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HONOR GROUPS REWARD STUDENTS FOR ACHIEVEMENT

Annual Military Inspection Set For May 23-4

Compare NDAC Unit With ROTC In Other School; Two Phases

Col. R. W. Briggs of the 7th Corps Area, and Col. H. C. Slaughter of Iowa State college at Ames, will visit this campus May 23-24 to inspect NDAC's ROTC unit.

Federal inspection of the corps is the basis of comparing this unit with that of other colleges and consists of two phases—an outdoor practical test and individual classroom recitation on subject matter studied during the school year. Each student is expected to make a good showing, so that NDAC may retain its present rating of "Excellent".

On Thursday, May 23, there will be a regimental parade and inspection in ranks. Points to be noticed in detail by the federal officers are personal neatness, cleanliness and fit of uniform, military posture and manual of arms. Battalions 1 and 2 will drill, with the several companies each displaying different aspects, such as tent pitching, extended order and other drills.

Classroom inspection will be held Friday, May 24, with practical demonstrations to be put on by the freshman, sophomore and junior classes. The rifle, machine gun, trench mortar and 37 mm. gun drills will be given.

Seivson Discusses Engineering Ethics

As guest speaker at the first annual banquet of the student chapters of the American Society of Civil Engineers of the North Dakota State college and the University of North Dakota at the Powers Hotel on May 3, Mr. Zena E. Seivson, chief Engineer of the North Dakota Highway Department, spoke on Engineering Ethics. Mr. Seivson stressed the value of good ethics to an engineer. He also pointed out that one of the most valuable tools of the engineer was the English language.

Other speakers on the program were Roy T. Jennings, instructor in civil engineering at NDAC, Maurice Tarplee, representative senior of the NDAC engineers; Professor Alfred Boyd of the University faculty; and Don Jackson, NDAC student president. The aim of the group was to promote good fellowship and a better understanding of the departments of the two schools, and to continue having a banquet annually.

4 Students, Anderson Attend Mechanical Engineers' Meeting

Four NDAC students and A. W. Anderson, honorary chairman, returned Friday from the regional American Society of Mechanical Engineers convention at Kansas City held April 26 and 27. The students were Kaare Loftheim of Sheyenne, senior; Stewart Bakken of Drayton, junior; Arthur Hewitt of Hillsboro, senior; chairman of the student chapter of A. S. M. E. at NDAC, and Harry Sheldon of Washburn, junior.

The group inspected various industrial plants in Kansas City, Chicago, Milwaukee and Minneapolis on their return trip by automobile.

Two of the students presented papers: Bakken wrote on "V-Belt Drives" while Loftheim wrote on "Electrical Precipitatory." Convention rotates every three years among Kansas City, St. Louis and Omaha. NDAC will be host for the 1941 convention at Omaha.

FACULTY PICNICS

Advanced ticket sales for the first faculty picnic in at least five years forecast the largest staff turnout in faculty history. The party will begin at 4 o'clock today in Oak Grove Park. There will be a horse-shoe contest and kitten ball games for both men and women. Mr. Leonard Sackett is the general chairman and Mrs. Darlene Knowles is in charge of refreshments.

Story Fictitious — Conclusion Vital! Barn Dance Tonight!

The scene is a farmstead in the vicinity of Fargo. George, the farmer's son, is hurrying from the barn to the house with a pail of milk in either hand and a gleam in his eye. He enters the house with a flourish, exuberantly greets his mother and starts for the wash basin. Suddenly he stops, pivots, and goes back to separate the milk. His mother is amazed at his ambition.

During the supper George is a conversationalist, he displays manners that his mother has long ago ceased attempting to teach him and is particularly interested in father and all his troubles. As the meal draws to a close George suddenly becomes a nervous man.

Several times he starts to speak, stammers and finally splurts, "Pa, can I have the car tonight?" The father is astonished. This is the first time that George has evinced interest in the bright lights since seeding started, so he is naturally cautious. He reflects, however, that George is

a good boy. Didn't he sow the whole north forty the day before yesterday?

He gives his son the keys to the car and George ascends the stairs with one swan-like swoop to gird for battle. Upon his return in a short time his parents are surprised to note that he still has on his overalls and has only slicked down his hair and put on his red flannel shirt. With no explanation he triumphantly climbs aboard the family Ford. His parents smile with satisfaction. Just another Luther League meeting.

Reeking with brilliantine and sweating with tension, George pilots the Model A towards town. Just enough time to pick up that Concordia girl (he met her at a Luther League meeting) and get out to the Barn Dance before 9 o'clock, he reflects. Boy, did he ever fool the old man!

Note: The characters and events of this story are purely fictitious, but the Barn Dance is a reality. See you tonight!

Pi Gamma Mu Initiates Nine

At a dinner meeting, held at the Graver Hotel Tuesday evening, May 7, the following were initiated into Pi Gamma Mu:

Jane Blair.
Murray Buchanan.
Franklin Heggeness.
Elinor Johnson.
Ferdinand Johnson.
Kenneth Kaess.
Vivian Moffitt.
Kenneth Neumann.
Raymond Novak.

Melvin Anderson and Elinor Johnson were elected as president and vice-president to succeed Josephine Biewer and Lorraine Naftalin. Glenn Lawritson continues as secretary-treasurer to complete his term of two years. Wentworth Morris has been named to act as program chairman for next year. He has not yet named the remainder of the committee.

Name YM Cabinet Officers For '40-'41

YMCA Senior cabinet officers elected for the coming year are: Clark Heggeness, president; Everett Tool, vice president; Art Walen, secretary; and Albert Geiszler, treasurer.

Chosen as members of the 1940-41 cabinet are Mel Arnold, Morris Brotsch, Bennett Erickson, Mel Evanston, John Fisher, Bill Freeman, Buck Gallagher, Bill Guy, Pat Henry, Ivan Johnson, Morris Jorgenson, Oscar Juntenun, Walter Mason, Ray Michel, Ed Olson, Roy Pederson, Ray Toman and Paul Weiser.

The following 17 members of the YMCA Freshman cabinet have been promoted to serve on next year's Junior cabinet: Les Adamson, Walter Alm, Ole Berg, Gerald Bower, Ted Brevik, Francis Daniel, Virgil De Camp, Henning Eidsvoog, Bob Hegg, Don Hoag, Orven Hillestad, Roy Johnson, Norbert Lange, John Monson, Bob Pile, Kenneth Tompt, Earl Walter.

Officers are Jim Ford, president; Reo Carr, vice-president, and Bud Chase, secretary.

Phi Omega Pi Sends Delegates To Convention

Delegates from Phi Omega Pi sorority will attend a province convention at the University of Minnesota chapter at Minneapolis today through Sunday. Mrs. Leland May and Fay Ann Nelson are in charge of the delegation, of which Jean Halbeisen, NDAC chapter president, is the official delegate.

Others will be Harriet Shigley, Jean Boyle, Elizabeth Covert, Marion Anstett and Louise Crosby.

Fay Ann Nelson will be toastmistress at a luncheon. Mrs. May and Jean Halbeisen will speak during the discussions, which will consider sorority problems.

Mixed Chorus, Men's Glee Club, To Give Joint Concert May 14

Appearing in joint concert for the first time in several years on the home campus, the NDAC Men's Glee club and the Mixed Chorus will sing in Festival hall Tuesday, May 14, at 8:15 p.m. The concert, which has been especially prepared to appeal to college students, will be presented under the direction of Ernst Van Vlissingen.

While the Mixed Chorus has appeared on numerous occasions on the campus, the men have sung more frequently out of town, culminating 1939 concerts in a week-long tour of the state.

Admission for students at Tuesday's program will be 15 cents; adults will be charged 25 cents. Members of the choruses and the bookstore are selling tickets.

FFA Names 9 State Farmers

Selected on the basis of their participation, leadership, and records in vocational agriculture the following FFA students were awarded state degrees at the annual banquet held last Saturday night: Merlin Anderson, Hunter; Vernon Asheim, Mohall; Irwin Mindt, New Salem; Allen Flaten, Park River; Ralph Enander, Stanley; Glenn Schuman, Minnewaukan; Henry Ouradnik, Petersburg; Leroy Naves, Fingal; Harold Rossland, Williston.

At the state convention also held Saturday the group elected officers for the coming year. They will preside over next year's convention and are as follows: Donald Bahl, Mohall, president; Wayne Rowe, Cavalier, vice-president; Allen Flaten, Park River, secretary; Harold Rossland, Williston, treasurer; Leroy Naves, Fingal, reporter; members-at-large: Ralph Enander, Stanley; Ouradnik and Asheim; state historian, Henning Eidsvoog, Williston; parliamentary, Arley Hoveland, New England. Ernest DeAlton of the agricultural education department is the adviser.

Welsh County Ags Take Sweepstakes

Judged the outstanding school in all agricultural contests held in connection with the May Festival, the Welsh County Aggies last week carried off the much coveted Sweepstakes Trophy annually awarded to the top ranking school. Other teams ranked superior with Park River were Devils Lake, Hunter and Kenmare.

Selected to represent the state in the National Vocational Agricultural Livestock Judging contest to be held in Kansas City next November are the following students: Marvin Buchholz, Fingal; Fisk; Clifford Opitz, Kenmare; Lester Fahje, Kenmare.

To Broadcast Farm, Home Hour From AC

Program Will Originate From Campus; History, State Service Featured

The National Farm and Home Hour on Wednesday, May 15, will be broadcast from the campus of NDAC. Featured on 99 stations of the National Broadcasting company, the show is scheduled to last from 10:30 to 11:15 a. m.

NDAC's program, one of a series to be broadcast from land grant colleges, will emphasize the 50th anniversary of the school and the services the school has rendered the state by helping to develop stable agriculture and high standards of farm family life.

Dr. H. L. Bolley's achievement in the fields of plant disease control and wheat and flax breeding will be reviewed during the period. Also included will be a description of the recent wheat breeding experiments of Dr. L. R. Waldron and reminiscences by Dr. C. B. Waldron, first staff member.

In addition to historical material, explanations of the college's present service program will be given by Dr. H. L. Walster, director of the state agricultural experiment station and dean of agriculture; E. J. Haslerud, extension director; and Dr. Frank L. Eversull, NDAC president.

The Gold Star band directed by Dr. C. S. Putnam and the men's glee club directed by Ernst Van Vlissingen will furnish music for the program.

Local SAI Group Will Undergo Inspection

Miss Gertrude Evans of Ithaca, N. Y., national president, and Mrs. John Davison of Des Moines, Iowa, province president, will share honors at events planned by active and alumnae members of Sigma Alpha Iota, national music fraternity, during the inspection visit tomorrow and Sunday.

The inspection program includes conferences with officers of Omicron chapter, Dr. Frank Eversull, Dean Pearl Dinan, and with members of the music faculty at NDAC. Mrs. Arthur Blegen, past national chaplain, will act as hostess for a luncheon at the Graver hotel.

Sigma Alpha Iota pledges are Patricia Bjorklund, Annabelle Donovan, Lorraine Olson, Clarice Lee, Rosemary Bloom, Meda Westberg, Vernyl Carlson, Marjorie Aamodt and Eileen Schmallen. These pledges will be formally initiated Saturday at 5.

All-College Day Plans Started

Sponsoring All-College day, May 23, is the student commission with Alpha Phi Omega, scouts service fraternity, and Alpha Phi Gamma, journalism fraternity, taking care of the individual events.

Features of the day will be an all-college lunch, the fourth annual turtle race under the management of Abner Selvig, the senior-faculty softball game, and in the evening the inter-fraternity-intersorority spring sing, with Gil Wagner in charge.

The last issue of the Spectrum for the year will appear at noon on Thursday carrying a complete schedule of the events of the day, and Connie Taylor expects that the 1940 Bison will be ready for distribution at that time.

SCABBARD, BLADE INSTALLS

Melford Fritzvold, junior in chemistry, was installed as president of Scabbard and Blade Tuesday, succeeding Clarence Van Ray. Norbert Biewer was installed as vice president, Kemble Lewis as treasurer, and Helmut Froeschle as secretary.

Members recently initiated into acery, Lewis, Froeschle, Donald Sher-tive membership are Fritzvold, Biewer, William Snyder, William Larson, Paul Rice, and Clair Ernst.

WE THANK YOU

The Student Social committee wishes to express its appreciation and sincere thanks for the splendid cooperation of the student body in making the May Festival party a truly high school party. Such cooperation is a source of real pride in our college student body.

We wish to express, also, our appreciation to the picked group of student helpers and the FFA officers who helped in checking in the high school students and reminding some college students that it was not their party. The faculty members who acted as chaperones and the faculty men who put in a busy evening making high school students acquainted with each other deserve special commendation.

To all of you our sincere thanks and appreciation.

STUDENT SOCIAL COMMITTEE,

Geo. P. Goodearl, Chairman.

13 Selected For Blue Key, Senior Staff

Scholarship, Leadership, Service To School Basis For Selection

Scholarship awards were bestowed on seven NDAC students Wednesday, May 9, when Senior Staff and Blue Key staged their annual Recognition day exercises east of the library.

Both honor societies also conferred new memberships upon 13 college men and women—membership based on scholarship, leadership, and service to the school.

Senior Staff elected the following: Kay Odne, Jean Halebisen, Mary See, Jane Blair, Evelyn Arntson, Hazel Isaak and Irvamae Vincent. Mrs. Frank L. Eversull was presented with an honorary membership.

Initiation Thursday

Senior Staff held initiation Thursday at 5:30 p.m. in the Gardner hotel. Blue Key has initiation services May 16.

Blue Key's new members are Dick Hoag, senior; Kemble Lewis, Leland Stenehjem, Frank Johnson, Max Campbell and Roy Pedersen—all juniors.

Genevieve Hamilton received the coveted Senior Staff Scholarship. Carrying a stipend of \$50, the award is granted to the sophomore woman who possesses leadership, high scholarship, has given service to the school, and shows promise in her chosen field. The \$50 is applied on tuition for the junior year.

PEO Awards \$107

The PEO Sisterhood memorial award of \$10 was given Betty Lou Pannebaker. It is given annually to the sophomore woman who has maintained the highest average for her college career up to the last term of the sophomore year.

Two freshman women split the Senior Staff award based on the highest average for two terms of freshman work. Hilma Andreesen and Mavis Nymon were the recipients of \$5 each.

Award Scholarship

The Blue Key Scholarship went to Robert Beard. Blue Key's stipend provides tuition for the entire senior year and is based on scholarship and need.

Again the freshman prize was split—this time Blue Key's Master Freshman award. Alfred Steinhauer and Roy Johnson, both of whom had attained a 3.00 average for the fall and winter terms, were enriched by \$5 apiece.

Name Fourteen To Alpha Zeta

Fourteen students in the school of agriculture have been named to membership in Alpha Zeta, national honorary agriculture fraternity, which selects members on a basis of scholarship, leadership, character, and agricultural interests.

Students thus honored are George Strum, Allen Fisk, Erling Nossun, William Guy, George Johnson, Reinold Kunkel, Richard Crockett, Paul Weiser, Arthur Walen, John Emo, John Logan, Andrew Vanvig, Fred Elliott and Ivan Johnson.

Formal initiation of the new pledges to the group will be May 15, immediately preceding the annual Founders' Day banquet.

Winning the coveted honor of having the highest scholastic average of freshmen in agriculture last year, Crockett will be the first to have his name engraved on the Alpha Zeta scholarship plaque which will be hung in Morrill hall.

NOTICE

Committee of 100 meeting in the east room of the College YMCA on Wednesday, May 15, at 4:30 p. m. Plans for next year's Religion and Life conference will be discussed. All committee members are urged to be present.

Spinsters Will Pick Ideal Man

NDAC co-eds will again name their "model man" at a Spinsters' Skip sponsored by Guidon Saturday, May 18, in Festival Hall. Candidates for the enviable honor and the groups they represent are Jack Lepird, Alpha Tau Omega; Chester Krabbenhoft, Theta Chi; Alex Ford, Dugout; Jack Kurke, Sigma Chi; Harold Crosby, Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Orvil Godman, Alpha Gamma Rho; Henry Ness, Kappa Sigma Chi; Carroll Eian, Sigma Phi Delta; Russell Manning, Kappa Psi.

Helen Restvedt is in general charge, with Emily Oram, publicity chairman, and Lorraine Fitjar and Helen Greenland in charge of tickets.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Seaman and Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Goodwin are chaperones. Bob McDougall's orchestra will play. Members of the military department and their wives will be honored guests.

Clarice Lee was named captain of the auxiliary to ROTC at the regular meeting Tuesday. She succeeds DeLores McDowell. Marguerite Olson is first lieutenant, Lorraine Fitjar, second lieutenant.

Special Poll Called To Amend Measure

Students will vote on the following amendment at a special election next Thursday, states Margaret Calhoun, commissioner of elections. Polls in the registrar's office will be open from 10 to 3.

Article III—Section 10.

1. There shall be a board of music control to consist of a commissioner of music — a sophomore to serve for two years, and two members of the board—a sophomore to serve for one year, and a sophomore to serve for two years.

2. The purpose of the board shall be to supervise use of the money delegated to the music department from the student activity fee by the student commission for chorus work, and to assist in all functions of the music department.

3. The commissioner of music shall serve as a regular member of the student commission.

4. The commissioner of music shall make an official report when called upon by the president of student commission.

INDUCT YWCA OFFICERS

New YWCA officers and members of the 1940-41 cabinet were installed in the Ceres Hall lounge Thursday at 8 p. m. Nelita Dyer, past Y president, was installing officer.

Installed as president was Hazel Isaak, junior in education. Other officers are Mildred Cone, vice-president; Rosemary Gunthorpe, secretary, and Lorine Ladwig, treasurer. Members of the Y witnessed the ceremony.

NOTICE

Old and new members of the Student Commission will hold a joint meeting Thursday at the Graver hotel.

You'll Be Hungry and Thirsty

after the Barn Dance. Delicious food, sparkling soft drinks and gay music will await you at the POWERS COFFEE SHOP, rendezvous for the cream of the college crowd.

OPEN TILL 2 A. M. FOR THE BARN DANCE CROWD.

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● downtrodden public servant

Why do people as a whole have so little concern over the feelings of the public servant?

The average person will walk into a business establishment and take for granted that he will be waited on by some nondescript person who means no more than a means of satisfying the desires of the customer.

In the business world the motto has long been, "the customer is always right". What a gross mistake this is. The motto should be, "give the public servant a chance". So many people are literally ready to jump down the throat of the person that is waiting on them for the slightest mistake. However, 90 per cent of the time, if the customer would stop and analyze the situation he would find that it is his fault and not the fault of the public servant.

During a single day one public servant contacts as many personalities as there are customers. Very often at least half of these people will make the same bright remark, expecting a dutiful smile from the public servant. Then along will come the customer who wishes that the clerk would help her pick out a certain material to match her complexion. In doing so the public servant must be ever so careful not to offend in any way the "sacred cow", she is waiting on. Then there will be the customer who tells the public servant to just pick out anything and wrap it up. When the customer gets home nine times out of ten this same customer will hasten back to the store and demand an exchange for the vile colored goods the public servant sold her.

Imagine how the public servant feels when someone comes to them with a smile and a considerate "thank you", for services rendered. If this happened more than once a month to the same public servant, that p. s. would probably become so pleasant that it could surprise everyone.

We the people think too much about how we can make others feel inferior to us. This is extremely bad taste and shows ignorance on the part of the people that do it. If we expect respect from others then we must respect them.

—A. S. H.

● student-teacher relations

To be an effective unit in an educational system, any school must develop a close student-teacher relationship. Students, if you really want to get the most out of your studies, learn to know your instructors. Teachers, if you really want to reach the top, bridge the valley and stand shoulder to shoulder with your students.

So many of you teachers make the mistake of forgetting your students as soon as a class is over. Why do you do it? Are you just teaching books or are you teaching real life situations? You wonder why students do not like your classes—live their lives WITH them and they will! Your complete job is not just spending a few hours a day with them in the classroom. It is the application of the whole of your personality to the task of making education what it should be—a fascinating process of wholesome mental, physical and moral growth.

Students, do you know your instructors? Have you tried to get acquainted with them outside of school functions? I dare you to win their confidence and then try to dislike school or not enjoy your classwork!

Getting acquainted with teachers is not apple-polishing. It is realizing to the fullest extent the value of human relationships. It is no wonder school is a bore to you if you think all teachers are nothing but "stale eggs." If that is so, then you have not done your part.

Teachers may be "sour pussies" to you, but if they are, I'll bet you're no "sweet pea" yourself.

❖ Buffalo Bull ❖

Surrounded by scaffolding and taking on a new coat of shingles, the library this week offers something new in the way of study atmosphere. For the first time since she set foot behind the bar, Mrs. McVeety cannot hear her own voice. The sound of the hammer and the jargon of the laborer shatter the sacred stillness of her haven.

Along with the new life that spring brings comes the picnic. Originally its main function was to give people an opportunity to become more conscious of the beauty of nature. The modern picnic does not, it appears, depend so much upon the scenery, the birds, and the bees, but according to the social regulations of our institution, must be chaperoned if held during the week when the bees are at work. This and more the Gamma Phi's found out when they undertook to picnic the AGR's this week. Thwarted in their efforts to get the men of agriculture a little closer to their native environment, the girls had to be content with the skating rink and Festival Hall for atmosphere. The proverbial picnic ball game was played, Mary See smiled, and all was well.

Tonight the faculty holds its picnic. From all appearances Ma Nature will chaperone and she is threatening to bring rain. Aren't some chaperones a problem?

Adept manipulators of the various instruments of the politician are the fair members of our sororities. Most current worry and campaign objective is the election of a barn dance queen. Covered deepest by the deluge of propaganda are the Theta Chi's next door neighbors who seem to control the lodestone which will get the votes.

Recognition day is over and praises have been sung to the deserving or at least to some of them. Those not yet recognized will just have to keep on praising themselves.

Have you ever noticed the sound of the chimes as we go to our eight o'clock's? Just in case you haven't, note how appropriate some of the melodies that they ring out are to the occasion. Christmas carols are just the thing for the dark winter morns of the Yuletide season, but "Abide with me, fast falls the eventide" make us wonder if we should be up and around when our schedule tells us that we have eight hours of classes ahead.

Parting shot: A professor is one who talks in someone else's sleep.

I SAW THEM COME BACK

You say I should have seen them off to war,
With the banners they held; and the guns they bore,
And the bands playing, and all the flags flying.
And the determination in young faces that knew
naught of dying.

And the smiles of the girls; and the cheers,
And all the brave mothers who choked back the tears.
You say it was grand watching as they went,
Like happy young boys on a grim mission sent.

But I saw them when they returned,
Crippled bodies and brains and souls that were burned,
From months in the trenches in living hell,
Crazed minds with a fearful story to tell.

You say I should have seen them off to the fray,
But too many we loved went over . . . to stay.
I saw them when they came back from the strife,
Twisted, shattered, torn; suffering death in life.

—Anonymous.

Written April 29, 1940.

● no place to play?

Now that students are encountering long spring evenings, they are often confronted with the problem of recreation at times when there is no studying to be done. All too often students must resort either to spending completely idle hours or to downtown facilities. There should be some possibility for recreation for a number of students on or near the campus.

During the winter months the Cadet Hops served a worthy purpose of affording inexpensive facilities for informal dancing, just as the snooker room constantly provides recreation for many who are interested. Even the Dugout serves as a wholesome social atmosphere for conversation; however, there are still many who possess odd hours with nothing to do.

At many universities and colleges there are instituted regular weekly or daily social hours of informal dancing; at yet other colleges there are constant facilities for dancing similar to the UND's Varsity club. At such institutions students may casually pass an hour or so in the best of social atmospheres; any student at little or no cost whatsoever may take part in such recreation with fellow college students.

NDAC could undoubtedly make good use of such facilities. Many students would welcome the idea of possibilities for informal, afternoon or early evening dancing. Could not room be made somewhere for such a feature?

—D. H.

Let's Have A Hoe-Down



By Maurine Steiner.

Social Climber

By BUD PARMELEE
M. A. T. Sturgy Prep.

Well, sir, as all you lake goers will probably agree—it's a great life if you don't weekend—and I do mean our GAMMA PHI house parties. Note to PAUL BOYLE, KENNY CHRISTIANSON and JACK QUIST-GARD: "What d'you think this is anyway?—Halloween?" And boys—a bit of a suggestion from Yehoudi—it's the usual procedure to take the tux off before one goes swimming. (Not good, but timely.)

Now, we don't want to start Emily-Posting but enough is too much. RALPH 'BEN' BOLDT says that the only time anyone asked him if they could dance with date ELEANOR BERGAN was the time he was standing in their way—Typical conversation: BEN to ELEANOR: "Well, shall we go?"—Says she: "Sure—when will you be back?"—Habit-forming, isn't it?—BYRON JACKSON had another "going out" party Saturday to the tune of "Does My Heart Beat—for you?"—BILL GUY and MARY BETTY PUNTON made a repeat performance—and we did find out the answer to last week's question—"Is CHET KRABBEN-HOFT really bashful or is that just a darn good line?"—Answer, in person, from JANICE—"He ain't bashful!"—(Incidentally this is paid advertising—CHET is running for model man—)

Take it from us, a guy's either got to have super finesse or a h— of a lot of nerve to take two girls out in

one and the same night—Lessons by CASAD—he's king of it—Like last Sunday when he took VIVIAN ARNESON home at nine and then dashed over to the POP house after VIRGINIA BROWN—The same JOHN was overheard to remark to frat brother Yehoudi (who's Yehoudi?): "Well, I've had her out twice now and haven't hung my pin yet!"—Says Yehoudi—"What's the matter—is she slipping?"—The big Swede took our hint of last week and took all of his six feet four inches to Chicago to see if he could "engineer" a little deal—(says Yehoudi—"I was a freight of that!")—

One side everybody — after much coaxing and pleading we finally extracted from business manager MYRLE ANDERSON the ambition of his life—Quote: A million dollars—a blonde—a million dollars—a brunette—a million dollars—a red head—a box of aspirin—Unquote—Question of the week—"Why was ETHEL GORES on her knees to LARRY WAGNER in McCarthy's Cafe in Valley City?"—RICHARD PATRICK CALLAHAN, the Wizard of Todds, swears up and down that the POP's aren't going to Minneapolis this weekend to go to the conclave at all, but just so they can show at Nicollet and yell for the Millers—Seen hand-holdin' of late—GERRY WISE-HART AND IRVY FISHER—(If she doesn't make up her mind pretty soon we'll have to CHUCK the whole thing—) and let's hope JANE BLAIR doesn't get any of the same idea.

Peek At The Greeks

Sigma Phi Delta alumnus, Louis Kittel, of Casselton, North Dakota returned last week from the Army Air Corps Flying School in Texas, and was a guest at the house last week. He was married to Marguerite Heglund. The Kappa Psi's pledged the following last week: Lawrence Taylor, Bert Layman, Carl Anderson, Ward Lundquist, Wayne Williams, Chester Paulson. Visitors at the house were Professor Jongeward, Walt Ekéron, Fay Sanders, and Dick Riggs. The Kappa Sigma Chis were entertained by the K D's last Wednesday.

Fraternity news was pretty dull this week, but I'll see if I can glean a little dirt from the sorority news. Sure enuf . . . Ann Kaiser, Phi Mu, passed candy last Monday. I suppose that's old stuff to most of you Dugout Hounds. Here we go on some more guests . . . I realize this may be boring for you scandal mongers, but stick around, something interesting may pop up yet. Virginia Olson, Rosemary McMahon, Betty Hodgson, and Bernice Hoffman were potluck guests Monday night. By the way, I'm still talking about the Phi Mu's—maybe you lost the thread of thought through all that insignificant prattle. Beat you to it. Doris Mary Bader of Wahpeton and Erme Ekstrom, an Alpha Delta Theta from Crookston, were initiated at services Sunday afternoon.

Kappas to Minneapolis

Um, I see the K K G's have taken to the road—R. E.'s. Harriet Aylmer and Virginia Wattam whipped

over to Minneapolis to see Richard II. Rachel Elznic left Tesday for same city. Sigis and the KKG's are planning their annual "Gamma Tau" picnic. The spring formal is May 11 in Festival Hall with Betty Myrbo in charge. The Detroitis and the Goodwins are to be the chaperones at the dinner before the dance at the Comstock. Hold your hats! Here we go with more guests . . . Marg Schonberg, Helen Darrow, Doris Selvig, Adeline Luther, Margaret Torrance, Jane Young, Betty Stern, and Barbara Schmallen, for potluck in the Kappa rooms.

The POP's have a new pledge—Helen Mary McDonald. Their annual pie party is to be held on All College Day. Don't miss it—the pies are excellent. Notice to POPs . . . I'll collect for that plug later. Off to the province convention in Minneapolis are Jean Halbeisen, Harriet Shigley, Fay Ann Nelson, Jeanne Boyle, Louise Crosby, Elizabeth Covert and Marian Anstett. The chapter was entertained at potluck on Monday night at the home of Mayor Fred Olson.

Gamma Phi's Entertainment

The Gamma Phi's entertained the Alpha Gamma Rho's Wednesday. Eunice Hjelle (in the vernacular of the education department is back from the field. Yeh, you guessed it; she's been practice teaching out in Tower City. Minneapolis seems to be quite popular nowadays. It couldn't be that the Gayety is open again. Excuse me girls, just wondering. Charlotte

Student Opinion

Dear Editor:

Since D. H., of last week's editorial entitled, "Forensic Department Dying?", appears to be so well-informed on the subject of debating, he must know that the primary and basic rule in debating is that the participant should know both sides of the argument. In fact, said participant should know his subject so thoroughly that he can anticipate his opponent's rebuttal. D. H. either failed to foresee the implications that might be drawn from his perfunctory article, or he purposely ignored them to prove his own opinion.

He implied that the speech department is deliberately and maliciously pushing the forensic activities into the background. He admits that there is a lack of finances in the department, yet he fails to see why intercollegiate debate cannot be conducted. Since the department does not have enough funds to carry out all its programs effectively, it has to eliminate some phase of its work to a certain extent. It is logical that an activity in which the least number of students participate should be chosen for this unwelcome and regrettable paring of expenses. He doesn't mention the excellent lyceum course that is sponsored by the Little Country Theatre. Through this activity every student is able to witness some of the finest talent in the entertainment world. Also, the plays presented by the L. C. T. afford many students the opportunity of training in dramatic work.

The fact is mentioned that intercollegiate debate is a means for the college to "advertise over a very extensive area". Just before this statement was made the writer said, rather disparagingly, that "rural work" had sufficient funds to function properly. The main purpose of advertising a college is to obtain the enrollment of new students to the institution. Rural work can do this advertising more effectively than a debate tournament in another college, because high school students all over the state are contacted by this rural program.

The following excerpt particularly amused me, quote . . . "Many who might otherwise be interested in debate divert their efforts elsewhere since little can be gained from this forensic set-up." I am wondering just what D. H. expects to gain from forensic activities that would be done away with by the elimination of trips to other colleges. If he is a true exponent of the art of debate, it would seem to me that he could derive as much benefit by conducting the activity between students on this campus. However, it is great fun to take trips to other colleges at somebody else's expense!

—Dorothy Bentley.

Carpenter went to Minneapolis last week-end. Betty Carnine also went to the better half of the Twin Cities to shoot on the Business Womens' Rifle Team. There she met Renee Walz, a Gamma Phi alum now attending St. Benedict's college.

Mary Ann Tronnes entertained several guests at the lakes last week-end. Guests—I promise this will be the last batch of them—were Betty Myrbo, Bev Fields, Eleanor Bergan, Janice Follett, Janet Wilson, Emily Oram, and Ruth Gunvaldsen.

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High School Students

Return Home From May Festival Visit

Approximately 800 North Dakota high school students are "back home" this week after a three-day visit to the NDAC campus May 2-4 where they attended the 33rd annual May Festival sponsored by the college. Many of them were awarded prizes and certificates for their high ranking in the various agricultural, home economics and literary contests.

More than 350 boys from 38 high school vocational agriculture departments led the registration at the 1940 festival. Some were official delegates to the state Future Farmers of America convention, and all participated in the livestock, farm mechanics, poultry and crops judging contests. Close to 250 home economics students and several hundred musicians, literary contestants and girl athletes helped swell the registration.

After dinner speaking— Clarence Landgren of Jamestown, first; Dorothy Jane Olson of Carrington, second; Keith Irwin of Fargo, third.

Declamation—Lois Dude of Carrington, first; Charles Martin of Fargo, second; Neil Duffy of Cooperstown, third.

Extempore speech — Fred Pankow of Hankinson, first; Janette Heisler of Fargo, second; Lillian Halaas of Carrington, third.

Oratorical—Calvin Stoll of Tower City, first; Dorothy Jane Olson of Carrington, second; Richard Olson of Fargo, third.

Story-telling — Charlotte Newberry of Jamestown, first; Mary Helen Riley of Lidgerwood, second; Patricia McCarty of Fargo, third.

Character makeup — Lorraine Landsveck of Minot, first; Joe Hyland of Fargo, second.

Radio drama—Fargo, first; Jamestown, second.

Miniature stage setting — Minot, first; Jamestown and Fargo, tied for second; Cooperstown, third.

One-act play contest—Fargo, first; Carrington, second; Jamestown, third.

Girls' Athletic competition results are as follows: Phyllis Heiberg, tennis singles; in girls' softball, Fargo took first by defeating MSTC by 31 to 26. In the dance solo competition

Georgina Fortin and Elsie Ryan, both of Fargo, took first and second respectively. Vera Wagner and Ardit Halvorson of Hankinson tied for third. In group dancing Hankinson took first, Fargo second, and Fargo and MSTC tied for third.

Highest award for all events: Mayville, first; Casselton, second; LaMoure, Grand Forks Central and Jamestown tied for third.

HEALTH AND HOME NURSING
Superior: Cooperstown, Minnewaukan, Lidgerwood, Maddock, Larimore, Jamestown, Twin Valley, Minn.
Excellent: Bismarck, Enderlin, Hunter, Sarles, Wahpeton, Hatton, Buffalo.
Very Good: Fingal, Park River, New Rockford, Gardner.

MANNERS AND GROOMING
Group 1, Clothing—Superior: Casselton, Grandville, Enderlin, Jamestown, Rugby, West Fargo.
Excellent: Dickinson, Bottineau, Medina, Park River, Devils Lake, Mayville, Hatton.
Very Good: Grafton, Pembina, Cooperstown, Velva, Larimore, Carrington, Grand Forks Central.

FAMILY RELATIONS
Superior: LaMoure, Bismarck, Maddock, Casselton, New Rockford, Carrington, Medina.
Excellent: Enderlin, Grand Forks Central, Mayville, Mohall, Hettinger.
Very Good: Bottineau, Rugby, New England, Hunter, Sheldon.

FOODS, CONTEST ONE
Superior: Pembina, Wimbledon, Lidgerwood, Watford City, Mayville, Rugby, New Rockford, Devils Lake.
Excellent: Rolla, Hettinger, West Fargo, Grand Forks South Junior, Casselton, LaMoure.

FOODS, CONTEST TWO
Superior: Minnewaukan, LaMoure, New Rockford, Bismarck, Edgeley, Lansford, Maddock, Mohall, Mayville.
Excellent: Grand Forks Central, Wahpeton, Hunter, Watford City, Casselton.
Very Good: Rolla, Jamestown, Grandville, Gardner.

GROUP EXHIBITS OF CLOTHING AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES
Cities under 4,000
Home Economics, Group 1—Superior: Wahpeton, Hettinger, Carrington. Excellent: New Rockford, Cooperstown. Very Good: Lar-

more, Twin Valley, Minn. Good: Anamosce, Casselton, LaMoure, Buffalo.
Home Economics, Group 2—Superior: Twin Valley, Minn. Excellent: Kenmare, Casselton. Very Good: Tioga, Buffalo, Northwood, New Salem. Good: Mohall, Oakes, Watford City, Carrington. Walsh County Agricultural and Training School, Park River.
Miscellaneous group exhibit: Superior: Washburn. Excellent: Wahpeton, Enderlin. Very Good: Medina, Velva, Edgeley, Grafton. Good: Gardner, Tower City.

Cities over 4,000
Home economics, Group 1—Superior: Jamestown. Excellent: Bismarck. Very Good: Dickinson. Good: Grand Forks Central, Devils Lake, Williston.
Home economics, Group 2—Superior: Jamestown, Fargo Central. Excellent: Grand Forks Central, Bismarck. Very Good: Devils Lake. Good: Dickinson.

PLAQUES TO SUPERIOR INDIVIDUALS
Family relationships contest: Jean Skjonsby of Carrington, Edith Westad of Benson County, Maxine Allenworth of Bismarck, Jeanette Gale of LaMoure, Bessie Hansen of Jamestown, Bonita Market of Dickinson, Clarice Curfman of New Rockford, Faith Senecal of Casselton, Loretta Baines of Kenmare, Lois Marquardt of Wahpeton, Maxine Mauriston of Walsh county, Ferrol Smith of Hettinger, Genevieve Titus of Enderlin, Vivian Vikian of Bottineau, Zoe Wilson of Washburn.

Food, Group 1: Peggy Freeburg of Wimbledon, Mary Helen Riley of Lidgerwood, Leone Craig of Pembina, Jean Miller of Watford City, Judith Ree of Mayville, Naomi Brown of Rugby, Betty Miller of New Rockford, Shirley Mae Epstein of Devils Lake.

Food, Group 2: Ione Wall of Minnewaukan, Eleanor Brunson of LaMoure, June Hartley of New Rockford, Elizabeth Ritterbush of Bismarck, Margerie Paul of Edgeley, Geraldine Knutson of Lansford, Lucile Lomen of Benson county, Margaret Gudinger of Mohall, Valberg Stenoi of Mayville.

Clothing, group one, manners and grooming: Betty Jean Johnson of Grandville, Doris Brun of Enderlin, Carolyn Caraloy of Casselton, Vivian Viken of Bottineau, Margaret Morris of Jamestown, Mavis Hedin of Dickinson, Marvel Wichmann of Casselton, Doris Oliver of Rugby, Donna Mannes of West Fargo, Louise Hendrickson of Grafton, Ferrol Smith of Hettinger.

Clothing, group two: Elizabeth Onstad of Grand Forks Central, Bernice Carlson of Oakes, Zoe Wilson of Washburn, Marjorie Homelvig of New England, Walberg Steivson of Mayville, Jean Garrish of Jamestown, Shirley Murray of Tower City, Marion Harris of Kenmare, Annis Dorie of Fargo Central, Irene Janish of Fingal.

Health and home nursing: Ardis Heringstad of Cooperstown, Blanche Lennis of New Salem, Ione Wall of Minnewaukan, Blanche Poulter of Lidgerwood, Irene Janish of Fingal, Edith Westad of Benson county, Argye Franklyn of Larimore, Rachel Janick of Jamestown, Mildred Schroeder of Twin Valley, Minn., Jean Guynor of Jamestown, Helen Baker of Sarles.

APPRECIATION

In behalf of the North Dakota Association of the Future Farmers of America we wish to express our sincere appreciation to the Spectrum Staff for the splendid coverage given the Future Farmer and Vocational Agriculture activities in the May 3 issue of the Spectrum.

We are mindful that it meant a tremendous amount of additional planning and work for the entire staff. It was a job especially well done and we feel certain that The Spectrum will reach the home of every Future Farmer who attended the convention.

We are also grateful for the whole-hearted cooperation received from the numerous departments of the college and from the host of college students and friends who, in spite of their many regular activities, found time to lend a helping hand. We realize that the credit for the success, growth and development of the program is due to the combined efforts of a large number of individuals and groups of individuals. For this we are indeed grateful and to one and all we express sincere thanks.

—State F. F. A. Executive Committee.
Department of Agricultural Education.

Greenlaw Succeeds Hay In Experiment Station

James P. Greenlaw has been appointed acting chairman of the rural sociology department in the NDAC Experiment Station to succeed Donald G. Hay, resigned, announces Dr. H. L. Walster, station director. Hay recently accepted a position with the Federal Bureau of Agricultural Economics and is located at Lincoln, Neb. Greenlaw came to NDAC April 1, 1939, as assistant rural sociologist and has been studying group relations in cooperative marketing, the social aspects of land utilization and family living costs in the state.

NOTICE

Retreat of entire YWCA on Wednesday, May 15, at 5 p. m. All Y members bring your own refreshments and meet at college Y at 4:30. Picnic will be in Oak Grove park.

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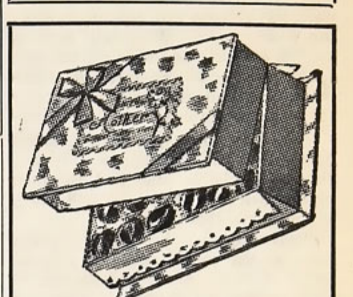
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Casey's Footballers Hang Up Their Shoes After Today's Drill

By PETE LEWIS

Climaxing a slambang four weeks' practice session, Coach Casey Finnegan's gridiron hopefuls today wind up spring football with an intra-squad game.

Displaying marked improvement, the squad has exceeded early expectations. Confronted with a new offensive system and a line manned mostly by inexperienced men, the Bison have come a long way and are shaping up a little better than expected.

This fall the power and success of the AC eleven will depend greatly upon the players just graduated from the frosh ranks. They will have a big job on their hands to fill the line spots left vacant by last year's co-captains, Cecil Schrank and Harry Johnson, and others.

Harry Treglawny, guard; Charles Scott and Sid Sanderson, tackles; Jim Davis, back, and Ted Barnick, center, are new men who will see a lot of action this year.

Treglawny has been going great guns at the guard spot left vacant by Al Bostow. Scott and Sanderson have teamed up to make a fine pair of tackles. Barnick at center has been showing up exceptionally well defensively during late scrimmages. He will give much added strength to the center position already sporting a veteran in Pat Twomey.

Sturgeon At Full

In the backfield Cecil Sturgeon, shifted to fullback in accordance with the new system, is using his weight and power to great advantage at the pivot post.

At halfback Pomeroy Hill and Jimmy Higgs have both improved their running greatly over last year. Higgs, whose passing ability was proven in the Montana game last year, has picked up new tricks in both the running and passing departments.

Don Johnston and Jim Davis, blocking backs, are both showing great defensive work. Johnston, quarterback last year, has shown advancement in his blocking.

Earl Marquardt has taken a place in the backfield instead of the end spot which he played last year. Marquardt has been going good in the scrimmages but has laid off because of an injured shoulder.

Another veteran, Joel (Zip) Nelson, has also come through with some great defensive playing in the scrimmages.

Other frosh backs who give added reserve strength to the squad are Edsel Boe, Gene Fuller and Ralph Johnson. Boe is speedy and Finnegan has high hopes for him.

AC Trackmen To Defend ND Cinder Championship

They will be gunning for the Bison tomorrow at Grand Forks.

Because of the Herd's unexpected showing in winning the North Dakota Intercollegiate title last year the pre-game experts have established the AC track team as heavy favorites to successfully defend the title won last year.

Ellendale Normal is the team doped as the outfit to beat if the Bison are to win again. But after last week's showing at the Dragon Relays no one is going to underestimate the team of sophomores to be entered by Clem Letich, coach of the NDU Sioux.

Johnny Smith is entering men in 12 events in an effort to pick up any stray points possible, but only in the field events is the AC supposed to have a preponderance of power.

Last week the Bison showed that they will also have a good mile relay team to count on. The team of Bernie Bermann, Terry Carey, Bill Herm and Vern Johnson ran a beautiful race to win the feature event of the MSTC meet.

Bermann, captain of the AC team, will enter as many events as possible. Last week he beat three NDU men in the final of the 100-yard dash. Tomorrow, besides running anchor on the relay team he will enter the 100, 220 and 440-yard dashes, and the broad jump.

Bob Sheard set a new record in the javelin last Friday and tomorrow he again meets his arch-foe, Bill Spear of the Sioux, in that event. Sheard is also entered in the discus.

Carey, Nygard and Johnson are entered in the 880-yard run. These three teamed with Bermann in the Dragon meet to win the sprint medley event.

Bill Herm and Vern Johnson are going to run in the 440.

Larry Tanberg will be competing in three events. The pole vault and discus are his specialties, but he may



BERNIE BERMANN wins his heat with the best qualifying time in the 100-yard dash at the Dragon Relays. In the evening Bermann nosed out Walt Dobler of the University to win the event in 10.3.

also be able to sneak in a point in the high jump.

Charles Schaffner has discarded the two-mile run and will devote his time to the mile tomorrow. He and Carey are also entered in the low hurdles event.

Jim Maxwell will join Tanberg and Sheard as another AC entrant in the discus throw.

Larson Gets No Hit Game

By GEORGE RULON

Two teams stand out with perfect records in the intramural softball league as the field of 12 teams swings into the second half of the schedule.

Last year's finalists are leading the pack again this season. The Kappa Sigma Chi team, defending champs, are in first place in division B with four straight victories. The Gamma Rho's boast the same record to be pace setters in division A.

Two shutouts were scored by the Gamma Rho's this week as they whitewashed the Mechanical Engineers 12-0 and the ATO team 14-0. The Engineer game was a no-hit, no-run affair with Herman Larson pitching for the winners.

These two losers clashed Monday and played one of the closest games of the week before the Engineers eked out a 6-5 win. The Co-ops stayed up near the top with a 7-6 triumph over the Dorm.

This afternoon the Kappa Psi team is scheduled against the Mechanical Engineers. The Gamma Rho's face the Theta Chi's, and the Dorm plays the Sigma Chi ten to complete the day's schedule.

The standings:

Division A			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Alpha Gamma Rho.....	4	0	1.000
Kappa Psi	4	1	.800
Mech. Engineers	4	2	.667
Theta Chi	1	3	.250
Alpha Tau Omega.....	1	4	.200
YMCA	0	4	.000
Division B			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Kappa Sigma Chi.....	4	0	1.000
Co-op	4	1	.800
Sigma Alpha Epsilon 2	2	2	.500
Dorm	2	3	.400
Sigma Chi	0	2	.000
Sigma Phi Delta.....	0	4	.000

Intramural Bowling Playoffs Scheduled

With final games of the schedule rolled on Tuesday night, Theta Chi and SAE trundlers will face each other in the playoff for the intramural title and the trophy that goes with it some time next week.

Theta Chi won the first round with the SAE's victorious in the second half of the schedule. These two teams will roll against each other without any handicaps.

Buck Gallagher of the Sigma Chi team rolled the highest game of the year on the final night when he hit the pins for a 246 total.

League secretary Don Sealander announces that a meeting will be held in the near future to elect officers for next year.

Golfers Take Trip; Lose Two, Win One

NDAC's golf team journeyed into Minnesota over the weekend and came back with one victory in three matches against Minnesota, Carleton and St. Thomas.

In a three-team affair on May 3 the Minnesota Gophers defeated the Bison. Bud Paulson shot a 76 to pace the Green and Yellow linksters. Carleton college won second place.

St. Thomas was the opposition on Saturday as the Bison defeated the Tommies 6½-5½. Walt Maddock scored three match points to lead the winners as Bud Paulson again shot a 76 for Bison medalist honors. Maddock and Chuck Wattam got 77's while Tom Buck shot two 39's for a 78 total.

Against Carleton on May 5 the Bison came out on the short end of a 9½-8½ score.

Women's Sports

By EUNICE WARNER

WAA'ers will banquet Thursday at 6 at Ceres Hall for their annual awards dinner. Sweaters will be presented to girls who have earned 1500 points in college athletics. Blankets will be awarded to girls who have accumulated 3000 points. A plaque will be presented to the outstanding senior girl. All members wishing to attend please sign up now.

Members of the recreational leadership class are conducting social hours for the other members of the class. Recreation is planned by three girls at a time, folk dancing, games, and individual sports being popular pastimes. The recreational leadership class also sponsored high school girls' athletic contests during the May Festival.

All students interested in playing softball or entering the tennis tournament please sign up on the Ceres Hall Gym bulletin board now! The badminton tournament contestants are posted. Play your game immediately!

Virginia Arends and Vera Wooldridge are ping-pong finalists. The finals are to be played this weekend.

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