

Van Vlissingen Directs Show

Day and night rehearsals for Sweethearts have progressed continuously for the past four weeks under the able direction of Ernst Van Vlissingen. Eighty students have been coached for the presentation.

Presenting the beautiful musical background of Victor Herbert's compositions will be a 24-piece orchestra. Some of the well-known songs used are Sweethearts, The Angelus, On Parade, Pretty as a Picture, The Cricket on the Hearth, and There's a



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Colorful Costumes Give 'Sweethearts' Touch Of Realism

Combining modern designs with the quaint costumes of peasant Zilanzians, Beth Ann Piers brings to the show a beautiful touch of realism.

The brightly colored dresses add a glamorous note to the enchanting songs. Her clever blending of red and blues, yellows and green in the chorus peasant scenes form an attractive background for the rich gowns worn by the leads.

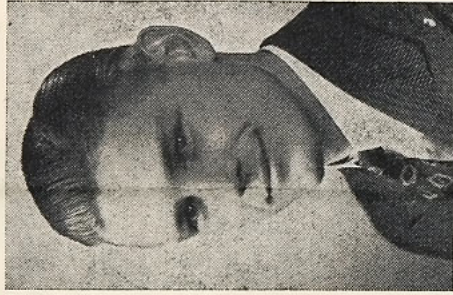
Particularly effective are the gowns worn by the monks. The men alternate between soldier and peasant garb.

Much effort and time has been spent on the wardrobe of the leads and Miss Piers and her assistants deserve a note of praise for their work. Grace Getman, Lorraine Westlund, Blanche McDonald worked under Beth Ann Piers as the costume staff.

Floral intricacies give the show authenticity and give a colorful touch to the stage sets. They were fashioned by Merry Buchanan.

SAE Leads In Sales Contest

"Leading the Brevities ticket sales contest at 7 p. m. Thursday were the SAEs," said Al Sanders, ticket sales manager. "However, the contest is really a close one—no group leads another by more than ten dollars."



SANDSMARK

Running second, six dollars behind the SAEs was Ceres hall. In third place, nine dollars behind Ceres hall were the POPS.

Organizations were rated according to the amount of money turned in at the Brevities office and was not influenced by the number of tickets checked out. Approximately half of the total number of tickets issued have been sold.

Sandsmark announces that the contest closing date may be changed from 7 tonight to 4 p. m. Monday to allow individuals to more thoroughly canvass the downtown business section and to secure collections. Ticket sales representatives are requested to see Sandsmark at 4 this afternoon in the Brevities office concerning this change.

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Robert Sanders directed Tangereine a musical comedy sponsored by Blue Key in 1938.

Another musical comedy was produced in 1939. This Brevities was directed by Marge Pfeffer. Roy Pederson wrote an original play for the 1940 Brevities, entitled The Blue Key Turns. Margaret Calhoun was the director.

Too Many Girls, a famous Broadway and movie play, was given in 1941. Lorraine Fitjar directed the show.

'Sweethearts' 13th Brevities Staged By Blue Key

Sweethearts is the thirteenth Brevities that Blue Key has sponsored at NDAC. Not in the least superstitious, Blue Key is presenting a show that they think will equal or surpass any other production they have sponsored.

UND plans to send down members of their local chapter of Blue Key, Don Landeck, business manager, says he expects about 16 to attend the production.

Way back in 1929 the Blue Key decided to put on an all-college show. At that time it was known as the Gay Cat Day. Under M. Foss Narum a variety of acts was presented to the college.

The following year Homer B. Huntoon suggested that the annual show be called the Bison Brevities. He directed the Brevities for the next three years presenting Ebony Blott in 1930, and in 1931 and '32 he directed two variety shows.

In 1933 James Konen directed a Brevities revue. Good News was the first play given by Blue Key and was directed by Frank Sanders.

In 1936 the Brevities again was in the form of a revue of singing and dancing numbers with John Hamlet the general director. The famous Broadway play No, Nanette was put on under the direction of Hugh Anstett. This was the Brevity show of 1937.

'Biggest Sets Ever Used In Brevities,' Snyder Says

"Biggest sets ever used in any Brevities show" is the way to describe the scenery used in Sweethearts.

Bill Snyder designed the sets and supervised the construction. Bill is really a veteran in show business having worked on four Brevities and many of the LCT productions. He has worked on almost all of the stage shows which have come to Fargo in the past few years.

To further his education, Bill went to Hollywood where he worked in a technical laboratory.

Bill is an ROTC graduate and subject to service as an officer upon graduation.

Bob Rose is the stage manager and assisting him and Bill as the stage crew are Wayne Candor, Arnold Rooks, Wesley Henderson, Jerry Morrow and Maynard Schneider.

In reconstructing scenes from the mythical little kingdom of Zilanzia, Bill has shown imagination. This is the first year he has done the designing alone; in previous Brevities, he assisted Mason Arvold. Period scenery is always difficult to reproduce on the limited budget which can be allotted by a college production and Bill and his staff deserve a vote of praise for the long hours of work they have put in to make your visit to the kingdom of Zilanzia a pleasant one.



Paul school girl. Both roles were exceptionally well done throughout the entire performance.

Two Chicago Opera company members were imported to direct the show—Phillip Fein, who was producer and director, and Leo Kopp, musical director and conductor. Orchestral background was conspicuous because of its magnificent overtures and flawless accompaniments. However, in contrast to the Brevities orchestra personnel, the St. Paul instrumentalists were professionals.

PERIOD COSTUMES

Staging and costumes of the St. Paul show was done in Period motif, in contrast to the modern version used by the Brevities, and was not nearly as elaborate as the AC show.

Upon his return from the cities, Ernst vanVlissingen remarked, "Many of the cast in our show surpass those in the St. Paul production. The show there was really excellent, but I feel confident that our students are capable of producing just as fine if not a lot better show."

EXPERIENCE HELPS

When the cast returned, they felt that the experience would help a great deal in interpretations in smoothing out rough edges and giving more unity.

Included in the party that made the trip were vanVlissingen, Shirley Putz, Norbert Lange, Charles Dills, Bud Weiser, De-lore's Heather, Rosalie Larson, John Sanders, Jeanne Paul, Billie Anderson, Genevieve Lindemann and George Truesdell.



VAN VLISSINGEN

Magic in Your Smile. Van Vlissingen has directed all of the dialogue, music and orchestra.

In the sections of the orchestra are: violins—Annabelle Donovan, Leo Halloran, Maurine Steiner, Donna Steiner and June Doerr; viola—Pat Bjorklund; cellos—Dorothy Jensen, Marguerite Steiner, and Esther Van Vlissingen; flute—Wendell Pile; oboe—Jean Gouche; bassoon—Mark Sayer; French horns—R. L. White and Robert Murphy; clarinets—Lorraine Overmoe and Ray Fritzi; trumpets—Ralph Olson and Ralph Steinhuis; trombones—Richard Johnson and Charles Lambrecht; drums—Donald Ness; and tympani—Betty Loomis.

Men in the chorus are Kenny Jones, Leonard King, Ed Lokken, Pat Regan, Art Waien, Vic Beckley, Homer Goebel, Joe Larson, Vernon Asheim, Ed Peterson, John Finnie, Clayton Melby, Rol- lo Garberg, Arnold Stoutland, Charles Page, Charles Mutchelknaus, Glenn Rosendahl and Howard Mansager.

Girls include Beatrice Brandes, Georgianna Findahl, Betty Gage, Doris Good, June Heisler, Dorothy Hubbell, Marjorie Holland, Esther Lauritzen, Verna Lowe,

voice training and campus activities, John makes a valuable addition to the cast.

Jeanne Paul's experience in LCT makes her an ideal partner for George Truesdell in one of the supporting lead roles. Miss Paul is a newcomer to the Brevities. As Dame Paula she has only a speaking part and was selected on the recommendation of Jack Knapp.

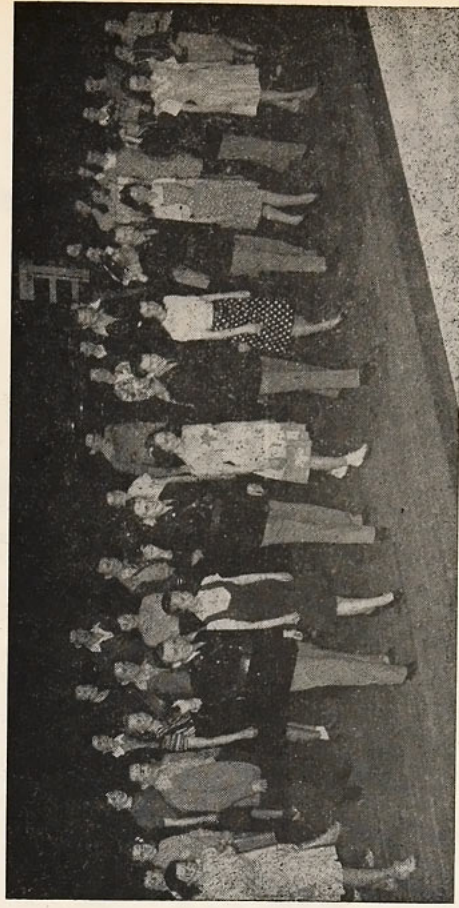
Completely at home in a comedy role, George Truesdell provides humorous element for the show. Those who saw his performance in Out Of The Frying Pan know his well developed sense of timing so necessary for a comic role. Those who missed that show will find a new star so adept in comedy as to rate comparison with some of the ranking comedians.

THE PLOT

A bit of the plot: the story concerns itself with the adventures and loves of four people. One, Sylvia, is a long lost princess, who though betrothed to Karl falls in love with the heir presumptive, Franz. Liane, however, is in love with Karl. In spite of many schemes—but, shucks—since love is what it is, you'd better come and see what happens!

Irene Murphy, Gayle McDowell, Ella Mae Reynolds, Doris Selvig, Norma Severson, Mary Thompson, Rita Whelan, Mary M. Vail, Sybil Pull, Beverly Nelson, Lois Anderson, June Persinger, Florence Haibett, Dorothy Myhra, LaRayne Thompson, Gloria Thompson and Genevieve Raister.

Brevities Singing Chorus



SWEETHEARTS WILL FEATURE the nationally known NDAC mixed chorus singing the colorful songs of Victor Herbert. The chorus was recently complimented by Fred Waring's representative, Jack Best, who was in Fargo in connection with the Fred Waring contest which the chorus has entered. Consisting of 44 voices, the chorus has appeared this year in several engagements previous to the Brevities.

Three Fraternity Clubs Pace Softball Bracket After Opening Contests

SOFTBALL STANDINGS

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Alpha Tau Omega	1	0	1.000
Kappa Sigma Chi	1	0	1.000
Sigma Chi	1	0	1.000
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	1	1	.500
YMCA	0	1	.000
Kappa Psi	0	2	.000

Kappa Sigma Chi, Alpha Tau Omega and Sigma Chi fraternities lead bracket A of the NDAC intramural softball league after the first week of competition. **SIGS BEAT YMCA, 20-18**

Alpha Tau Omega pounded out a 24-18 win over the SAEs and the Kappa Sigs trounced the Kappa Psis, 19-4, in opening games Monday night. The Sigs moved into a tie for the division lead Wednesday night with a 20-18 triumph over the YMCA ten.

The SAE aggregation acquired one win, lost one, rating Wednesday with a 21-20 squeeze past the Kappa Psi team. It was the second defeat for the pharmacists.

KSCs HELD TO THREE HITS

Kappa Sigma Chi's Monday night win was the best game of the bracket's schedule. The KSC hurlers, Cliff Nygard and Herb Glaser gave only three hits over the seven innings but three fielding errors by their teammates helped the losers to their four counters. Glaser and Nygard each struck out seven men. Nygard worked four innings while Glaser threw the final three stanzas.

Wednesday night the SAEs were forced to come from behind to score their win over the Kappa Psis. Going into the last half of the seventh inning the Kappa Psis led 20-19. Elmer Anderson and George Klein tallied for the SAEs and the game was over.

WOMEN'S SPORTS

By FLORENCE POTTER

WOMEN'S SPORTS

Pat Torgerson bowled 166 for high score in the WAA bowling league Saturday. Next high was Noreen Wiig with a score of 150. Last week's bowling honors go to Genevieve Olson for her game of 157 and Miss Wiig, 117.

JOHNSON LEADS

Margaret Johnson leads the singles tournament in badminton at present. The group is scheduled to meet two more times in the Fieldhouse from 7 to 8 p. m. on Tuesdays. The tournament is still open to anyone who wishes to play either singles or doubles.

PATRIOTIC

To show that WAA is working for national defense, they've started a bicycling group. So save your car and take to your bicycle—from 7 to 9 p. m. next Thursday. If you haven't a bike, you can rent one.

WINS TOURNAMENT

Lois Skadeland won from Lillian McDowell in the finals of the shuffleboard tournament that was held over from the winter term.

RECREATION NIGHTS

Delta Psi Kappa sponsored softball at a campus recreation night this week. Recreation nights will be held every Wednesday for the rest of the term. Watch the bulletin board for notices.

Longest biography in Who's Who is that of Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university.—129 lines.


Tennis Team Meets Cobs On May 2

NDAC's tennis squad will face Concordia's Cobbers in the first net match of the season on May 2. The meet, set for the Island Park courts, will start at 1:30 p. m. MSTC may enter a squad to make the event a three-school meet and an added attraction to the Dragon tennis.

Nine candidates for the team reported at the organization meeting held Monday afternoon in the fieldhouse. Out for the tennis team are Marcus Sirrs, Ed Gall, Bernard Epstein, Jimmy Sullivan, Don Schollander, Ed Kibler, Ed Peterson, Mel Evanson and Kermit Davison.

Six men are expected to play in the match with Concordia—two doubles and two singles matches being tentatively set for the afternoon's play.

Four players will represent NDAC at the annual North Central Intercollegiate conference meet at Brookings, S. Dak., May 16.



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Second Round Pairing Made For Five Teams Still Playing In Spectrum Bridge Tourney

Rifle Teams Tangle In Softball Contest At Annual Picnic

The boys and girls rifle team will compete for honors in a baseball game, feature of a picnic slated for May 14 at 4 o'clock at Oak Grove park.

Sergeant R. D. White, instructor for the girls' team, will accompany the attending members. Vilas Walhood, captain of the boys team, is in general charge, assisted by Delight Whempner, president of the girls' team. The picnic will be the first of an annual series.

Bruce Griffing, Iowa State college graduate student, has been awarded a Roosevelt fellowship for further study at the University of San Marcos, Lima, Peru.

Second round matches in the Spectrum's second annual all-college bridge tournament are being played this week with five two-man teams still in the running for the cash awards presented to the champions and the runnersup.

Elaine Nygaard-Jeanette Hickethier meet Vern Johnson-Maxdne Schlagel while Rachel Elznic-Evangeline Schwartz face Francis Palmer-Herb Glaser. Alice Driver-Jane Brolling moved into the semi-final round on a bye.

Results of second round matches must be in the Spectrum office by 4 p. m. Wednesday. Defaults will be declared at this time.

Nygaard-Hickethier defeated Clark Heggeness-Byron Wilson, Johnson-Schlagel won from Jimmy Sullivan - Dorothy Jensen, Schwartz-Elznic triumphed over John Finnie-Bill Anderson, Palmer-Glaser beat Don Hoag-Bob Atkinson and Driver - Brolling scored a win over Kay Bristol-Peggy Hogstad in the first round matches.



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Gamma Rhos Triumph Twice

Champs Whip Dorm, SPDs, To Hold Slight Lead In I-M League

Alpha Gamma Rho's defending championship softball team served notice this week to the other clubs in bracket B of the intramural league that it expects to have a great deal to say about the title holder who will reign after the schedule is complete this spring.

The AGRs came through with two victories in as many starts against the Sigma Phi Deltas and the Dorm. Tuesday night the champs doubled the Sigma Phi Delt score to win 12-6 and last night pounded out a 15-4 triumph over the Dorm ten. It was the second loss of the week for the Dorm who dropped a 11-7 contest to the Co-ops Tuesday.

SOFTBALL STANDINGS Bracket B

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Alpha Gamma Rho	2	0	1.000
Co-ops	1	0	1.000
Theta Chi	1	0	1.000
Independents	0	1	.000
Sigma Phi Delta	0	1	.000
Dorm	0	2	.000

THETA CHI SHARES LEAD

Theta Chi shares the bracket leadership with the Co-ops and the Gamma Rhos after taking an 11-9 tussle from the Independents last night.

Morris Jorgenson, Gamma Rho's senior hurler, completely baffled opposing batters in the two contests which his club captured. 13 Sigma Phi Deltas went back from the plate after striking out and last night the AGR pitcher improved his earlier effort as he sent 15 Dorm players back to the bench on strikeouts.

In addition the Dorm was only able to garner 6 hits off Jorgenson's offerings. The winners slapped out 13 safe blows in their 15-run attack.

The winners scored single runs in the first, second and fifth innings but went wild in the third, fourth and sixth stanzas as they tallied three, four and five counters respectively.

EVANSON HOMERS

Mel Evanson hit Bob Yeasley's first pitch for a home run in the Theta Chi-Independent clash last night and by the time the side was retired Paul Brostrom had hit for the circuit and the OX boys had tallied four times. Three other hits and two Independent errors aided the Theta Chi effort.

Theta Chi added four more counters in the second frame, a single tally in the fifth and two runs in the last inning for their winning total.

SCORE FOUR RUNS

One run in the first stanza was all the Independents were able to score until the sixth inning. Sam Wysocki and Yeasley hit to start the sixth and by the time the Theta Chis had retired the side, four runs were in for the Independents.

Two hits and a Theta Chi error filled the bases in the Independent half of the last frame with one man out. Cliff Wiese tripled to send three runs home and make the count 11-7 Theta Chi. Lloyd Cadwell sent Wiese in with another run but the side was retired ending the game when Cadwell was thrown out at the plate trying to score on Nick Soullis' double into left field.

Women students at Hunter college, New York, are training to become weather observers at airports and bureaus.

Bison Enter Annual Relays At Aberdeen

The NDAC Bison entered a team in the medley relay and are represented in two special events at the Aberdeen relays today.

Accompanied by Johnny Smith, in place of Charlie Solberg, track coach, the relay team is made up of four freshmen. They are Jim Noonan of Leonard and Jerry



JOHNNY SMITH

Morrow of Fargo, who run 200 each, Bill Sturlaugson of Cavalier, covering the 440, and Gail Holmes of Bismarck, who runs the 880.

Morrow will also enter the high hurdles and Noonan will run in the 100-yard dash.

This is the first of four scheduled track meets for the Bison this year. They are entered in the Dragon relays at MSTC on May 2. They will also compete in the N. D. intercollegiate meet at Jamestown on May 9 and in the North Central conference track meet at Brookings, S. D., on May 16.

Brevities To Open Minus Stage Manager

The Bison Brevities production of "Sweethearts" will open Tuesday without the assistance of the stage manager, Bob Rose, one of the mainstays in the production, who Thursday underwent an operation for appendicitis in St. Luke's hospital.

Rose will be in bed for at least two weeks. His work in the show is now being done by some other member of the production staff.

There are still three vacancies in the stage crew.

Heard About The Herd

By GEORGE RULON

AFTER TWO WEEKS of spring football practice it appears that NDAC's Bison grid squad of next fall will not be too badly hit to enter competition with an even chance of winning a fair number of games. If the war situation doesn't take additional members of Coach Johnny Smith's squad into the armed forces, the 1942 edition of the Herd should give a good account of itself.

LOOKING OVER

all the positions, one finds that spots in the lineup which have been left vacant by graduation or enlistments are going to be well taken care of by last year's reserves and new sophomores. Freshmen who enroll in the fall also will be eligible for competition next season in all conference contests.

FLANKING DUTIES

will fall to Paul Moores and Nick Soullis, lanky ends who alternated with John Snowberg and Pat Twomey last season. Captain Harry Treglawny will fill a tackle position in his own unquestionable manner while the other tackle post may be manned by newcomer George Slokonich who is being converted by the Bison coaching staff after spending a year as center on the frosh team. Guards will be plentiful with Stan Koich and Vern Johnson, leading new candidates to bolster veterans Jewel Roningen, Don Laraway and Royal Berstler.

BACKFIELD WORRIES

of the Bison coaches should be eased somewhat when they watch the work of several of the newcomers up from the freshmen ranks. Bob Heer and Fred Trowbridge will give the Bison two fine halfbacks. Heer is one of the smoothest runners seen on the campus in some time and Trowbridge throws left-handed passes that connect with regularity. Sid Cichy's work at full will leave Johnny Zaic available for duty with Ed Rolle at the blocking back position.

Single Scrimmage Shows Bison Grid Possibilities



STAN KOSTKA

RECENTLY COMMISSIONED

as a lieutenant, junior grade, in the Naval Reserve, Stan Kostka, absent with leave from his Bison coaching duties, watched NDAC's football squad during its only scrimmage of the week Monday afternoon. Kostka spent several days with his family in Fargo before reporting for active duty in Minneapolis. Kostka is expected to coach the naval air unit at Wold-Chamberlain Field.

In the only scrimmage session on this week's spring football training program, NDAC's Bison grid squad performed Monday afternoon with Stan Kostka as an interested spectator.

The Bison mentor, serving in the navy's physical training program as a lieutenant, junior grade, was home for several days with his family before going on active duty.

All Tuesday night drills have been temporarily cancelled until after the federal inspection of the NDAC cadet corps. This action was taken by Johnny Smith, Bison athletic director and active football coach in Kostka's absence, so that footballers who are members of the ROTC will not miss any important Tuesday formations.

Conditioning drills were discontinued for the remainder of the week with the absence of Smith. The Bison mentor left Tuesday with the Bison track squad which is entered in the Aberdeen relays in the South Dakota city today.

University of California department of hygiene has worked out a co-operative plan for emergency use of its facilities by the state and the city of Berkeley.

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Yellow Jacket Excellent Entertainment, Writer Finds

Play-goers of NDAC received an excellent treat with the Little Country theater's production of scenes from Queen Victoria and the Chinese play, Yellow Jacket, presented Wednesday.

An outstanding portrayal of Queen Victoria was given by Betty Lou Pannebaker in a performance near professional. Edward Kasner gave a convincing showing in the part of "lover" Prince Albert.

TRUESDELL-OLSON GOOD

Yellow Jacket, the three act Chinese play, centered about the struggles of Charles Martin as Wu Hoo Git to gain his rightful heritage to the throne. Dick Olson played a comic and realistic Daffodil, the usurper to the throne. George Truesdell, the property man, was miraculous in his role of keeping a "poker face" throughout the show, which must have been difficult.

Prize comedy roles were presented by Olson, Jerry Morrow and Phillip Thompson.

Portrayal of Chow Wan, Autumn Cloud, by Betty Ann Huey was excellently acted in the part of the woman who attempted to lead Wu Hoo Git into sin. Beverly Halbeisen played a charming part as the woman Wu Hoo Git loved.

MURPHY HAS MOTHER ROLE

Moments of tenderness and pathos were given by Ann Murphy, the mother, in the scene where she left Wu Hoo Git to his fate.

Lack of some properties provided excellent comedy with the absence of horses and George Truesdell's portrayal of the Weeping Willow tree.

Charles Brandt in the role of the writer of the play, announcer, and director presented excellent oratorical work.

The only fallacy in the evening's entertainment was Jean Baillie's reading part, which was too long, although the first scene was excellently read.

Makeup and stage design contributed an outstanding background for the play.—H. M. H.

Activities Of College War Council

Representatives of the division of civilian mobilization, OCD, of Omaha spoke at the meeting of the war council last Wednesday. Mrs. W. S. Frost and Patrick Hughes, assistant, related accounts of the work which the OCD is doing on the coastal defense regions and emphasized the need for conservation of all materials and the necessity of trained volunteers. The program itself appears hazy and indicates the need for more directed action, especially so in being applied to a rural state as ours. It is also true that people who understand the problems confronting rural areas should have a great deal to do in directing this work.

COMMITTEE ADDITIONS

Announced at the meeting was the personnel of the executive committee—Miss Pearl Dinan, C. A. Severson and Charlotte Bahe. The male student representative has not as yet been appointed, but will be in the near future.

Students added to the physical education and health committee are Jean Hoeft and John Finnie. Audrey Cadiex has been included in the student moral committee.

INFORMATION CENTER

Many new publications are arriving daily at the Key Center of Information in Festival hall. Included in the latest number is an important directory of war agencies published by the United States Chamber of Commerce. This directory, which lists all government war agencies, their location, and their chairmen and members, should prove to be useful to students and non-students alike who wish to contact any of the newly formed or older government agencies that are playing a large part in our war effort.

Two new series of booklets, the America Looks Ahead series and the Council for Democracy series, have been added to the subscription list. Recent numbers of the first include Australia and the United States, Canada and the United States, Dependent Areas in the Post-War World, Argentina and the United States, and Economic Defense of Latin America while the second includes Advance Through Crisis, Nazi Poison, The Free Schools of America, The Public and Strikes, The Negro and Defense, Financing Defense, and Defense on Main Street. Other publications that should prove very interesting include a collection of all war speeches made over the Columbia Broadcasting system during the last quarter, a series of booklets on industry, and pamphlets on war and religion.

All of the material is rapidly being indexed and is available for use in the center or for use outside, as desired. The lending system has been completed and it is now possible for those on the campus to borrow any material for a one week period and those away from the campus for a two

Sigs Will Announce New Sweetheart On Founders Day

Identity of the new Sweetheart of Sigma Chi will be revealed at the annual Founders' day banquet Monday at 6:30 at the Graver. The new sweetheart succeeding Ann Murphy will be chosen from candidates from each sorority and Ceres hall.

Burning of the chapter house mortgage by faculty advisor, Dr. W. C. Hunter, will be another feature of the evening.

James Sullivan will be toastmaster. Leonard King will present the new sweetheart and all candidates will be guests. Ann Murphy will award the Mathew William Murphy jr. key to Ed Kibler, named the most promising member initiated within the last year. The key was given to the fraternity by Miss Murphy in memory of her brother.

E. T. Conmy, province head, will speak at the dinner. Announcement of the new pledge orator will be made. John Finnie is in charge of arrangements assisted by Don Hoag and Bill Anderson.

Sigma Chi fraternity was founded June 28 in 1855 at Miami university and the local chapter, Delta Kappa Sigma, went national on April 28, 1934.

Candidates for sweetheart are Georgianna Findahl, Alpha Gamma Delta; Esther Gunvaldsen, Gamma Phi Beta; Maxine Schlagel, Phi Omega Pi; Delight Whempner, Kappa Delta; Irene Murphy, Ceres hall; Genevieve Lindemann, Kappa Kappa Gamma and Merry Buchanan, Phi Mu.

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Have you bought your war savings stamps this week?

Nineteen graduates of Detroit high schools recently have been awarded board-of-education scholarships for one year of study at Wayne university.

Former Student Returns To Exhibit Dolls

First a student at NDAC, then an associate instructor in the speech department, now the designer of Bender's Fashion Mannequins—that in brief is the history of Alice McConnell Bender, alumna of 1928.

Students and faculty will have an opportunity to see some 40 or 50 of her mannequins when the Art club sponsors a tea Monday from 4 to 5 in the art department. With hand carved wooden bodies, dressed in period costume, the dolls represent the history of American costume from the Puritan of 1640 to the Ultra-Modern of 1942. According to Miss Ann Brown, art director, all costumes are authentic reproductions of Godey, La Mode Illustree and Peterson fashion prints and of original costumes in private and museum collections.

STARTED IN LCT WORK

While in college Miss Bender was active in Little Country theater work. It was here that she first became interested in period dress. While working on college productions she spent many hours doing research in costumes. Notable among the parts she played was that of Miriamne in Sherwood Anderson's "Winterset".

After teaching for two years in the speech department, Miss Bender left the college to devote herself exclusively to designing and producing her now famous mannequins.

Leading department stores in the United States have sponsored exhibits of her work. The "City of Paris" in the Artists' and Craftsmen's shop in San Francisco, which had its origin in the San Francisco world's fair, recently carried a full showing of the models. Other exhibits include those held at the University of Southern California and in Jane Belew's Shop in Beverly Hills.

MOVIE STAR OWNS DOLL

Miss Bender claims that her dolls are among the prize possessions of several American celebrities. Ginger Rogers of movie fame owns her model of a fashionable society bell of 1854.

Unique in the collection to be shown Monday are the character dolls of North Dakota pioneers. Miss Bender attempts to depict the true history of the state in her representations of early Dakotans.

The exhibit is especially noteworthy as it represents years of research into American history to determine authentic designs.



Colors and materials in the costumes are rich, no expense is spared in producing the dolls. Following the principle of Art in Action, this designer's work graphically illustrates the part of costume in American life and history.

LADY FARMER

Probably because she realizes the need for practicality in a time of crisis, Miss Bender plans to devote part of the year on the Bender farm near Harwood where she is going into the turkey raising and marketing business on a grand scale. So occupied with her recent purchase of 1,000 birds, she will be unable to attend the tea in her honor.

Present plans indicate that she will spend part of the year in Harwood and the remainder of the time in Hollywood producing and marketing her fashion mannequins.

Miss Brown announces that those who are unable to attend the showing Monday may see them any time after May 1 in

the Green room of Old Main.

Tillie Ruud, general chairman of the tea, announces that her assistants include Solveig Strand, food; Beverly Halbeisen, arrangements, and Dorothy Monson, invitations.

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