

Fire Rages In Dacotah Field Stadium

Convo To Feature Woodwind Group

NDAC students will hear the first professional woodwind group ever to visit this area when the New Art Wind Quintet plays at convocation in Festival Hall next Monday at 9:40.

Works by Ravel, Hindemith, and other 19th and 20th century composers will offer humorous and serious music for varied listening, according to F. G. Schoff of the college Convocation Committee.

The unusual combination is made up of young New Yorkers who began to meet occasionally in the fall of 1947 to play for their own enjoyment.

Now they are recognized by Arthur Berger of the New York Herald Tribune as "one of the brightest and most enterprising new ensembles to come on the musical scene, accomplished and intelligent performers."

In addition to the convocation, the five performers will conduct a wind clinic for the Gold Star Band. Their tour is under the direction of the University of Minnesota Concert and Lecture Service.

Broadcast Series

Station KFGO will broadcast the first of a series of radio programs sponsored by the NDAC home economics departments, tomorrow at 10 a.m. Featured on the program is a panel discussion by Dorothy Pederson, Sonja Swanke, Mary Wanner and Donna Wohl on their summer activities.

Going . . . Gone . . .



North stands of Dacotah Field stadium taken at 10:30 Monday night. Photo by Walt Junkin.



Damage done by the stadium fire is shown by the above photograph. Photo by Walt Junkin.

Fire Destroys Two-Thirds North Stands Before Firemen Reach Football Field

State Fire Marshal Inspects Scene, Offers No Likely Cause For Blaze

Last Monday night fire destroyed the west two-thirds of the north stands in Dacotah field stadium before firemen arrived at 9:45 p. m., according to assistant fire chief, Saefky.

Fire fighters saved the east section and part of the adjoining section in the north stands. Forrest Skinner, NDAC business manager, announces that the stadium is covered by \$65,000 insurance.

The insurance adjuster will base his figure on a contractor's estimated cost to rebuild the stands.

Vance Arneson, state fire marshal, who visited the fire scene Wednesday, did not offer any possible cause of the fire at the time the Spectrum went to press.

President Fred S. Hultz told the Spectrum that watchmen have stopped fires started by children several times in the athletic field. After catching children playing in the stadium watchmen have placed padlocks on all gates and doors.

In 1950 the stands were moved from old Dacotah field, north of the Festival hall, to their present location to make room for new building. The cost to move the stands amounted to \$40,000. This sum, according to Hultz, gives a rough estimate of the cost to replace the burned stand.

C. C. Finnegan, NDAC athletics director, said the entire stands were built in 1938 as a project of the Works Progress Administration at a cost of \$50,000. The total cost was much larger than that assessed the college.

Concordia college, who was to hold its Homecoming football game in the stadium has now scheduled the event at the MSTC field. Fargo and Valley City high schools will still play their games in Dacotah Field.

Senate To Stage Mock Presidential Elections Tuesday

Student Senate president John Dean announces that a mock presidential election will be held on this campus Tuesday, Oct. 28, a week before the national presidential election.

Students will vote for Dwight Eisenhower-Richard Nixon on the Republican ticket or Adlai Stevenson-John Sparkman on the Democratic ticket. The purpose of the election, according to Dean, is to encourage intelligent discussion in regard to the candidates among NDAC students.

In addition, such an election will give a cross-section of student's political affiliations and promote student interest in national affairs, adds Dean. Mancur Olson, commissioner of campus affairs, will be in charge of the mock election.

A youth group for Stevenson and Sparkman met last Wednesday night in the college 'Y'. As yet no student group for Eisenhower and Nixon has been formed. Backers for Stevenson listened to Herschel Laskowitz, Fargo attorney, at their organizational meeting.

Sen. Young, McCormack Debate Farm Policies Of Presidential Candidates

by Kent Sherwood

Before an estimated crowd of 650, Sen. Milton R. Young of North Dakota and Under-Secretary of Agriculture, Clarence J. McCormack met in a debate on the stage of the Fargo High School auditorium last Monday evening.

The topic of discussion was "Which Party Offers the Better Farm Program." The debate was co-sponsored by the NDAC International Relations club and the Fargo-Moorhead Open Forum.

In his opening statement, Sen. Young claimed Eisenhower had made "very clear" his views on the agriculture platform. He then went on to tell the responsive audience, that it was Ike that would provide the 90% parity for the farmers of this area.

Young said Stevenson claimed that support prices "could" be extended to oats, barley and rye while Ike stated that support prices "should" be extended to those grains.

Sen. Young pointed out that it was this difference that loomed the largest between the two parties. McCormack retaliated with a list of what he termed "the three Republican platforms." The first was based on the convention, the second on their candidates statements and the third on the GOP voting record.

His list of GOP "no" votes on important agricultural bills was very cooling. When asked to explain this record, Sen. Young re-

taliated with one or two explanations but left many voting stands unexplained. Boo's and cheers were prevalent throughout the debate with applause breaking into the talks in many places.

At one point in the discussion, Moderator Dean Harlow Walster, NDAC agriculture dean, stated he didn't know which to take in hand, "the speakers or the audience." McCormack also listed several points that the GOP platform had left out.

Sen. Young claimed that the reason for these vacancies was to permit the candidate to insert his own views thereby letting the people know where he stands.

McCormack urged the voters to keep a GOP congress out of Washington because of their bad voting record. He pointed out that no matter what Eisenhower's views were he couldn't do a thing unless a bill came up for him to sign, since the president cannot introduce bills.

Young stated the important element was that Eisenhower could sign important bills if they did appear on his desk.

WANT ADS

Lost—Black Schafer fountain pen, if found call 2-2875 to notify Sterling Stenerson.

Interfraternity council meets Wednesday, Oct. 21, in the college "Y" at 4 p. m.



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Funeral Services For John Buerger Today

Funeral services will be held today for John R. Buerger at Young's Chapel in Chicago, Illinois. The Rosary was repeated at St. Paul's chapel last Monday noon at NDAC.

A veteran of two year's army service, Buerger came to NDAC in 1951 to major in physical education. During his freshman year he lettered at guard on the football squad. The 25 year-old grinder

played that position this year until a foot injury sidelined him three weeks ago.

Buerger was born in Chicago July 24, 1927. He attended Calumet high school in Chicago where he played four years of football. He is survived by his parents and a brother, William, now stationed at Camp Gordan, Georgia.

Buerger's death resulted from se-

vere head injuries received in a two car collision at 8:30 last Saturday night. Buerger and Jack Werlen, AAS-Jr., were traveling south when their car hit a parked vehicle.

Buerger lost control of his car and it crashed into the back of another car entering a driveway. The car was thrown end over end and hurled 10 feet into the air until it struck a tree on the boulevard. The car upended and then settled upright. The accident took place within the radius of one block.

The front end of the car was completely demolished. Werlen and William Haselhuhn, driver of the second car, received minor injuries. According to Haselhuhn he was backing out of the driveway when he saw a car approaching at a high rate of speed. Before he could re-enter the driveway Buerger's car had reached him.

DOCTOR'S HOURS

Doctor's sick-call hours at the college Health service will be from 2:15 to 4:15 p. m. on Mondays and Thursdays and from 10 to 12 a. m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays beginning Monday, Oct. 24.



Wreckage of the Buerger-Werlein car accident last Saturday night. Photo by Walt Junkin.

Campus Radio Station Nears Reality; Broadcasts To Reach Campus Area Only

"This is station NDAC." That's the announcement soon to come from campus radios, according to Joe McNellis, originator of the campus radio station idea.

After a year of discussion and planning, the site has been selected for a gas pipe station. The proposed station will be located in the radio laboratory of the college

speech department in the administration building.

Broadcasts from the station will be heard only on campus because the signals will go out over the campus light system. Stations of this type have been called gas pipe stations because originally they sent their signals over gas pipe heating systems.

Broadcast time of the station will be limited to two or three hours a day at the beginning of operation. McNellis says that different departments will present programs to meet every type of interest.

Cost of station equipment is undetermined at the present time. If equipment is purchased the cost will be high; however as much equipment as possible will be made on campus, to lower the cost.

Joe McNellis, with helpers David J. Parker and Marlow Jensen, emphasize that when the station goes on the air it will be independent of any department. However, the station will be open to all campus departments. McNellis concludes, "NDU and Jamestown colleges both have campus stations. It's about time NDAC has one too."

Hultz To Help Plan Agricultural Center Of Communications

Dr. Fred S. Hultz has been chosen to represent the Executive Committee of the Association of Land-Grant Colleges and Universities at a meeting to formulate plans for an agricultural communications center.

Dr. Hultz will meet with representatives of the American Association of Agricultural College Editors in Cincinnati, Ohio, to discuss the project which is designed "to help information workers of the land-grant institutions . . . use communications techniques more effectively and efficiently in extending the services and facilities of their institutions . . ." On the agenda will be discussion of a permanent location for the center.

Recommendations resulting from the meeting will be acted upon by the Executive Committee of the Association of Land-Grant Colleges in November.

Bosch To Participate In Magazine Forum

Dr. Wouter Bosch, chairman of the NDAC paint department, and Newell P. Beckwith, NDAC paint graduate of 1936, who is director of research of the Rinsed-Mason company, Detroit, Michigan, have been invited by the Paint Industry magazine to participate in a new Forum feature.

This Forum will begin with the November issue, especially prepared for the Conventions of the National Paint, Varnish, and Lacquer Association and the Federation of Paint and Varnish Production Clubs.

The opening question will be "What is the best means of interesting college students to make their career in the paint industry?"

Among other contributions are Austin H. Gibson, president of the Valspar Corporation, New York; Milton A. Glaser, chairman of the Educational Committee; R. O. Clark, president of the Jewel Paint and Varnish Company, Chicago and Paul O. Blackmore, president of the International Corporation, Newark, N. J.

Bison Briefs . . .

Sintow Appoints Peppel Cadet Officer; Registrar Requests Student Addresses

Dale Peppel, ME-Sr., has been appointed cadet commanding officer of the AF ROTC, announces Major Karlin I. Sintow, professor of air science and tactics.

Peppel's staff includes executive officer, John Babinski; band commander, James Price; A squadron commander, Martin L. Redman; B squadron commander, Donald Grommesch; C squadron commander, Kermit O. Twedt; and D squadron commander, Berard Masse.

REGISTRAR WANTS ADDRESSES

The registrar's office requests that all students addresses, telephone numbers or changes of address be reported to that office before Monday, Oct. 20, if not already turned in.

Dean Sevrinson announces that all freshmen who have changed their addresses after registration should notify the registrar's office.

DELORIN SCHLUCHTER AWARD

Last summer Delorin Schluchter, AG-Sr., was elected president of the Danforth Fellowship Group at St. Louis, Missouri. He was chosen in the spring from a list of applications to represent NDAC as the outstanding junior student in agriculture.

The entire group was sponsored by the Danforth Foundation and the Ralston Purina Mills. The group spent their first two weeks in St. Louis and then two more weeks at Miniwano Leadership Training Camp in Shelby, Michigan.

Attending were representatives from 36 land grant colleges in the U. S. and two from Hawaii and Canada.

Rich gifts wax poor when givers prove unkind.

Shakespeare

'Y' Groups Hold Special Recognition Service

Next Wednesday, October 22nd, the YMCA and YWCA will hold a special recognition service for all new members. The meeting will be held in the auditorium of the college Y and will begin at 7 p. m.

On the program Dorothy Pederson, YW President, and Don Piepkorn, YM President, will chair a model cabinet meeting which will discuss some of the functions and purposes of the Y.

Miss Smith To Minneapolis

Miss Elvira T. Smith, chairman of foods and nutrition department, will attend the 35th annual meeting of the American Dietetics Association. It is to be held in Minneapolis, October 24 - 25.

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Korean Bill Limits GI's To One Major Change

The new Korean GI bill is tougher than the old one. A veteran now must declare his major as soon as he enters school, and he's entitled to just one change during his college career.

And the change is not easy to get. The vet has to show he is not guilty of misconduct, neglect or lack of application. Then he must take a battery of tests. If he gets through unscathed, he can change his major.

Here are the main points in the new bill: The veteran will be paid a lump sum each month. Out of this sum he must pay tuition and all other expenses. Tuition payments generally run about one-third of his total allotment.

It's up to the campus vet's instructors to turn in monthly progress reports to the Veterans Administration. Serious trouble can result if these reports are delayed or if they are not turned in by the instructors.

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