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Attend the 1938 **Bison Brevities** 

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## NUMBER 25 Curtain Ready To Rise On 'Tangerine'

### **Alpha Gam Group Hold International Reunion** Day

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Of Student Body of the North

Dakota Agricultural College

Saturday, April 9, will be celebrated by Alpha Gamma Delta as International Reunion Day. The custom of designating one Saturday in the month of April as a day of reunion and promotion of cooperative activity among all Alpha Gamma Delta members was adopted by the Grand Council of the fraternity at the 1935 international convention. Each of the 48 undergraduate chapters in the United States and Canada are the center for reunion festivities to which all undergraduates and alumnae in that vicinity are invited, whether they are alumnae from that particular chapter or not. Similar festivities take place in all cities and towns not near an undergraduate chapter where there are groups of alum-nae. Beta Beta chapter of Alpha Gamma Delta is at North Dakota State College.

A preliminary program to Reunion Day will be held in the undergraduate chapter rooms on Friday night immediately following the Bison Brevities production of "Tangerine"; and will consist of stunts, a moving picture of the chapter members depicting chapter life and a general social time. Joan Hughes of Bismarck is chairman of the program, and Mrs. C. W. Glotzbach will be in charge of showing the moving picture.

Catherine Brandes is in charge of an exhibit of material from Alpha Gamma Delta's recent national convention. This exhibit will be on display in the chapter room in the college YMCA and Carol Buhrmann will assist with it.

At 11:30 a.m. Saturday initiation services wil lbe conducted by Catherine Brandes, chapter president, for the following: Mary Froling, Fargo; Virginia Johnston, Forest River; Lucille Knudtson, Aneta; Marie Letnes, Hills-

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### Roy DeRose Chosen Theta Chi President

Members of Theta Chi fraternity elected Roy DeRose, Wilton, as their new president, Monday evening. He will succeed Dale Hogoboom, Fargo, who has held the office for the last two years.

Others who were elected include: Stanley Heggen, Devils Lake, vicepresident; John Lynch, LaMoure, sec-retary; Victor Hultstrand, Park River, marshal; Sigurd Johnson, Jamestown, treasurer; Howard Fraser, Walhalla, first guard; Carl Rorvig, Nome, second guard; Wallace Bjornson, Devils Lake, librarian; Ervin Dreblow, Fertile, historian; and William McKee, Webster, chaplain.

DeRose is a junior in engineering. During the past year he has been the chapter treasurer and house manager. The new officers will be installed by retiring president Hogoboom Saturday evening following the annual Founder's Day banquet.

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#### Arneson Wins **Brevities** Host To Kleptomaniac

During the last three weeks of concentrated drill of the Bison Brevities chorus, someone has easily enriched himself by \$30. The staffs in Festival Hall believe that the thief who has stolen money from leadership. the girls' purses in the dressing This award has been made the last room is a member of the outfit. several years. Last year Howard Heg-Their purses have been rifled on bar was recipient and in 1936 Frieda three differnt occasions, and add up Panimon was selected to a total of more than thirty dollars. The award is \$25 cash. One member of the chorus lost ten dollars, another, four, and so onnearly everyone has lost some money.

The girls of the Brevities chorus are offering their services for noth-ing, and few can stard the strain these unjust and heavy losses have put on their finances. Realizing that nothing is improved by silencing the scandal, Brevities managers request that all those having definite information that may lead to apprehending the criminal see either the Dean of Men or the Dean of Women.



**Holy Week Services** Holy week Sunrise services will be held in the YMCA dining room the first four days of next week, from 7:15 until 7:45. Special music will be given each

morning, with Lloyd Collins, Evelyn Larson, Virginia Carnahan, Marie Carlson and others playing. There will be group and individual meditation. There will be plenty of time for coffee following the service. All students are

urged to come. Ruth Swisher is representing the YWCA cabinet on the committee, and Wilbur Benson the YMCA.

#### Statistics On Winter Term

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	Pharmacy		78.4	80.8	83.8	80.3	
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### Show Is Polished Off, Cast All Set To 'Slay 'Em'

## Staff Sponsors Musical Cup Awarded to Highest Rating Ticket Seller By Manager

Senior Staff, cooperating with mem-bers of Sigma Alpha Iota, musical sorcrity, is sponsoring a May Day Musi-cal to be held in Festival Hall on the afternoon of May 1st. Dorothy Hawkinson and Gwendolyn Stenehjem are in general charge. Most of the numbers on the program will be presented by members of the musical sorority and other campus musicians.

#### TENNIS FANS, NOTICE!

Because of the very small number of entrants in the tennis tourna-ment, the closing date for entries has been moved to Saturday, April Register your name with C. C. Finnegan or Ed Welems, or write it on the gym bulletin board. A fee of 25 cents will be charged and used to buy sweaters for the winners. —Ed Wellems

### Choose Campus Hero

And now the men have their chance! At last, the "ideal man" on the campus is to be chosen. In like manner to the election of the barn dance queen, so will this ideal man be chosen at the Senior Staff Spin-ster Skip, April 22.

All social fraternities, the boys dorm, and the Cosmopolitan club will enter names to be voted at the Walshdoor before the dance. Sanders orchestra will furnish music. Tickets may be purchased at Dean Dinan's office for 50 cents per couple. Dancing will be from 9:00 until 12:00. Lois Myron and Phyllis Rowe are in general charge, and Evelyn Wattam is obtaining chaperones



ROY PEDERSON



"Tangerine", the eleventh annual Bison Brevities, is ready for the firstcurtain audience.

Coming at the end of a two months' concentrated drive, a complete rehear-sal with pit-band. marked last Sunday the end of extended preparation for the musical production to be given to-night and tomorrow at 8:15 in Festival Hall. The remainder of the time before today's matinee performance will be spent in polishing up some of the musical specialty numbers under the critical eye of Bob Sanders.

Now occupying the attention of Man-ager Martin Wolfe, his ticket chief, Kent Helland, Russ Stevenson, and Harold Clauson, and Blue Key mem-bers, is the completing of the ticket drive for the production. Advance res-ervations have been favorable, reports Wolfe. General admission tickets, priced at 75 cents, are being sold at the booth at Sears Roebuck & Co. and at Festival Hall, phone 1220. All student tickets for the evening perform-ance are being sold at 50 cents, with free reservation of their seats to made this afternoon. High school tickets to the matinee are 25 cens.

A feature of the first evening performance will be the presentation of a gold loving cup to the fraternity selling the most tickets in the campus con-

test, which ends today at 6:00 p.m. The play opens in the alimony jail in New York City. Jack Floyd (Dick Weltzin), Lee Loring (John Carlson), and Fred Allen (Justin Brainerd) are in jail for refusing to pay alimony to their various wives. Shortly Dick Ow-ens (Bob Sanders) is brought into jail for being out on a binge and shooting at the stone lions in front of the public library.

Owens is a young millionaire sportsman in love with Shirley Dalton June Lowe). Miss Dalton refuses to marry him because marriages of all her friends have turned out unhappily. Her unhappy friends are wives of the three alimony jail inmates. Shirley tells Dick she'll marry him if he can succeed in reconciling the three couples. In his attempt to bring together the

sextette, Owens takes them on a yacht trip to the Island of Tangerine, where Joe Perkins (Roy Pederson), an es-caped alimony jail convict, rules as (Continued on Page Four)

### **NDSC Students Pass Air Corps Test**

From over forty applicants for the examinations given admission to the Army Air Corps, only six have pasesd up to this time, Tuesday afternoon.

Pronounced physically fit are: Ro-and Barnick, senior in education, from Max; Paul Boyle, senior, education, Fargo; Dayton Byram, senior, agriculture, Wheatland; Dale Hellickosn, senior, civil engineering, Medora; Robert Kirk, senior, education, Fargo; Orville Rehmann, senior, chemistry, Leeds.

These six are qualified to enter Ran-dolph Field, Texas, elementary air

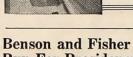


## Attend Dragon Relays

Word was received here last week of the postponement of the Dakota Relays at Sioux Falls, S. Dak., until next year. The reason given was that their new track has not been completed and no facilities for the meet are available this year.

This new arrangement of the track team's schedule will enable the A.C. squad to enter the Dragon Relays at MSTC for the first time this year. These relays are held on May 6, the same date the Dakota Relays are held. At the Dragon Relays an innovation will be instituted this year. Preliminaries are to be held in the afternoon and the finals under floodlights at night.

The week previous to the Dragon Relays, the Bison track squad will attend the Aberdeen Relays at Aberdeen, S. Dak.



**Run For Presidency** 

All members of the YMCA, holding membership cards for this year, will vote for a revised personnel of the Y cabinet next Tuesday afternoon in the YMCA building.

Those on the nomination ticket are Wilbur Benson and John Fisher for president; Kenneth Erickson and Vic Halstrand for secretary, and Barney Hutchins for treasurer. Donald Hay and W. R. Wenger are up for faculty Zoology Club Edwin Booth Dramatic Club. advisors. The election board is com-posed of Reuben Arneson, William Senior Staff American Institute of E. E. Pflugrath, and Robert Sanders. Women's Senate

The Ten Highes	t College	Grades (Undergraduate)	
Jane Blair 97.0	Applied	Arts and Sciences	Freshman
Robert Penman	Civil En	gineering	Senior
Margaretta Bjornson	Applied	Arts and Sciences	Junior
R. Gordon Arneson	Applied	Arts and Sciences	Senior
Lorraine Naftalin	Applied	Arts and Sciences	Sophomore
David Askegaard95.0	Adminis	trative Engineering	Junior
Elinor Johnson	Agricult	ure	Freshman
Rose Parkins	Home E	conomics	Senior
Clifford Simonson 94.8	Agricult	ure	Sophomore
Harry Woll 94.7	Mechani	cal Engineering	Sophomore
Student Organizations		Delta Psi Kappa	
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Lincoln Forensic Club	87.8	Scabbard and Blade	
Alpha Zeta	87.6	Alpha Gamma Delta	
Pi Gamma Mu			
Rho Chi			
Kappa Delta Pi		Art Club	

86.6 Phi Omega Pi

86.4 Alpha Phi Gamma

85.8 Kappa Sigma Chi...

85.7 Delta Tau Epsilon.

Kappa Kappa Gamma

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84.4 YWCA officers were announced late Tuesday evening. Evelyn Larson is the new president; Mary Beth Lewis, . 84.3 84.2 84.1 vice-president; Ruth Thomte, secre84.1 tary, and Lois McMillan, treasurer. 84.1 Other members of next year's cabinet will be selected by this group and will 83.8 be announced next week.

corps flying school. The physical examination they have passed and com-pletion of half the units toward graduation comprise all the entrance re-quirements for a flying cadet. They are not required to enter, nor, if they choose to enlist, need they begin with the next class on July 1, but may wait until next fall.

According to the officers of the ex-amining board, the two primary reasons for the failure of most applicants are the eyes and the heart. Each of these reasons accounts for about 50 per cent of those rejected, they said. Color blindness accounted for the next largest number. Applicants who pass these tests are given a detailed and probing examination as to their physcal fitness.

The number pasesd from this school is an unusually low percentage, the officers said. On the average, 25 per cent of those examined pass.



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#### STATE PARDON BOARDS

#### By ALFRED THOMPSON

Pardon boards have in the past few years become the object of much just criticism. Their usefulness and serviceability have become more impaired in the past twenty years than in all the previous years of their existence. They have become a useless organization of crippled means because of politics and public sentiment.

The greatest objection to the state pardon boards is the member or members who compose them. Very generally one finds that the governor of the state is either chairman or a regular member of the board. His personal pardoning power is also granted him in the constitution of the state. One has a right to believe that the governor may be bound by political or social ties to hand down the wanted decision. Not only is the governor able to be politically influenced, but also, any other member of the board who depends upon support of a plurality of voters in the state in order to hold office. Decisions may be both improper from the standpoint of giving a pardon where one really isn't due and failing to give a pardon where one really is due.

A good example of crippled pardoning power may be found in the "Lindbergh Case" which was tried in the State of New Jersey by a court which was, of course, composed of members from the state. The bearing of the last statement upon the question is significant. Persons who are selected to serve on a jury, hearing a case which is concerned with their own sentiments, are bound by popular opinion to render the popular verdict. The jury of the "Lindbergh was composed of persons whose lives had brought them in close contact with the life of that famous family, and even could have considered themselves neighbors to them. The de cision they gave was a decision permeated with sentiment and popular opinion rather than a decision of justice and legal right. The sentiment over the United States was generally that Hauptmann was either wholly innocent or only partly guilty of the crime and that the State of New Jersey extinguished the life of a probably innocent man as well as their only hope of ever convicting the actual guilty ones.

One may wonder what this has to do with state pardoning boards. State pardoning boards are composed of persons much like the persons on the jury in that case. The persons on a par-doning board are often times prevented from free usage of conscience dictates because of influences which would ruin them politically or socially should they do so. Their only alterna-tive is to follow the crowd or place their own ivog in a precarious position

the governor to grant a pardon is hog-tied by political influences.

There is no reason why the pardon boards of states should be composed of persons whose careers are depended upon their decisions. There is a solution to the problem which probably would solve the influence of politics and public sentiment though it would be more costly than the present system.

A pardoning board might be composed of persons who are appointed by the governor with the consent of the senate, and with powers of removal the same as with other state elected officials, namely impeachment or recall. The terms of the members would be the same as is the term of the members of the United States Supreme Court. To pay the members a sufficient salary would be the only real problem. Should they be paid too small a salary to keep them solely employed in this position they would be likely to be too ignorant of law to be on the board. The salary would have to be sufficient to award good men on the board.

#### THE 'Y' BRINGS US SOMETHING NEW

Feeling the needs and desires of the student body for something it has never had a chance to experience, the combined cabinets of the YW-YMCA's have worked together to bring to the campus something new in religious services. It isn't as though a great majority of the students won't be attending church services during the week, anyway, but these sunrise services will be held in such close proximity to the campus that large attendances will be guaranteed.

Inspiration will be brought to the students through meditation and music, directed by student leaders and musicians.

#### BISON BREVITIES PUBLICITY STUNTS

If the story were put together right, it would be a real "drammer." The motives for this pic-torial edition of the Spectrum have been nursed for two weeks by both the Brevities and the Spectrum staffs. The Spectrum has been hard up for copy, news, and feature material lately the public has been clamoring for pictures, and the Brevities outfit have been worming around for publicity, so we thought we would make it easy all the way around by flashing this gore-sheet on the stands a day early, in time for the first curtain tonight. But what we thought would be easy, turned out to be a real job. It would have been worth anyone's time to visit at the Ulsaker Printing Company this week. Wolf and his stooges were splashing ink around trying to get their program finished in time for the first performance, the Concordian staffs were trying to beat them to the presses with their paper which also comes out today, and we were getting in everyone's way, obsessed with an idea.

Any kick-backs due us from the readers may be phoned in any time Friday.

#### QUOTABLE QUOTES

(By Associated Collegiate Press) "The problems of today can be solved and will be solved through an intelligent and trained leadership," said acting President Herman B. Wells of Indiana University to freshmen.

"The students who rank highest in scholarship are also the students who take an active part in extra-curricular activity." Dean G. Herbert Smith of DePauw University hastened to add that "bookworms" rarely make the highest grades.

\* Although there is a much-lauded American tradition of 'working one's way through college,' the frequency with which students have actually been able to earn their maintenance during the four-year period in which they completed the Bachelor's Degree is so small that to attempt to do so may . . . be considered poor judgment."— C. L. Murray, Registrar, Ball State Teachers College, Indiana.

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### The Social Climber ....

Editor's Note:-This column was written over a week ago. But be-cause of the crowded space last week, and the disregarded dead-lines, it was left out. We hope you will just gloss over the old gore, and forgive us for this, another weakness of the speeded up edition.

Well, I wouldn't be a bit surprised if the new Easter bonnets get put back on the shelf due to this sudden whim of dear ole Ma Nature . . . but maybe people will be a little more broadminded with their heads bare . . the Brevities promise to be worth the price of admission, but unless Mr. Sanders stands in front of his leading lady, the audience may be in doubt as to his existence . . . the Spectrum style show was counted as rather a success . . . Doris Johnson made a darn sweet picture when the draper stuck her in a tender spot . . . Fashion Plate Corwin managed to do a bit of pre-curtain strutting, too ... looks like an agree-able match as far as Larry Weir and Hartwell are concerned ... he can pick 'em but can he hold 'em ... Bentley was truly the fairest of the entrees for the beauty contest ... Smith and on them ..

Initiation service was held Sunday

for Jack Darch, Milton Erickson, Char-

les Fossum, Robert Anderson, William Smith, Willard Olson, Arlo Hendrick-

son, Kemole Lewis, and Porter Muir. A banquet followed the initiation . . .

Kemble Lewis was given the LeMar

Isaak reward for the Freshman having

the highest average for two quarters . .

Sigma Alpha Epsilon-

Stewart maybe should get in a little practice (before show time) on what puns they are going to crack and when maybe then they would go over rootie toot, Ruthie Johnson was

hearly pickled when her two beaus sort of collided last week-end . . . wow . . . the Sig's are certainly doing a good job of making all the little Ceres freshmen their sweethearts . . , maybe the

Judy Garland incident inspired them a bit . . . Anna Jane Black wore her prettiest blush when slapped on the back of her stomach and asked "gosh did you gain weight down there?" . . . wonder how she took it . . . what can be the rumor about an all girls swing band being started . . . probably would put some pep in these funeral dirges called college hops . . . well, Ruthie Gallahan has arrived, so now school can begin . . . thought for awhile that we were going to have a quiet and peaceful term . . . what on earth could June Keefe and Loretta Osbourne have been doing out at Sabin for a dance the other night ... sorry the gory details aren't known, but maybe someone's curiosity will find out . . . so best I wait for next week and put the blame

attended the Follies at the Forx on

Monday. . Phi Omega Pi-Virginia Brown was pledged Monday

night . . . lap-lunch guests were Ada Coulter, Eleanor Erickson, Helen Greenland, Barbara Sjordahl and Clar-. Gladys Provan was apice Lee . pointed rushing captain . . . The Weekly Wednesday afternoon tea was held with Elaine Hellend . . . Ethel Renwick was a guest at the house . . . The Kap-pa Delta pledge chapter will be entertained Friday afternoon from 3:00 to 5:00 . Miss Barbara Registrar was

homes over the weekend . . . Bison Brevities' chief electrician Herb Jones and assistant Mark Olson motored to Grand Forks to see "The U Follies", they said ... Fred Mannes from Chillibrief visit last week ... Frog LaMarre's parents were weekend guests ... Glen cothe, Missori, visited the house this week for his annual check-up on his Fake, Bob Sanders, Johnny Carlson brother Earl . . Thuring, fashion leader

of the SPD will appear in the Easter Parade wearing a green herring-bone suit and a pea-green hat . Jack Riebe returned from his home in Kensal, Monday, with his fraternity pin and a cold, he received our sincere symphathy.

#### Alpha Gamma Delta—

Kathleen and Carol Benson, Georgia Mott, and Mary Allan Kennedy were potluck guests Monday night . . . Agnes Arntson visited her sister, Evelyn, Saturday . . . Nelita Dyer spent the week-end at her home in Shelly, Minn. . . . Leon Heuer visited his sister, Elvira, Sunday . . . LaVaun Buhrman spent the weekend with her sister . . Our trio will broadcast over KVOX Sunday, April 10, on the Sigma Alpha Iota pro-Helen Restveld was initiated gram . into Phi U Sunday ... Margaret Dadey has recently returned from a vacation in Florida with her family.

#### Gamma Phi Beta-

Gertrude Nelson, Connie Taylor, and Mercedes Morris were in Grand Forsk last week-end . . . Initiation will be held on April 10 . . . Regina Garrity was potluck chairman . . Betty Wylie, LaVern Middlemas, and Jane Blair as-. . . Last Sunday all the out-ofsisted town girls had dinner in the apartment ... Gertrude Nelson attended the Flickertail Follies at the U this week. ... Guests at potluck were Connie Taylor, June Keefe, Betty Verne, and Phyllis Krantz.

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#### Kappa Kappa Gamma-

Alice Crayne and Mary Helen Trubey attended the Flickertail Follies at the U. of North Dakota Monday night ... Miss Marion Handy, the national inspector, will be here from the 12th to the 15th . . . Lucille McCarthy and Margie Wilson visited in Detroit Lakes last week-end . . . The Kappas were entertained at the Theta Chi house

Tuesday. .

#### Delta Tau Epsilon-Elected officers for the coming year

were: president, Paul Goebel; vicepresident, George Murphy; secretary, Reidar Rasmussen; treasurer, George Murphy; house manager, Gisli Johann-As per schedule Ed Carlson, Jim Christensen, Doc Montgomery, and Louis Kittel visited their respective homes over the weekend . . . Bison

#### Alpha Gamma Rho-

Twenty pledges were initiated at the end of last week . . . The Founder's Day banquet at the Graver Hotel Sunevening climaxed the festivities. Victor Lundeen, Merlin Toussaint, day (Continued on Page Four)

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Bob Nelson won the key for having the highest average in the active chapter, and Paul McAllen the key for raising his average the most . . . Bill Guy was . John Peterson visited in pledged . Grand Forks over the weekend . Barney Toman and Les Morgan visited a guest Monday night. the chapter . . . James Taylor, Martin Wolf, and Austin Ward attended the Sigma Phi Delta-Flickertal Follies at the U. Alpha Tau Omega-Roy Gregorson, an alumnus now with Jawson Jewelry, visited the house . from the University, Maurice Thompson and Pop Warner . . . Cy Lonsbor-ough and Louis Cline returned for a

As per schedule Ed Carlson, Jim

WITH THE GREEKS

Governor Harold G. Hoffman, who could have pardoned the convicted man long enough to allow the sentiment to subside in the state, was bound by political influences to keep the prisoner headed for the execution. Should the governor have even granted a commutation of sentence or a stay of execution until further evidence could have been found, a storm of protest would have arisen which would have been the downfall of his career in that state. Political influences were too strong for the governor to act as his conscience dictated.

Another instance of "hog-tied" pardoning power is to be found in the "Mooney Case." On Preparedness Day in the year of 1916 in the City of San Francisco a bomb was thrown into the marching throng of people, doing mortal damage to some and inflicting injuries to others. Thomas Mooney was tried on substantial evidence and convicted by a prejudiced jury. His term was life imprisonment. Since the time of the conviction, several attempts have been made to free the probably innocent man, but the ability of England.

A s given yearly Ventura Junior College student musicians recent AT the THEATRES ly began a library of their own recordings of popu-STATE THEATRE **GRAND THEATRE MOORHEAD** Theatre **FARGO THEATRE** lar numbers. Fri., Sat., April 8-9 Fri., Sat., April 8-9 The University Today — Tomorrow Fri., Sat., April 8-9 "DANGER PATROL" Wallace Warner "WEST OF SHANGHAI" of Minnesota WALT DISNEY'S BAXTER maintains a news-BEERY with "SNOW WHITE AND THE SALLY EILERS BORIS KARLOFF reel theater to "SLAVE SHIP" SEVEN DWARFS" bring to students Sun., Mon., April 10-11 "TOPPER" with CONSTANCE BENNETT BRIAN AHERNE Sun., Mon., Tue., April 10-11-12 "HITTING A NEW HIGH" latest world news Sun., Mon., Tue., April 10-11-12 JEAN HARLOW caught by movie Sun., Mon., Tue., Wed. with LILY PONS cameramen. \* \* \* April 10-11-12-13 ROBERT TAYLOR ROBERT TAYLOR In a student JOHN HOWARD poll, University of "PERSONAL PROPERTY" in Wed. Thur., April 13-14 "DANGEROUSLY YOURS" Tue., Wed., April 12-13 "MAKE WAY FOR TOMORROW" "A YANK AT OXFORD" Pittsburgh under-Wed., Thur., April 13-14 graduates endorswith "PICK A STAR" with VICTOR MOORE es Anthony Eden's with CESAR ROMERO foreign policy for with MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN PATSY KELLY

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#### THE GREEKS (Continued From Page 2)

Claire Southam, Ray Douglass and Harvey Byrum visited at the house . . . Clifford Lund has recently undergone an operation on his hand . . . Maynard Seilley was pledged.

#### Kappa Sigma Chi-

Bernard Volkerding spent the week-end at his home in Ada . . . George Strum has returned to school . . . New officers for the coming year are: president, Leonard Dalsted; vice-president, Dave Ebeltoft; treasurer, Robert Paasch; secretary, Irvin Jordre; house manager, Neal Jensen; historian, Russell Hanson; rush captain, Roger Kimber; interfraternity council, Gil Fried-erichs . . . Earl Sulerud, Charles Tomhave, Archie Steen, Roger Kimber, Bernard Volkerding, Rolf Wollan, and Lloyd Parker were initiated into the active chapter this week.

#### Phi Mu-

Virginia Crust visited at her home in Brainerd, Minn., last-week-end Leonette Parries is Bison Brevities ticket salesmen . . . Ethel Renwick and Dorothy Kelly were potluck guests Monday evening . . . Dorothy Rau was initiated into Phi Upsilon Omicron Sunday morning . . . The Mothers club met in the chapter rooms Friday afternoon.

#### Phi Upsilon Omicron-

New officers elected Sunday afternoon are Helen Restvedt, editor; Cloyce Hocking, marshall; and Lucille Clark, historian . . . Miss Feusner returned to her home at Cheyenne, Wyoming, Sun-day evening . . . Mrs. Forthun has been elected district councilor.

#### Theta Chi-

An informal party was held at the house Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Zerby and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Booth were chaperones . . . The fra-ternity was entertained Wednesday evening by the Kappas . . . Arthur Taylor has been visiting the house this week . . . . John Casad and Orville Flom spent the weekend at their homes in McVille.

#### Kappa Delta—

Clarice Ness was a guest at potluck Monday night . . . Jane Roderick and Helen Louise Sletvold were intiated into Phi Upsilon Omicron Sunday . . . Vesta Werner, Dora Sakshaug, and Muriel Kotschvar were guests at potluck Monday night . . . Second degree services were held last week for Mary Knox, Bonnie Graves, Marguerite Olson, and Birdie Bartz . . . Muriel Schroeder was named Women's Senate delegate.

Friday morning the college ROTC will hold a battalion parade on the north side of the Physical Education

### At the Movies

Fargo Theatre-

The celebrated Oxford - Cambridge boat race on the Thames is re-enacted with all its thrills and color as one of the exciting episodes in "A Yank at Oxford." The race was filmed on the actual course with Robert Taylor as Oxford's stroke. The film star learned to row under two famous men, Ted Phelps, thrice world sculling champion, and Guy Nickalls, one of England's most brilliant oarsmen.

Vivien Leigh, in a dramatic scene from "A Yank at Oxford," is one of London's most popular and most talented actresses, having scored in England on both screen and stage. In the new picture she plays the part of a girl who is responsible for Taylor's be-

ing expelled from the university. Music, comedy and romance blend in "Romance in the Dark," which plays at the Fargo Theatre next Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. Gladys Swarthout is seen in the role of a country servant-girl who is turned into a bogus Persian princess by John Boles. His ruse works better than he expects—she captures his heart. When her first night's audience denounces her as an imposter, Boles steps in and turns her disgrace into a smashing success by means of his own singing. John Barrymore furnishes the high comedy of the piece. Others in the cast are Claire Dodd, Fritz Feld, Curt Bois and Carlos de Valdez.

#### Grand Theatre\_

Dealing in joyous fashion with the Brevities efforts of a young French singer to win operatic recognition through an ingenious hoax, petite Lily Pons' new vehicle for RKO Radio, "Hitting a New High," showing Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday at the Grand Theatre, brings a riotous musical and comedy triumph for the diva, with Jack Oakie as her co-star.

With John Howard opposite the famous singer, and Eric Blore and Edward Everett Horton in added comedy support to Oakie, the film is said to be one of the year's delightful offerings. Its seven song numbers, ranging from modern tunes to classic arias, and its many hilarious complications all make for a highly entertaining film, the third in the little French soprano's career.

#### State Theatre-

That notable bulwark of motionpicture grandeur, the sea, which has served the screen well both as archvillain and as the scene of many stirring adventures, comes once again to the fore in an important production with "Slave Ship," the Twentieth Cen-tury-Fox Film starring Warner Baxter and Wallace Beery, now showing at the State Theatre.

Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, Rob-ert Taylor and Jean Harlow appear in "Personal Property," one of the last



The SAE "Violet Dinner held Saturday at six o'clock for all of the members and their guests. Informal dancing will conclude the evening. The dinner will be served by the Mothers club. Bob Lynne is chairman of arrangements.

The Kappa Delta pledges will be honored by the Phi Omega Pi pledges at an informal party to be held Friday from 3 to 5 o'clock. Mary Pauline Bohn and Cloyce Hocking are in charge of arrangements.

Actives, pledges, and alumni of Theta Chi fraternity will celebrate the fra ternity's annual Founder's Day Pig Banquet at the house Saturday evening. John Lynch, Stanley Heggen and Bud Osborne are in charge.

Dr. Frank Darrow will act as toastmaster for the evening. Toasts will be given by alumni president, Stuart Kelley, Elmer May, alumnus; Dale Hogoboom, retiring president of the active chapter, and Roy DeRose, presi-dent-elect. High spots of the evening will be the awarding of the pitchfork and pig honors, which will be performed by the oldest and youngest members present.

Following the banquet the newly elected officers will be installed by retiring president, Hogoboom.

(Continued from Page One) king. On Tangerine Isle, men do no work at all and complications galore arise when the ex-wives find they must support their lazy husbands.

Wives of the back-in-their-dues hus-bands are Lorraine Weir as Kate Allen, Shirley Olson as Elsie Loring and Marie Anderson as Mildred Floyd Ruth Piper plays the role of Noa, exotic ex-wife of Tangerine's king, who falls in love with Dick Owens, much

to Shirley's disgust. Ray Dahm will portray the warden of alimony jail and Carl Westberg is Clarence, the king's stooge. The king's eight wives are Helen Barry, Beryl Burke, Mary Mahlman, Bernice Peterson, Virginia Johnstone, Helen Landbloom, Evelyn Skogen and Dorothy Cone.

In the Tangerine police force are Gordon Brandes, Oliver Uthus, Bob Nelson, and Carl White.

The orchestra practiced with the cast for the first time last Tuesday night. In the orchestra are: Violins, played by Virginia Runyan, Lorraine Dunlevy, Eugene Blanco, Tyke Louras, and Earl Erlandson; cellos, by Julia Ann Reynolds, and Marjorie Nims;

Moore; oboe, Ray Struble, trombone, Lloyd Jensen; piano, Lloyd Collins; clarinets, Bill Arnold, Orval Roble, Everett Tuneberg; cornets, Montel Vanderhorck Dave Cavett; horns, Charles Frame Belte Dable, ad Jense Charles Evers, Ralph Dahl; and drums, Jack Weston.

#### Alpha Gam

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boro; Dorothy Luther, Fargo; Elaine Matteson, Hillsboro; Doris Meyer, Matteson, Hillsboro; Doris Meyer Minot; Jean Pridt, Hazen; Ruth Tomte, Colgan

A luncheon in honor of the new initiates will be held at the Graver hotel at 1:30 p.m. Miss Nelita Dyer is general chairman of the luncheon and program. Evelyn Larson will preside as oastmistress and responses will be made by Doris Oman for the alumnae; Dorothy Luther for the pledges, and Hollace Beall for the undergraduates. Musical selections will be given by Josephine Kopp, Virginia Johnston and the fraternity trio composed of Joan Hughes, Elaine Matteson and Helen Restvedt. A nursery theme will be

followed in the program and favors. Following the luncheon program awards will be presented for outstanding scholarship and participation in campus activities to undergraduate and pledge members. The awards will be presented by Evelyn Larson, chairman of scholarship; Emma May Brittin, chairman of activities; and Mrs. Greydon H. Owens, alumna advisor. At 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon the

alumnae chapter will hold services for the four senior members of the undergraduate chapter and will at that time initiate them into the alumnae chapter. The initiates will be: Emma May Brittin, Bismarck; Elaine Schurr, Fargo Esther Frendberg, Hillsboro; and Lillian Pridt, Hazen. In charge of the initiation service will be Mrs. Rudolf Ottersen, assisted by Mrs. George Platt, Mrs. Greydon Owens, Mrs. M. A. Bur-

sack, and Miss Margaret Dadey. At 6:30 p.m. a formal dinner featuring the traditional Feast of Roses and Founders Day program will be held at the Graver hotel. Miss Thelma Liess-man of Bismarck, state chairman for Alpha Gamma Delta, will preside at the dinner as toastmistress, and she will also conduct the service for the founders of the fraternity.

Speakers on the program for the dinner will include Miss Virginia Johnston, who will speak for the new initiates; Catherine Brandes, who will speak for the undergraduates; and Mrs. F. Paul Smith, who will speak for the alumnae and the international organization. Musical selections will be given by Carol Buhrmann, Helen Restvedt, and Geraldine Hulett. The theme for the dinner will be "Candlelighting 'Time.'

## bass viol, Clarice Lee; flute, Jim Over 40 Men **Report For Practice**

Turnouts for early spring practice are unexpectedly large, reports C. C. Finnegan, Bison coach, and indications are that over 40 men will be working out daily.

The Bison lose five men from last fall's football team: Forrest Stephens, end and captain; Charles Pollock, tackle; Wes Phillips, fullback; Carl Rorvig, halfback, and Bill Olson, halfback.

Returning lettermen who have been issued uniforms for spring drill are Ernie Wheeler, half; Ray Hawkins, end; Tin Yan Jim On, center; Elmer Holt, guard; Elmer Schrank, blocking back; Cecil Schrank, tackle; Ed Wel-lems, end; Gil Friederichs, half; Ed Peterick, half; Neil McClure, tackle; Alfred Bostow, guard; James Maxwell, end; Harry Johnson, tackle; Merrill Green, guard, and Joe Kojancik, cen-Bermann, another letterman, is out for track. Sophomores Southam, Ness and Calkins, all members of last fall's squad, have reported.

#### Averages

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Average of fraternity men\_\_\_\_\_\_ Average of non-fraternity men\_\_\_\_\_ Average of sorority women Average of non-sorority women 79.9

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### Many Baby Bison Lost To School

Eleven members of last fall's Baby Bison football squad have been lost to the school through withdrawal or ineligibility. Some of the outstanding members of the squad will not be back with the team in the fall, including: Harry Huls, Bob Haas, Paul Rohrer, Alan Ogren, Ossie Frederickson, Ralph O'Connor, Norman Kamins, Jerry Anderson, Jack Sloan, Hilbert Isaacson, and Orrin Streich.

However, the Baby Bison squad will make many important contributions to the varsity. They are: John Healy, guard; Floyd Nein, guard; Don John-son, blocking back; Cecil Sturgeon, fullback; Sig Erickson, half; George Hammel, blocking back.

Herb Kittler, end; Arnold Seim, end; Ole Quamme, half; Paul Johnson, end; Bill Kelly, tackle; Bernie Cersonsky, tackle; Pat Twomey, end; Joel Nelson, half; Louis Hebert, half; Lynn Stewart, guard: Frank Primeau, end: Earl Marquardt, half; Bill Pepple, half; Al Folson, guard; Homer Geibel, half; Dave Brown, half; Harvey Sorenson, half

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San Diego State College dramatists were among the first collegians to give a performance of "Julius Caesar" in modern dress.

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