

# Harpo Marx Brings Show-Stopping Music And Immortal Comedy To Festival Hall Wednesday As Special Attraction



Harpo Marx brings his show-stopping music and immortal clowning to Festival Hall Wednesday, October 25, at 8:15. This program is a special attraction and tickets must be purchased at the Little Country Theater.

Harpo performs on the harmonica, clarinet and piano. He conducts a mythical symphony orchestra in the zaniest interpretation of the Beethoven Fifth ever conceived. His serious harp sequence, in which he plays audience requests, is a highlight of the show.

Marx is probably music's most fabulous illiterate. Although a musical genius, he cannot read a note, tunes his instrument in such a way that no other harpist can get music out of it, and holds his harp on the wrong shoulder. Notes, however, baffle him and he has strictly avoided them.

Harpo Marx is supported by Christina Carroll, leading Metropolitan Opera soprano, Jeanette Savran, brilliant pianist, and Ivan Kirov, dancer and percussionist.

Rumanian born, Christina Carroll, is a Major Bowes dis-

covery. After three guest appearances on the Fred Allen radio show, Miss Carroll appeared in San Francisco, Chicago, the "Met", and then to London, Paris, and Milan. She has sung in nine countries and has appeared with such noted conductors as Sir Thomas Beecham, and Morton Gould.

Jeanette Savran has thrice been awarded Carnegie Hall recitals. Times music critic declared her a "Whirlwind virtuoso and sensitive poet." She plays Chopin's Polonaise the Ritual Fire Dance of De Falla, Carmen Suite by Bizet, and the Hit Parade, Sabre Dance.

Also featured are the exciting Ivan Kirov Dancers and Percussionists who perform wild African rituals with a slithering ensemble of wild African rituals. Ben Hecht selected Kirov for the Hollywood production, "Specter of the Rose". Life Magazine voted his death leap from this show "the most frightening scene of the year."

For an unforgettable evening of great comedy and musical entertainment, "Harpo's Concert Bazaar" is highly recommended.



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# THE SPECTRUM

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## U To Celebrate Dad's Day; Bison Furnish Opposition

The University of North Dakota will celebrate the third annual Dad's Day October 28 when the North Dakota Bison will attempt to spoil UND festivities for the second time.

Two years ago an underdog Herd outfit dampened the events with a convincing 19-7 win on rain-soaked Memorial stadium. Last year the University held Homecoming and Dad's Day in conjunction when the Sioux overpowered heavily-favored South Dakota State, 19-0.

This year's weekend will begin

with an all-campus open house the afternoon of October 27. Most University departments will have exhibits displayed during this time.

Dr. Fred S. Hultz, president of the North Dakota Agricultural college, will be the main speaker at the Friday night banquet for parents to be held in the University commons.

"Sioux One; Like Father and Son" was selected the 1950 Dad's Day theme, which will be employed in house and hall decorations, judging to be done Friday night.

Deviating from the norm, this year house decorations will be a feature of the Dad's Day weekend. Floats were presented at Homecoming last Saturday.

An informal dance in the Women's gym Saturday night, with music by Gene Allyn's orchestra, will round out the weekend following the climax at 2 p.m. Saturday.

## Pakistan Official To Speak At Forum

Pakistan's first ambassador to the United States, M. A. H. Ispahani, will speak in Fargo at the Emerson-Smith school, Tuesday, Oct. 24, at 8 p.m. Sponsored by the Fargo-Moorhead Open Forum, the meeting is free and open to the public.

With a population of 80 million, Pakistan is the world's fifth largest state. It was created separately from the Indian Union in 1947 to give autonomy to the Moslems of India. Largely agricultural, it faces many problems of industrialization today.

Ambassador Ispahani completed his higher education in England and returned to India in 1925, where he was active in his family's business in Calcutta in governmental affairs. He has represented his nation at conferences of the United Nations and on goodwill tours in Latin America.

The ambassador will also speak here before a noon luncheon and at Central High school. His evening appearance opens the 19th year of the Open Forum, which has brought many outside speakers before the Fargo public.

## Bookstore Sells AC History Pamphlet

The complete story of NDAC from 1890 to 1950, in booklet form, is on sale at the A.C. Bookstore. Compiled by the office of Public Relations, the graphic story of the college is well told in words and pictures.

Originally enclosed in a few



PAMPHLET COVER

rooms in the old Fargo college, the campus grows page by page and year by year until it encompasses the some 1500 acres of today on which are located 41 major buildings, not to mention the 5000 odd acres used by the Experiment Station.

Created to aid in the celebration of NDAC's 60th Anniversary the booklet has been distributed throughout the state and has been sent to the presidents and to the libraries of all land grant colleges in the country. Price of the booklet is 25 cents.

## LOST

A pair of Honey Doll brown glasses were lost in Festival hall. Will the finder please return to Jacolyn Brekken at Dakota hall. Dial 5384.

## Members Of All-State Band Weekend Guests Of NDAC

Members of the 100-piece All-State Band will be guests of the North Dakota Agricultural College during their two-day stay in Fargo. The Band, sponsored by the North Dakota Music Educators association, will play a concert for members of the North Dakota Education association Friday night at 7:45 p.m. in the NDAC Field House.

Directing the All-State Band will be Dr. Frank Simon of Cincinnati, Ohio, former director of the Armeo Band and a former coronetist with the Sousa band. Members of the Band will arrive Wednesday night and will be

## Rhodes Exams Qualifications Set

Competition for Rhodes Scholarships in the State of North Dakota will be held in December, according to Carl H. Schmidt, representative of NDAC Rhodes Scholarship committee.

A candidate to be eligible for scholarships, must be a male citizen of the United States and unmarried, be between the ages of 19 and 25 on October 1, 1951, and have completed at least his sophomore year by the time of application.

The qualities which Rhodes specified in his will as forming the basis of selection are: literary and scholastic ability and attainments; qualities of manhood, truth, courage, devotion to duty, sympathy, kindness, unselfishness, and fellowship; exhibition of moral force of character and instincts to lead and to take an interest in his schoolmates; and physical vigor as shown by interest in outdoor sports or in other ways.

The basic value of a Rhodes Scholarship is approximately \$2,000 a year with an additional sum added if necessary. An American GI may expect benefits at Oxford equivalent to those he would receive at an American university.

Applications must be in the hands of the Secretary of the State Committee not later than October 28, 1950. Selections will be made by State Committees on December 6 and by District Committees on December 9, 1950. Scholars selected in this competition will enter the University of Oxford in October, 1951.

housed in Dakota hall and the Field House. Fifty-one towns will be represented by delegates.

Rehearsals of the 100-piece band have been called for Thursday, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 2 to 4 p.m. at Festival Hall, Friday, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at Festival Hall and 2 to 4 p.m. at the Field House.

Ernest Van Vlissingen, chairman of the NDAC department of music, has made the housing and rehearsal arrangements for the visiting band members. On Friday morning at 9:30 Van Vlissingen will present his NDAC Chorus for the first time this year at a meeting of the classroom teachers of the NDAE at the Fargo high school. A clarinet quartet from NDAC will present selections for the administrators conference Friday at 9:30 a.m. at their meeting at the Agassiz School.

## Traffic Committee Appoints Three

The appointment of three new members on committees concerning campus traffic has been announced by Knute Henning, chairman of the Campus Traffic Committee.

LaVerne Freeh and Darryl Schroeder have been appointed senior and junior representatives, respectively, on the Traffic committee. Robert Peet has been named as the junior representative to sit on the Hearing board which handles all complaints brought to the group.

Students will also note that more parking space has been made available at the north side of the old football stadium. Military and athletic students are requested to take advantage of this area particularly in the afternoons. Students are also asked not to park on either side of the road running north of the Mcn's dorm from 13th Street to the Dairy building.

## Lettermen's Club Hop Set Tonight

The NDAC Letterman's club will sponsor an all-college dance tonight following the football game with MSTC.

Dancing will be from 10 to 1 in Festival hall to the music of Francis Colby and his little name band with the big heart from West Fargo.

# Eight Seniors Honored As Distinguished Military Students

Lt. Col. Neal W. Lovnes, PMS & T, named eight Army ROTC seniors as distinguished military students this week.

Selected were John Askegaard, Comstock, Minnesota; Ardis Bunker, Havre, Montana, George Kuffel, Fargo; Davis Litten Fargo; Richard McMahan, Moorhead, Minnesota; Herb Paul, Renville, Minnesota; Walter Seeba, Fargo; and Robert Vogel, Fargo.

Part of a regular army officer procurement program, Distinguished Military Student selections are based on military and campus leadership, military aptitude, academic grades, and moral character. Upon graduation from college with a sufficient standing in military subjects, cadets named are designated as distinguished military graduates and are eligible for regular army commissions.

Last June Robert Brown, Spicer, Minnesota, Lester Collis and Paul Sather, both of Fargo; accepted commissions in the armored cavalry from the Army ROTC.



Distinguished Military Students are: (L to R) Herb Paul, David Litten, Richard McMahan, Ardis Bunker, George Kuffel, John Askegaard, and Walter Seeba.

## Two New Instructors Added To Art Department Staff

Two instructors, both experts in their particular fields have been added to the NDAC art department, announced Miss Frances Kapuscinski, head of the department.

New teaching home planning and furnishings and dress design is Miss Marie Feldhusen who did her undergraduate work at the University of Idaho at Moscow and obtained her master's degree at Columbia Teacher's College, New York City, New York. She later studied related art under the

Goldsteins at the University of Minnesota. Miss Feldhusen's outstanding ability in her field has permitted her to travel extensively through the United States, both for teaching purposes and for additional study. She has taught at Anderson College in Kent, South Carolina, St. Olaf College in Northfield, Minnesota, and is now organizing a well-equipped metal department which promises to promote the study of metals at NDAC.

By the type of work she originally undertook, one would little expect to find Miss Maragaret Schnaidt as an art instructor at NDAC, for Miss Schnaidt, who has studied at Texas University, the University of Southern California, and who graduated from Augustana College in South Dakota, was originally employed as an occupational therapist. She later studied art at the Cranbrook Academy of Art in Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, and has exhibited sculpture, jewelry, metal work and ceramics at various museums throughout the country. The department feels very fortunate to have obtained such a talented individual who is certain to contribute much to the interests of art on the NDAC campus.

## Maj. Johnson Visits ROTC Department

Major Robert E. Johnson, G.S.C., representing the ROTC division of the Department of Army, paid a liaison visit to NDAC and the Army ROTC department Wednesday and Thursday. Major Johnson visited with college officials to determine how the Army ROTC program might better serve NDAC as well as the national defense.

## AC Graduate Atom Expert In U. S. State Department

A 1938 graduate of NDAC, R. Gordon Arneson, is now the state department's top advisor on atomic energy problems, according to a Minneapolis Tribune story.

Arneson, who was an honor student at NDAC, graduated from the school of arts and sciences. He was active in campus affairs, and was a member of Phi Kappa Phi, Blue Key, Pi Gamma Mu, International Relations Club, YMCA, and named to Who's Who in

## Remodel Food Lab

The northeast food laboratory in Ceres Hall has been completely outfitted with new equipment. It now has modern steel cabinets with adequate cupboard and drawer space and stainless steel sinks. All equipment is purchased on a unit plan so that they can be added to and rearranged to fit any room; thus making a larger laboratory.

The gas and electric ranges are on the school replacement plan which means they will be replaced with new models every time a new model is produced by the company.

This laboratory, which should accommodate 24 or more students, can accommodate only 18 because floor space is limited.

American Colleges and Universities. He was one of 11 students who successfully campaigned throughout the state to take the power of appointing the state commissioner of education from the governor.

After a year at Minnesota studying under Dr. Lloyd Short, Arneson went to Washington, D. C. for a year's internship on the federal tariff commission. He then went to New York City to work with the federal home loan and bank board regional office, but returned to Washington in 1941 to join the staff of the national defense advisory commission.

During the war he served in Egypt for a year where he worked on lend-lease and reciprocal aid problems for the U. S. armed service in the Middle East. After he won a commission in officers' candidate school, Arneson was assigned as aid to Harvey Bundy, special assistant to secretary of war Henry Stimson on secret weapons. When the war ended, he joined Bernard Baruch's staff on the U. S. atomic energy delegation to the United Nations. And two years ago he went back to his present job with the state department, one of his present assignments is to run down reports of uranium discoveries abroad.

## Faculty News

Adding to the staff of the music department, Robert Dietz teaches music history, music theory, and gives piano lessons.

He is a graduate of Lawrence College and received his masters degree at the University of Michigan.

Miss Frances Kapuscinski of the NDAC art department recently attended the Minnesota Art Exchange which had its second meeting at the Duluth Athletic club.

J. E. Fitzgerald attended the fall meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers in Chicago. He discussed a paper presented by Mr. H. Hill on "Foundation Conditions in the Red River Valley". Mr. Hill is employed by the Northern States Power Co. of Minneapolis, Minn.

Dr. Reece L. Bryant and Dr. Robert E. Moreng of the North Dakota Agricultural College department of poultry husbandry will attend a meeting of the North Central Regional Technical committee on poultry breeding. The conference will be held Oct. 17-22 at Manhattan, Kan.

## Home Ec Dept. Has Radio Program

"Your Home" a weekly radio program presented by the School of Home Economics on Station KFGO every Saturday morning from 11 to 11:30, will begin November 4, 1950.

Besides featuring specialists and guest speakers who have something to contribute to home-making, a "home reporter", who is a home economics student will be interviewed on the various topics she is studying or has studied.

Students interested in being home reporters should notify Harriet Overboe or Betty Gordhamer, student coordinators, says Miss Emily Reynolds, chairman of the committee in charge.

## Plan Addition To Engineer Lab

Plans have been completed for the addition to the Agricultural Engineering building which is to be constructed in the near future. The Agricultural Engineering Building will be what is now Mechanical Engineering shop. The building will provide laboratories for teaching work in farm engines, farm machinery, farm structures, rural electrification, irrigation, and other phases of agricultural engineering. A research laboratory and service shop are included. It will also provide the necessary classroom and office space to accommodate the entire teaching, research, and extension staff of the Agricultural Engineering Department.

The completed building will have 19,500 sq. ft. of floor area.

## Roy Rogers Headlines Show At Fieldhouse, November 9

Roy Rogers, Hollywood's king of the cowboys, will headline a western variety show at NDAC Fieldhouse, November 9.

Sponsored by the Fargo Junior Chamber of Commerce, the show will play two performances, a matinee and evening show. Half the proceeds from the show will be contributed to the Student Union building fund.

Besides Rogers, the variety show will feature Rogers' trained horse, Trigger and songstress Dale Evans plus 8 supporting acts. Prices for the two hour show are matinee: general admission 75c, reserved seats \$2-\$3 tax included; evening: general admission \$1, reserved seats \$2-\$3.

Mail orders for tickets should be addressed to Roy Rogers, c/o Box 1107, Fargo. Be sure to specify for which performance you desire the tickets.

## Book Review

SPORTS PAGE

By Stanley Woodward

The sports section has become one of the most important parts of today's American newspapers. It is estimated that 12 to 15 percent of the editorial space in a modern daily is devoted to sports. A survey of circulation managers disclosed their belief that 25 percent of newspaper readers buy the paper principally for sports. Most circulation managers have also agreed that not enough space is allotted to sports.

Sports Page by Stanley Woodward is the history of the sports page and how it has grown since its introduction 50 years ago. Mr. Woodward is an authority on both general newspaper and sports reporting, having written for newspapers and magazines since his graduation from Amherst college in 1917. In 1930, he started writing for the New York Herald Tribune, and for 10 years was its sports editor. Since 1948, Mr. Woodward has been the editor of a new magazine, Sports Illustrated.

The author vividly portrays not only the coverage and writing of all types of sports events, but also the essential work and timing of copy readers and make up men in meeting deadlines. Copy readers are especially important in the sports department since most of the articles are written either while an event is in progress, or within a very limited time after its completion, or both, as is usually the case. This close association, however, at times causes some bad feeling since the reporter will feel that the copy reader cuts out important material, or re-words the report so as to lose its original meaning. At the same time, the copy reader feels that the reporter should be more careful.

Sports writing of today is an art in itself and the basic rules were learned only after many years of poor writing. The modern concept is to write the report of a sports event in such a manner that even a reader not interested in sports can understand it. Mr. Woodward is loud in his praise of the good sports reporter, whom he considers to be the most indispensable man in the department. He is also very cynical in his description of some of the bosses or "walking dead", as he calls them.

The book covers the subject matter thoroughly, from a detailed history of the sports department of the newspaper, to advice to the aspiring sports reporter. "Sports Page" succeeds in being at once highly informative and delightfully entertaining.

# KKG, ATO Have First Place Floats



Top: First place trophy in the men's division went to Alpha Tau Omega. TC: The Sigma Phi Deltas copped first place for their house decorations. Kappa Kappa Gamma took first place trophy for their float in the women's division.

Bottom: The SAE's placed second with their float. Queen Junette and escort leave the coronation ceremonies at halftime. The KDs fill up on their second place float.

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### Meetings Next Week

#### ISA

The Independent Student's Association will hold a business meeting in the YMCA Fireside room Monday, Oct. 23, at 7 p.m.

All students are invited to attend. Lunch will be served after the meeting.

#### MASONIC LODGE

The Sunrise Masonic Lodge will hold its regular meetings in the college Y at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month. The next meeting will be Thursday, Oct. 26. College students and professors are welcome.

#### AG ECON SEMINAR

Pauline Reynolds, Extension Service, will speak on "Farm Youth at the Crossroads" at the Agriculture Economic Seminar next Thursday, Oct. 26, 4:00 p.m., Room 815, Morrill hall. All interested students and faculty members welcome.

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