



Plugged Lock Discovered Auto Engine Stolen From Lab

An automobile engine, complete with radiator and transmission, was stolen from the agricultural engineering laboratory early Wednesday morning, April 7.

The theft occurred after 12 p.m. when the last students left the building. Entrance to the laboratory was gained by breaking a window in the south door. The thieves used laboratory tools to unbolt the engine from its mountings on a portable test

stand.

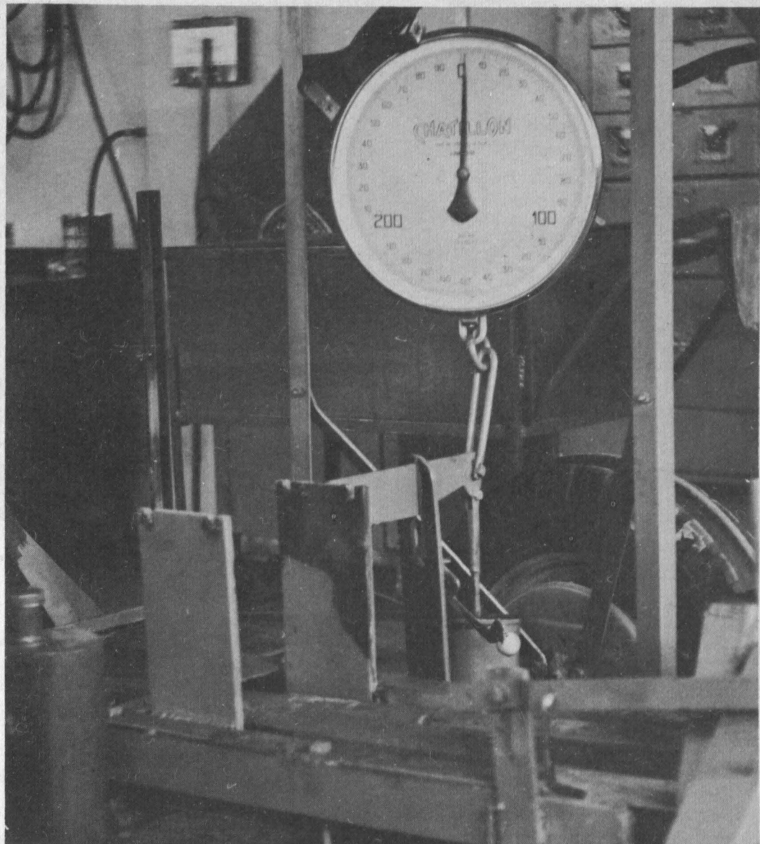
Henry Kucera, assistant professor of agricultural engineering, said the thieves apparently wheeled the complete unit outside the building after freeing the engine from the stand and then loaded the engine into their vehicle. The portable stand was found outside the building.

The F-85 engine, a gift from the Oldsmobile Division of General Motors, was used in the laboratory to test power require-

ments. "It would take three or four men to lift the engine unit; I would estimate its weight at nearly 500 lbs." said Kucera.

Erling Thorson, superintendent of buildings and grounds, said that earlier in the evening a nightwatchman had discovered that the lock on the north door of the building had been plugged.

University officials and Fargo city police are investigating the theft.



THIEVES took F-85 engine from this stand last Wednesday morning.

Union Threatens University Boycott

"We're going to tell every regional director to spread the word that the students of North Dakota State University are strike breakers and none of the children of AFL-CIO members will ever attend your school," said Norman Anderson, regional director of the AFL-CIO.

This was the latest threat given by labor leaders concerning the crossing of picket lines at the Union Stockyards at West Fargo by the students enrolled in Agricultural Economics 440.

Dean Arlon Hazen and the class instructor Dr. James McDowell were also told by Anderson that the union would contact Governor William Guy and chairman of the State Board of Higher Education, John G. Conrad, to seek their support in preventing the class from crossing the picket lines.

To date, the 14 members of the class have been labled as "scabs" and have been told by Carl Winn, regional director of the AFL-CIO, that "this will be an event that will be on your conscience for the rest of your

life."

After meeting with Anderson at the Labor Temple on Tuesday for more than two hours, McDowell and Hazen secured an agreement with the union that would let the students attend their class without further trouble.

McDowell stated that perhaps the class was made more beneficial as a result of the union's

actions because it gave the members of the class a closer look at labor problems and policy of the unions.

The strike, which started on March 22, has caused the students and instructor to miss one week of class and necessitated a revision of the schedule so they could meet during the second week of the strike at the Needham Packing Co.

New Fad

Students Stage Cleanup

Every spring the college campuses across the country become victims of a cascade of tomfoolery in the form of water fights, telephone booth stuffing and piano smashing.

Last Thursday, members of the North Dakota State University Co-op House attempted a new twist by stuffing a five-room apartment belonging to four Co-op alumni with 700 pounds of outdated newspaper.

However, the apartment owner apparently failed to see the humor in what had happened and called the city police. Charges were not pressed and the incident was closed with but one stipulation—the instigators of the plot had to clean the entire apartment.

After being grilled by the local authorities, a Co-op summed up the situation with, "We learned the hard way."

Finance Commissioner Approved By Senate

The often vacated post of commissioner of finance was filled at the Student Senate meeting Thursday night.

Lionel Estenson, AS 3, was appointed by Student Body President Jim Schindler and given unanimous approval by Senate. Former Commissioner of Finance, Dennis Flynn, who two weeks ago was not approved by Senate and a week later approved by the same body, kept the confusion alive by resigning last week. President Schindler said Flynn resigned for personal reasons.

Senate also gave their approval for Gary Powell as commissioner of inter-campus affairs.

A motion that student senators dispense with office hours was brought up at this meeting. Bob Challey, sponsor of the bill, said that because no one has taken advantage of this service during the past year, he could see no reason for continuing it. The motion failed to carry.

Randy Buresh, chairman of the Sharivar pavilion committee, reported that a canvas, the same type as last year's, has been ordered for this year's pavilion. The canvas used last year, which was intended to be used for four or five years, was not usable this

year.) Buresh added that the buildings and grounds crew will construct the pavilion.

Student Senate passed a motion to send 11 people to the Associated Student Government convention which will be held in Mankato, Minn. this month. Roger Wetzel proposed that expense money come from the inter-campus affairs budget.

A letter from President Albrecht explaining the University's position regarding dismissal of classes on Good Friday was read to the senators. Dr. Albrecht said that classes could only be dismissed by action of the University Senate. He added that University Senate was not scheduled to meet until the day after Easter.



SHARIVAR Pavilion Chairman Randy Buresh gives his report to Senate.

Scholarships Given ROTC

The Army and Air Force ROTC units of North Dakota State University have been allocated nine scholarships. These scholarships will be given to next year's juniors and freshmen.

Col. Faulk, Professor of Air Science, said the air science department has been allowed four scholarships to be given to this year's sophomores. He continued, "The scholarships will pay for the students' tuition, fees, lab fees, books and \$50 a month. Add this to the \$120 and travel pay for summer camp, the advanced cadet who receives one of these scholarships will be earning quite a sum."

Col. Clapp, professor of military science, stated, "Out of the 1000 scholarships that the Army provided, the NDSU unit was

awarded three for this year's sophomores."

"In the selection of winners, the Army is looking for cadets interested in a regular army career," said Col. Clapp. He added, "We also look at his academic record and his attitude towards the ROTC program. Other considerations are his extra curricular and athletic activities. There is no restriction as to the student's field of study."

The Air Force selection criteria is much the same as the Army's and the committee will be composed of faculty and military personnel, according to Col. Faulk.

Both selection boards are meeting this spring and the winners will be announced during the summer.

Anniversary Convo Scheduled; Ottersen To Discuss Progress

Seventy-five years as a progressing university will be discussed by Rudolph Ottersen during the 75th Anniversary Convo-

cation next Tuesday morning. This convo was originally scheduled for the end of winter quarter, but was cancelled because of final examinations.

The convocation will call to the attention of the students and faculty the progress this institution has made since the first class of 30 students enrolled in a short course in January, 1891.

Today the University is authorized to grant Ph.D.'s in five areas and has an enrollment of over 4,000. What was once a wheat field north of Fargo has become a unit of colleges each serving the other.

Kathy Platt, publicity chairman, says plans have been set for the concert choir to sing. A dramatic presentation will be given by the speech department. Jim Manning and Frank Bernhoft will perform the skit satirizing campus organizations.

In addition to the activities planned for the convo, a special edition of the *Spectrum* will be issued.

The convocation will begin at 9:45 in Festival Hall.



MALL at high tide.

Anti-Scaling Agent Sought For Concrete

A research program, investigating the possible uses of linseed oil as a curing agent in concrete pavement, has been launched at North Dakota State University under a \$17,500 contract with the North Dakota State Highway De-

partment. The research will be under the supervision of Dr. A. E. Rheineck, chairman of the department of polymers and coatings in the NDSU College of Chemistry and Physics.

Funds will be provided on a state-federal matching basis, under the Federal Highway Planning and Research program. The work is to be completed within three years.

Curing agents presently used in concrete work are used primarily to retain water in concrete as it develops strength. A curing agent incorporating linseed oil could also serve as an anti-scaling agent that would prevent damage to pavements from salt applied to remove ice.

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Parnassus Besieged

by Steve A. Ward

There is a new version of the Chinese water torture called Muzak.

The mechanism is simple. You tie up your victim and play Muzak at him until the repetition of insipid sound turns his brain to slush.

Muzak, like carbon monoxide, works insidiously. You are never really aware of it until you realize you are no longer aware of anything else; your senses have atrophied.

There has been some experimentation with background noise as a favorable condition for increased work efficiency. For instance, students will study better in a library if the air conditioner is running. They will soon learn to discount the steady hum of the machine, yet that hum will absorb any stray noise that might cause waning attention, if not strained ears. The quick click of high heels will no longer divert the spring-quarter student from his zoology text.

Muzak seems to function about as well as the air conditioner, except that it doesn't condition the air. The tunes played are unidentifiable. A familiar tune might prompt office singalongs, or an expectancy on the part of the listener who is doting around waiting for his favorite song. As it is, the noise keeps below a level of acute irritation, unrecognizable but functional.

Whether or not music makes hens lay, cows drip and plants grow, the possibilities are many of Muzak as a control variable. If you want higher production from your work force, pipe in something with steadily increasing tempo. If you fear that an employee is coming to you for a raise, play something soft and soothing to get him out of the adrenal mood he needs to assault the boss.

You can not help but HEAR Muzak. Try to shut it off some time. There is no control button. Mearl Hodgson and I turned the Spectrum office upside down trying to find a switch to turn or a knob to pull. You can't even stuff newspaper in the speakers, because you can't tell the difference between the speaker, the ventilation duct or the heat duct. In fact, in some of these rooms, you have trouble enough distinguishing the walls from the ceiling. For a while, I thought I would have to finish this column in the Men's Room, that last sanctuary of embattled modern man. There is no Muzak in there, at least not yet, though one can see the possibilities.

You can not help but hear Muzak, but you can avoid LISTENING to it. Hearing is an unavoidable physiological process. Listening requires cerebration of a higher order, interpretation and response on the conscious as well as on the subconscious level. There is commerce between stimulant and respondent. Listen to Muzak and nothing happens: musically or commercially, unless the boss drops by to ask why you're just sitting around doing nothing. If you and your colleagues get together and all sit around doing nothing, except listening to the Muzak, the boss will either have to fire all of you or fire the Muzak. This is one of the few ways I know of shutting it off.

Now, much of what we are fed on radio and television and in the printed media is like Muzak. It loses its purpose if it is consciously and critically listened to. Part of its purpose is to lull the perceiver into a hypnotic trance in which it is impossible to separate the little that is really news or art from the vast matrix of moist sawdust that surrounds it. Thus, when the commercial comes on, it is so stimulating relative to the program content that members of the audience rush to buy the product out of sheer gratitude. If you have strong buying resistance, I would recommend listening to the commercials. They are technically and verbally far more interesting than the program.

Important as the profit motive is in programming, there is also a job-security influence at work. This repetition of bland material eventually creates a bland appetite in the audience, making them unable to respond to anything which is highly seasoned, or subtly prepared, in short, anything which requires a critical taste. If such a program does appear, it is immediately rejected, due to the shock of the audience's having found itself involved in an emotional or intellectual experience. Thus, the no-talent media men can go on grinding out the situation plays based on stock reponses.

The only consolation is that the cyberneticists may revenge us. They are experimenting with computers that write Westerns.



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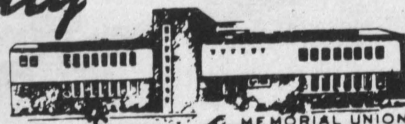
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Star Trained For Singing; Takes Lessons In Shooting

by Ray Barnhardt

Kathy Brademeyer, AS 4, has plenty of training and experience for the singing in her role as Annie in the Blue Key production, "Annie Get Your Gun," but she isn't quite as talented in one of the other activities the part portrays.

She can't shoot a dime out of a man's hand with a .22 rifle at 30 paces — a trick that was in the repertory of the real life marksmanship champion, Annie Oakley.

Kathy wishes to enlist the aid of Dawn Emery, AS 2, North Dakota State University's own Annie Oakley, to give her a few lessons in shooting. Dawn holds the title of North Dakota Women's State Champion in National Rifle Association competition and has competed with top "shooters" from all over the

country at Camp Perry, Ohio.

Says Dawn, "I don't claim to be as sharp a shooter as Annie Oakley, but I like her technique for getting her guy."

Annie competes with Frank Butler, a marksman of the time, but soon finds out that "You Can't Get a Man With a Gun," so they find happiness by teaming up as husband and wife, manager and star, in the Buffalo Bill Wild West Show.

Tom Norum, CP 2, who plays Frank, says "It's a rather enjoyable role, especially with Kathy chasing me around the way she does - on stage, that is."

Members of the cast will be making appearances around Fargo-Moorhead to display some of the entertainment that will be presented in the production, to be staged May 6, 7, and 8 in the Fieldhouse.

BLUE KEY'S ANNIE OAKLEY, Kathy Brademeyer, receives instruction from Dawn Emory, North Dakota Women's Rifle Champion, in preparation for the production of "Annie Get Your Gun."



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A MESSAGE TO ROTC COLLEGE MEN

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qualities that add a vital plus to your academic training . . . qualities that will pay off for the rest of your life in whatever career you choose to follow.

There are other advantages too. Pay, at the rate of \$40 per month during the Advanced Course plus allowances for summer training and travel. Fellowship and social activity. The chance to work with modern Army equipment, and perhaps to qualify for Army flight training if it is offered at your school. And then gold bars and a commission as an Army officer.

Why not talk to your Professor of Military Science now. Let him know you're interested in signing up for the Advanced Course. Then if you are offered an opportunity to join, don't pass it up. It's the program that's best for you . . . and best for your country.

If you're good enough to be an Army officer, don't settle for less.

ARMY ROTC

Editorials

Composite Group Needed

Over the weekend, University of Minnesota Professor Mulford Q. Sibley was finally granted admittance to Canada and given the right to speak. His talk before a womens' group in Winnipeg was not as controversial as expected by immigration authorities. Many people may have wondered what the fuss was all about.

Sibley spoke on this campus in the Spring of 1964. Since that time, to our knowledge, no speaker with as strong beliefs as Sibley's in freedom of expression and the maturity of college students has spoken at North Dakota State University.

The administration of this University has not in the past and therefore, will not in the future, interfere with a speaker's appearance on campus.

If a recognized University organization invites any speaker, and the speaker agrees to a question and answer period, he will be allowed to address this University.

Speakers such as George Lincoln Rockwell, leader of the American Nazi Party, Governor George Wallace of Alabama and Nobel Peace Prize Winner Martin Luther King, to name a few, should be invited to our campus. Rightly or wrongly, these people believe in a movement.

They are not restricted by conformity. They will state their beliefs and students can then form their own value judgments.

We feel that the information of a new organization is needed to accomplish this end. This group should be a composite of all elements of the University. It should not be concerned with the speaker's beliefs - only that he be interesting and informative.

Legal Counsel Urged To Aid Governing Body

A letter to Student Senate, which we have reprinted in this issue, points out another problem that exists on our campus. "I am sure that North Dakota State University has an attorney on retainer," from the closing paragraph brings fourth the realization that Student Senate does not have a retained legal counsel.

While the University does have legal counsel through retained attorneys and the North Dakota Attorney General's office, these services are not normally extended to the students and the governing body that represents them.

As a governing body that handles large sums of money and enters into numerous contracts, directly or indirectly through the commissions authorized by them, Senate has a definite need for legal counsel.

Legal services should be extended to the various commissions so that they may be informed and advised concerning their legal rights and obligations. Contracts entered into by the commissions, such as those for the printing of the Bison Annual and the *Spectrum*, should be checked by an attorney before they are signed.

The monetary value of many of these contracts has increased with the growth of our University to the extent that it is necessary that these contracts should be legally supervised for the protection of the student body as well as the commission members.

We firmly believe that Student Senate should retain an attorney to provide legal counsel whenever such services are deemed necessary. Through the effective use of legal counsel, Senate would be able to expedite many of their projects. We feel that the matter of pedestrian safety, known as the stop light project, would now be a reality if the services of a competent attorney had been applied to the project.

We strongly urge Senate to undertake the matter of securing legal counsel as an absolute and urgent necessity.

Editorial Staff

Spectrum Rues Lottery Error

The *Spectrum* regrets that it unintentionally publicized both plans by a student organization to hold a lottery and the results of that lottery in recent issues of the *Spectrum*.

We refer to the Libra-sponsored dance which included awarding a "prize of value" to "a winner selected by chance" after charging admission to the event and thereby meeting the "consideration" test of the postal regulations. Since the *Spectrum* uses the mails to distribute some of its copies, it falls under the federal regulations regarding use of the mails.

Our chagrin at being so careless as to publicize a lottery in violation of the federal laws is matched only by our relief at not having been called to account by postal authorities, and, we might add, by our determination not to be "mousetrapped" again.

We think that it does not speak highly of university organizations and the vaunted imaginative, creative and innovative character of university training when student groups resort to questionable gambling devices to induce interest in their activities.

For our part, we intend to not publicize any event which gives even a hint of using gambling as a come on.

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Letters to the Editor . . . Student Disputes University's Title

To the editor:

As a transfer student on this campus, the past four weeks has been a most enlightening affair. I have witnessed the greatest conglomeration of "do nothings" in the history of any educational institution in the country. The chief characteristic of the students is insensibility and unconcern, while the administration's is one of domination and suppression, whereas the student government holds an attitude of "let's be good buys."

This is not a university, it is a baby-sitting service. New ideas are not encouraged, they are squelched. New programs are not supported by the students, but are rebuffed and scoffed at. Liberalism and reaction are unheard-of phrases. Conservatism and regressiveness are the pass words for the lack of student action and thinking.

It is my contention that the purpose of a university is three-fold: teaching, research and extension. In this three-fold program, though a most vital function is included—the university must be a forum for ideas, it must be a rehashing of ideals

and principals. The student body as well as the faculty and the administration, must pursue knowledge as a community affair. There must be less dictation and more discussion. In this vein, there can be no individual condemnation extended, but all elements of the university must accept the blame for this pathetic situation.

There is, it seems to me, only one logical solution to the problem of student unconcern: a student political party, the Student's Conference on Political Effort (SCOPE). The basic purpose of SCOPE is to provide an open forum for students in which to express their ideas and opinions. Through SCOPE, the student can make himself heard in the Student Senate, the Faculty Senate, and the Administration. It is finally time for this university

to stop following the state's regressiveness. It is finally time for the student body to encourage progressiveness and enlightenment instead of condoning student lack of interest and initiative to further their knowledge and responsibilities.

At this point, I extend to you the students, the faculty, and the Administration of North Dakota State University a challenge that if, gone unmet, will continue this university on the road to decadency. The challenge to allow your individuality to come to the forefront. Make this institution into a university in fact, not in name only. Make this institution into a university where knowledge and maturity are pursued, not squelched. The challenge is yours!

Michael Geller
SCOPE

Balfour Defends Policy

To Student Senate:

Our representative, Mr. Peet, has been in touch with me in reference to certain statements which have been made concern-

ing the complaint filed against our company by the Federal Trade Commission. It is a pleasure for me to clarify this for you.

This complaint filed against our company in 1961, and of which hearings have been held throughout the country over a period of several years, is a civil and not a criminal action and alleges only that we did too much business in a certain market.

At the time we put on our defense, among the witnesses who appeared for our company were General Delmar Spivey, Superintendent of Culver Military Academy, Brother Conan Moran of the Bookstore of the University of Notre Dame, as well as three United States judges. They were only five out of the hundreds of people who offered to assist us.

We belong to three recognized trade associations: the National Association of Manufacturers, the Manufacturing Jewelers & Silversmiths of America, Inc. (the association which represents our industry) and the Associated Industries of Massachusetts. I can assure you that none of these would have supported us as wholeheartedly as they did in our litigation if, in their opinion, we had not been absolutely innocent of any charge against us.

In addition, many outstanding corporations throughout the United States have offered us legal, financial and other assistance. We also need people of your caliber to understand all of the facts involved and to make a decision based on them.

We anticipate a decision to be handed down in the near future. Two firms of lawyers have confirmed what I, as president of our company, feel, that nothing damaging has been introduced into evidence in the nearly four years since the complaint was filed and that we are winning a total victory.

I am sure North Dakota State University has an attorney on retainer. If this does not furnish you the information desired, we will be glad to answer, or have our attorneys answer, any specific questions you might have. We value highly our association with North Dakota State University and trust we will have the pleasure of continuing this fine relationship.

C. Robert Yeager
President
L. G. Balfour Company

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"SIBLY TELLS ME YOU'RE STUDYING TO BE AN M.D."

Canadian Alumnus Ashamed Of Canada's Barring Sibley

Editors note: This former student did not direct this letter to us but to his home newspaper, the *Winnipeg Free Press*. This letter was written in reference to Dr. M. Q. Sibley being barred from entering Canada.

To the editor:

As a Canadian studying in the United States, I am amused at actions taken by the John Birch society and other radicals, who campaign against the appearance of any speaker who happens to wear a red necktie. Someone is shouting "Communist" every time three people get together, none of whom is waving the Stars and Stripes.

I was proud to say "In Canada everyone gets a chance to speak. They may be crackpots, but they have a right to be heard."

Dr. Mulford Q. Sibley of Min-

nesota spoke at North Dakota State University in the spring of 1964. I covered his speech for the *NDSU Spectrum* and was among those who laughed at a small group that objected to his appearance. Sibley did a fine job of speaking without overthrowing a single government, local, state or national.

Sibley feels that controversy is healthy for a college campus. He thinks students at the university level are mature enough to be exposed to many groups, including atheists, communists and nudists. These are hardly grounds for branding him a Communist in any country.

By denying anyone the right to speak you undermine the very freedom you are trying to protect. I'm one Canadian who is red-faced, ashamed and disgusted.

J. E. Holland
Iowa City, Iowa

Our Mailbag Runneth Over Scrutiny Asked In Making Of Loans

To the editor:
The population growth and constantly increasing percentage of youth seeking a higher education demand that the utmost diligence be practiced in the making and collection of student loans to insure the maximum continuing benefits from limited funds available for such purposes.

Such advances should be predicted on character, need, potential and purpose of applicant, as well as academic record.

They are not intended as a subsidy to able parents through the shifting of their rightful obligations to their children.

The Federal government has made increasingly large sums available for student loans since January, 1959, to which the state legislature has provided required matching funds, all on a revolving basis. Laxity in collection policy will obviously retard the growth and benefits of this fund. Moreover, it may conceivably represent sufficient reason for diminishment, if not complete curtailment, of Federal funds otherwise available for research and grants.

While United Student Aid

Funds loans carry a guarantee of payment to banks extending same, this does not represent an excuse for not exercising like scrutiny and investigation of each such applicant before certifying loans to banks for receipt of proceeds. Banks are rightfully jealous of their lending records and undue losses may cause them to withdraw from the program.

The same care should be exercised in the making of loans from other funds that may be available to individual institutions.

Fraternities Chapter Extends Thanks

To the editor:

Will you please extend to the Social Fraternities who cooperated in the city wide solicitation for the March of Dimes my personal thank you and grateful appreciation for the great effort of the members. The drive was very successful. The amount collected was \$1562.45.

I know that you have the grati-

The incurrment of debt for an education may well represent the first important business transaction of a student. Rather than being perfunctory, the loan discussion should instill the meaning of obligation and the responsibilities it entails.

An unpaid loan takes away forever the same opportunity to which each succeeding needy student is equally entitled.

Lloyd H. Nygaard
Assistant Commissioner
State Board of
Higher Education

tude of all persons connected with the National Foundation. I also know that the persons most affected, those who receive the treatments and their families, the doctors and technicians who work in the laboratories and all others involved are doubly grateful. Again I thank all of you.

J. Walter Olson, Chairman
Cass County Chapter,
March of Dimes

Policies Defined In Spectrum Annals

The *Spectrum*, under the control of a student organization, was first printed in December, 1896.

At that time, the editor-in-chief and the business manager were elected by popular vote of the students.

Beginning as a monthly with faculty contributions, it became purely a student publication by the end of its first two years. It remained a monthly until 1907, when the student organization requested it become a weekly.

Its policy was to give both sides of any question, thus supplying a forum for student opinion and its own editorials. An extract from the very first editorial, in December, 1896, reads: "We wish to acquaint the people of our state with what we have been doing along the different lines of study."

"It is also the aim of the management that by glancing back over the separate numbers of this monthly, we will have before us practically a complete history of the institution for that period."

In 1907, the *Spectrum* changed from a monthly to a weekly and the policy was reaffirmed. "The new paper is designed for two

specific purposes: to increase college spirit and patriotism on the part of the students and to increase the interest of North Dakota farmers and tradesmen in experimental work . . ."

The students adopted the commission form of government in 1915 and the Student Commission published the *Spectrum*. The Commissioner of Publications, elected by the students, appointed the editor and was responsible for the publication of the paper.

The Agassiz, the first college yearbook, in 1918, made this statement: "The *SPECTRUM* has passed through several changes. The form and size has changed many times. The scope has been widened until the regular issue now reaches fully 3000 readers every week—the number of papers issued being 1200 to 2300 per week."

One of the first complaints as to a name change for the college, which had been named North Dakota Agriculture College by the legislative act of 1890, was brought forth by the *Spectrum* editorial in February, 1900, only ten years after the establishment of the college.

The editorial stated: "It is amusing to hear the expression

of surprise from visitors, here for the first time, when, instead of a lot of hot-houses, barns and other mechanisms designed especially for the farm and farmer, they find a thoroughly equipped, modern institution of higher learning."

In October, 1919, about 20 years later, an editorial in the *Spectrum* was entitled, "Shall It Be Changed."

The publication continued through the years to fight for the name change and in November, 1960, was able to proclaim the new title on its banner head—"North Dakota State University of Agriculture and Applied Science."

The publication has had 62 editors in the 69 years of its history. Throughout these years, it has rendered a service to the students, faculty, administration and to the people of the state. Within its files are copies of the publication that stand as a history of the events which have made the University one of the best of its kind in the United States.

It reached the ultimate goal of any college weekly newspaper by receiving an "All American" award for journalism in 1964.



CAMPUS CUTIE this week is Dianne Stephens, a freshman in Physical Education from Fargo, N. D.

University Alumni Represent Achievements And Activities

Ninety-seven institutions located throughout the United States and Puerto Rico, comprising the National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges, represent in their students, faculty, and alumni a substantial portion of the achievements and activities of all American universities and colleges.

These 97 institutions are attended by 28.5 per cent of all college and university students: 1,422,625 of a total 4,897,867; 39 per cent of all graduate students: 147,639 of a total 373,845. Fifty-seven per cent of the country's Ph.D. degrees and 41 per cent of its master's degree are awarded by these institutions, including 61 per cent of all doctorates in the biological sciences, 62 per cent of those in engineering, 56 per cent of those in education and 55 per cent of those in mathematics.

Two-thirds of the largest university research libraries are on the campuses of these institutions. Of the National Academy of Sciences members teaching at degree-granting institutions, one third are at these institutions. Twenty-five per cent of their operating budgets are devoted to organized research, including agricultural techniques, nuclear energy and space research. Almost half of the total of research projects in modern languages and literature are being conducted at these institutions.

Among the alumni of these institutions are more than half of all living American Nobel Prize Winners, almost half of the members of the National Academy of Sciences, half of the nation's governor's, senator's and congressmen, half of the nation's teachers, 20 per cent of its leading industrialists, and two-fifths of its civilian federal executives.

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14—**
MIDTERM EXAMS
- THURSDAY, APRIL 15—**
4:30 p.m. Board of Organizations & Activities Meeting - Room 101, Memorial Union
- FRIDAY, APRIL 16—**
GOOD FRIDAY
- SATURDAY, APRIL 17—**
8:00 p.m. International Night - L.S.A. Center
- SUNDAY, APRIL 18—**
EASTER SUNDAY
- MONDAY, APRIL 19—**
4:15 p.m. Intramural Board Meeting - Room 204, Fieldhouse
6:30 p.m. Independent Students Association Meeting - Prairie Room, Memorial Union
- TUESDAY, APRIL 20—**
2:30 p.m. Handbook Revision Committee Meeting - The Forum, Memorial Union
4:30 p.m. "Y" Campus Hour" - Meinecke Lounge, Memorial Union
6:00 p.m. Phi Delta Kappa Dinner - Ballroom, Memorial Union
6:00 p.m. YM-YWCA Dinner - Town Hall, Memorial Union
- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21—**
6:30 p.m. Guidon Business Meeting - Fieldhouse
6:30 p.m. Circle "K" Club Meeting - Room 229, Memorial Union
7:00 p.m. A.S.M.E. Meeting - Crest Hall, Memorial Union
8:15 p.m. Little Country Theater Production "The Innocents" - L.C.T.



STEERING COMMITTEE meets to formulate plans for Greek Week activities.



DANCERS admire the decorations at the Beaux Arts Ball.

Bonanza Author Speaks To Economists

A vivid contrast between the past and the future was pointed out by Dr. Fred Taylor, professor of agricultural economics, and Dr. Hiram Drache of Concordia College at the Agricultural Economics Club spring banquet April 8.

Dr. Taylor spoke on the importance of education in this age. The speed with which new knowledge turns over was illustrated by his explanation that "The dynamics of our age is aptly illustrated by the jet age; in the lifetime of most people we have seen both the birth and passing of the jet age - one of the shortest epics of all time."

Dr. Dale Anderson, assistant professor of agricultural economics, presented three awards to agricultural economics majors. A Senior Achievement Award, donated by the Wall Street Journal, was presented to Larry Turner - a yearly award presented to an outstanding college senior. Robert Satrom was the recipient of an award for the most active senior in activities and academic achievement. James Gulseth was named freshman of the year.

SPEAKER

"In the records of time you'll find only one other place that people would rather not go than North Dakota; and that place is H-E-L-L." This was a not so startling fact of life observed Dr. Drache, speaker for the evening, while giving a dissertation on his book, "The Day Of The Bonanza."

Dr. Drache said that the biggest job Northern Pacific Railroads had was to sell the idea that the Great American Desert (N. D. included) was fit for habitation. This task fell upon the shoulders of Jay Cook, underwriter of the early rail system.

"People were not buying stocks in the Northern Pacific because they could buy stocks in other railroads that went through something. For years this area was a vacuum, just something to go through until you reached the West Coast. Bonds went down to \$8 per share and panic ensued. This was the dark cloud just before the dawn, for this cloud had

a silver lining - it led to the days of bonanza farms in North Dakota."

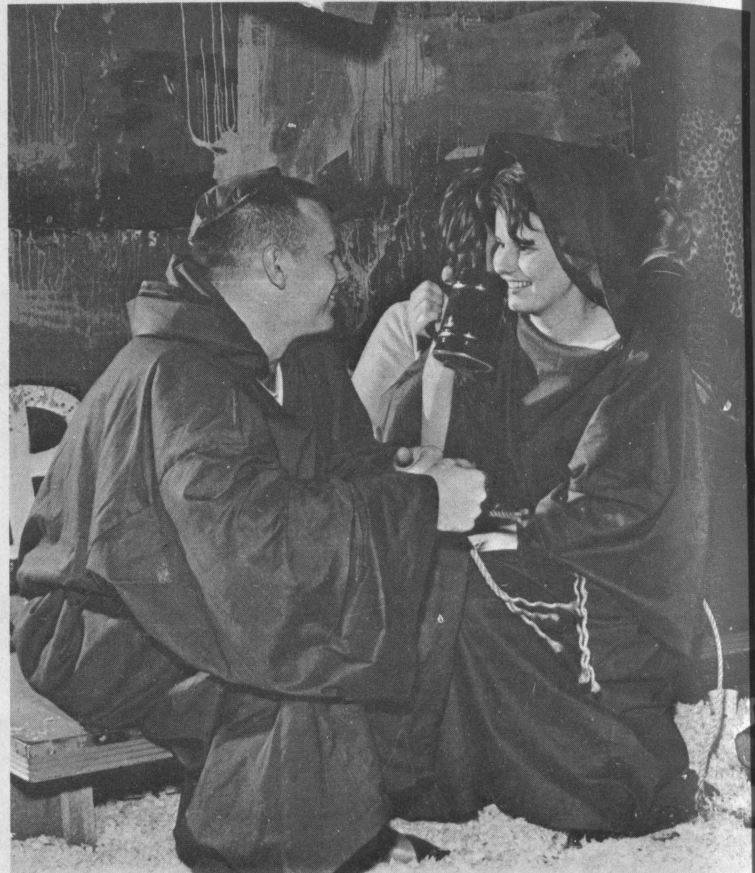
Dr. Drache continued by asserting that no other place, except possibly California, has ever come close to the N. D. bonanza farms of 10, 20, 30, 40 or more thousands of acres. The only modern innovation approaching it is the collective farm system in the USSR.

The Northern Pacific did succeed in getting people from all walks of life and all parts of the world. At one time it had over

1,500 agents in Europe to promote an immigration movement.

The bonanza farms, such as the Amenias-Sharon Land Company, were the show places of the United States and were viewed by presidents and visiting royalty who marveled at the sights. These farms were specialized industries, often having 800 men and 1000 horses in the field at one time.

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Spring Judging Contest Planned

Saddle and Sirloin President, Ed Dunn, AG 4, has set April 24 and May 15 respectively as the dates for the annual collegiate

spring meat and livestock judging contests.

"The contest is open to all college students who have not been a member of either the junior meats team or the senior livestock team," Dunn said.

All judging will be on campus with the exception of part of the meat contest which will take place at Siouxland Packing Company located in West Fargo.

Official judges will be members of this year's senior livestock team and junior meats team.

Chairman of the livestock judging division, Dave Rinke, AG 4, said, "This is the last judging of the year and it is hoped this contest will encourage potential judging team members for next year."

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Research Conference Speaker Chosen

Dr. Roland R. Renne, director of the Office of Water Resources Research, U. S. Department of Interior, has accepted an invitation to speak at the second annual North Dakota State University Research Conference April 24.

A former president of Montana State College, Dr. Renne will discuss some of the critical areas for research in the Northern Plains area that the scientists attending the conference represent.

An agricultural economist, Dr. Renne has been a consultant to the Interior Department on Upper Missouri River Development programs, a consultant to the U. S. Department of Agriculture on research and marketing, and previous to his present appointment, was U. S. Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for International Affairs.

Dr. Renne has been chief of special missions on agricultural and economic affairs to the Philippines and to Peru and consultant to the Operation Mission of ICA in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

Object of the conference is to focus attention on areas of research in this region in which a critical shortage of scientific information exists, and to explore

paths where faculty members of institutions of higher education can make a greater contribution. Fields of emphasis are water, wildlife, and recreation, urban and rural life and community action, and industrial development.

The public, as well as scientists from area colleges and universities, is invited to any of the sessions.

Educational Program Outlined To Encourage Indian Students

Harold Schunk, superintendent of Rosebud Indian Reservation, outlined a program to encourage Indians to seek higher education in a YW-YMCA sponsored lecture in the Memorial Union April 5.

Schunk seeks students who have completed at least one year of college to conduct an educational census on the reservation.

The census will be to determine how many can't read or write, how many have completed grade school and how many are high school dropouts.

Students will help set up an informal education program for Indians. The project starts June 20 with an orientation program and ends Aug. 21. Students must supply their own transportation to and from the reservation. Room and board will be provided and a small stipend will be made available to each participant.

Anyone desiring more information should contact the YMCA office.

Schunk said the Indians have more opportunities than the white man. "We have to inform the Indians about these opportunities and urge them to accept them," he stated.

Any Indian who is 18-35 years old can go two years to a vocation

training school with his school expenses paid by the 95.5 program. Education is the key to solving the economic and social problems of the Indians.

"There is a barrier between the Indians and white men. If one white person discriminates against the Indian, they feel all the white people dislike them," said Schunk. "They have to be told that 90 per cent of the white people are good and that they should forget about the rest."

It's very hard for the Indians to break away from the culture of their parents. If they do, they lose their status in their society. Schunk said that his grandmother wouldn't hold him when he was young because his father had married a white woman.

"You can find anything you're looking for no matter where you look. We tend just to see the bad things when we see the Indian, but there also are the good things," stated Schunk.

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Campus Notices

BUDGETS
All commissions and organizations requesting money from Student Senate for the school year 1965-66 must have their budgets turned in to Lionel Estenson by April 21. Budget forms and application instructions can be obtained at the information desk in the Memorial Union after April 15.

DAIRY SCIENCE CLUB
The Dairy Science Club will meet in room 27 of the Dairy Building, April 14, at 8 p.m.

YMCA BANQUET
The YMCA, YWCA banquet will be held Tuesday, April 20, at 6 p.m. in the Town Hall of the Memorial Union. There will be an installation of new officers and Dr. Herbert Abraham will speak. Tickets for \$1.85 can be purchased at the Y office.

LUTHERAN LAYMEN'S SEMINAR
Mr. Glen Peglau, an attorney from Chicago, will speak at the Fargo Memorial auditorium for a Lutheran Laymen's Seminar on April 25 at 5:30 p.m. Tickets are available from Carole Niewohner or Leon Schmidt.

YWCA MEMBERSHIP DRIVE
YWCA members on campus will conduct a membership drive April 18-30 in observation of National YWCA Week April 18-24. A \$25 scholarship to the YMCA-YWCA Geneva conference will be given to the member who obtains ten memberships during the two week period.

VETERAN'S CLUB
A Veteran's Club meeting will be held on Thursday, April 15, at 8 p.m. in Room 102 of the Memorial Union.

KDSU's Specials For The Week

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14
7:00 p.m. Campus interview: Mr. McGrath

THURSDAY, APRIL 15
6:45 p.m. College Authors Forum: The Modern Poets, Co-authored by John Malcolm Brinnin, Prof of English, Boston Univ.

FRIDAY, APRIL 16
7:00 p.m. Campus News Round-up

MONDAY, APRIL 19
6:55 p.m. NASA reports on the Apollo Moon Craft

TUESDAY, APRIL 20
7:00 p.m. Campus Social Scene

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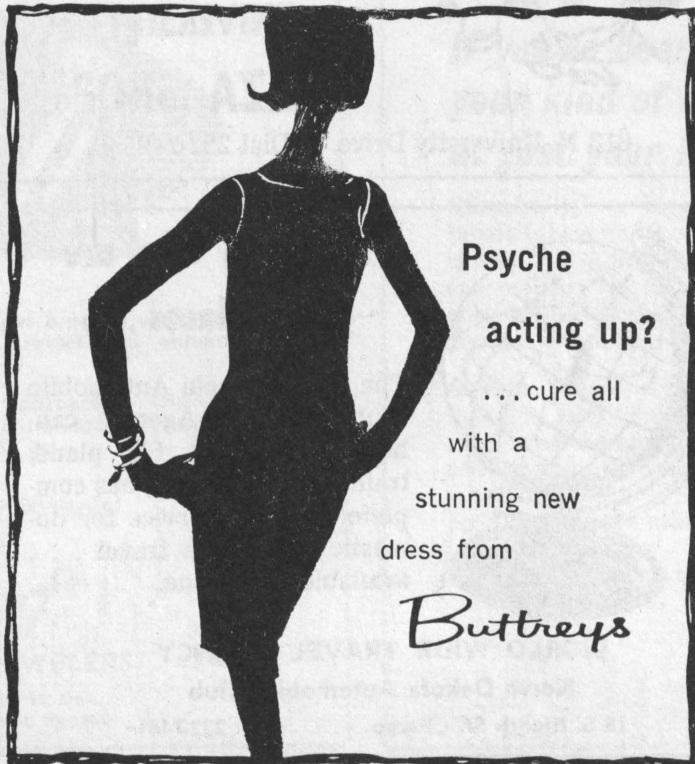


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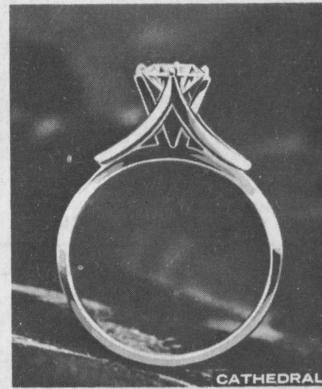


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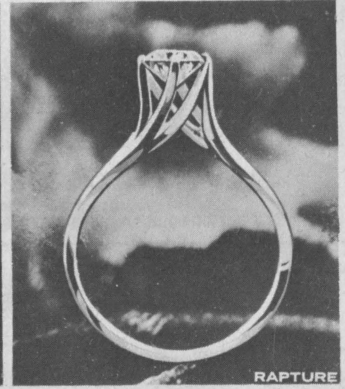
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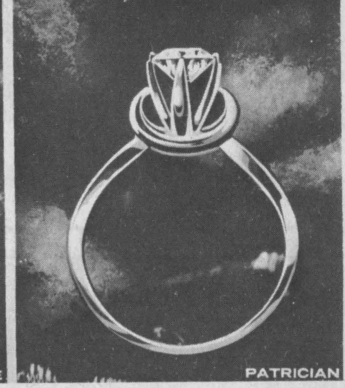
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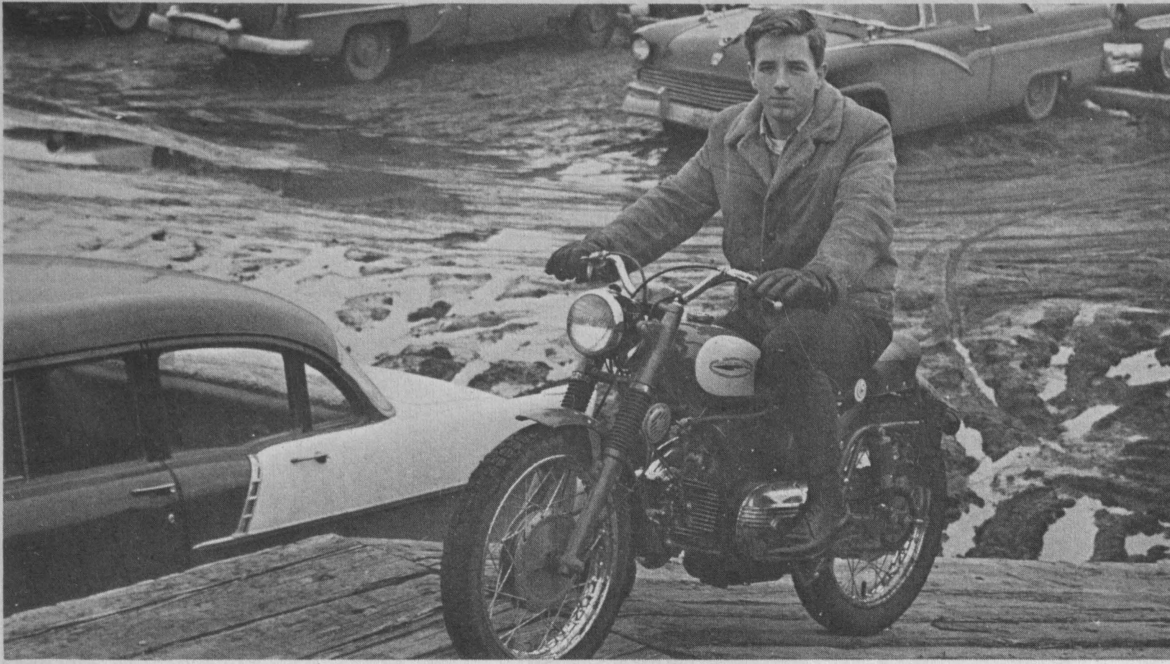
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Dean To Attend California Conference

Dean Frank Mirgain, dean of the college of engineering, is scheduled to attend the University of Southern California's second annual Institute for Engineering Deans.

This conference will attract delegates from over 20 states and Canada to look at the administrative side of the role of a dean, according to Dr. Alfred C. Ingersoll, Dean of Engineering and chairman of the Institute.

Those attending the conference will leave the USC campus for the Idllwild campus where the balance of the sessions will be conducted.

In California for five days, Dean Mirgain will participate actively in the program. He said, "The conference will deal with the problems associated with our jobs . . . at times a dean's life is a lonely one."

Mirgain will be part of a group of deans that will act as a 'nucleus', trying to induce the newer participants to involve themselves in the group discussions.

Dean Mirgain indicated that he sees a value in these institutes. "I am sure that some of my contacts with students and staff have to some degree reflected things that I have learned at this workshop." This is the fourth such conference Mirgain has attended.

Student Dreams Of Venice

"Flash! I am anticipating foreign travel. My heart yearns for the beauty of the Swiss Alps, the excitement of the Parisian cafes, the mysteries of ancient Rome and the romance of old Venice," stated Jill Johnston, HE 1, when she was asked what she would rather do than wade through water puddles on campus.

"Did I hear her say Venice?" asked Sue LaMarre, HE 3. "Fortunate inhabitants of North Dakota State University, put down your travel brochures, throw aside your passports and vaccination cards . . . for Venice has come to you. Here in the heart of the Midwest, what once was a farm village (NDSU), is about to emerge as a center of love and intrigue."

You do not understand?

What do you encounter each day upon stepping from your car, walking or driving across the campus and during a multitude of other campus travels? Why, naturally—the canals of NDSU.

Mary Moordale, HE 2, persists in calling these reservoirs "puddles" and she even complained about wet knees, discolored feet and splattered windshields that result from her so called "puddles".

Here are a few of the suggestions resulting from the poll.

"Rather than allowing some streets and sidewalks the privilege of these waters and draining others, stop all drainage entirely on the campus," stated Sue Goodwin, HE 3.

"Once the water has reached a suitable level (this should be in the near future) we should begin work on building gondolas," stated Sue LaMarre. "What an excellent opportunity for the unemployed!"

"Recruit the most handsome and agreeable youths in the area to serve as gondoliers," stated Miss Johnston. She added that they should preferably have moustaches and know at least one foreign language.

"Begin advertising throughout the United States that NDSU is the Venice of the West, and . . . Presto! Tourists will increase by 100 per cent for at least the next three months (since there appears to be no likelihood of the canals drying up before then)," stated Al Hoff, AG 1.

And finally, Ralph Peotter, chairman of the related arts department, said, "I'd add a few Indians for a little local color."

Reserve Cap And Gowns Now

Graduating seniors should stop in the book store during the next two weeks to fill out a reservation card for their caps and gowns.

There will be no additional charge for these items; they have already been paid for in the graduation fees.

Students who graduated at the

end of the fall or winter quarter should also contact the book store if they plan to attend graduation ceremonies.

All students receiving M.A. and Ph.D. degrees will be contacted by letter and need not fill out the reservation card.

Caps and gowns can be picked up May 26, 27 and 28.

Placement Opportunities

Thursday, April 15
THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION is seeking graduating engineering students to fill needs in various V.A. Centers throughout the United States. Interested students should contact the Placement Office for interviewing appointments with V. A. representatives.

Tuesday, April 20
ASSOCIATION OF MILL AND ELEVATOR MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANIES is seeking engineers for employment. Interested students should contact the Placement Office. **Thursday & Friday, April 22 and 23**

FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION is seeking agricultural students interested in FHA work. Students scheduled for graduation next fall and winter are also welcome to register for an interviewing time with the Placement Office.

ADDITIONAL JOB OPPORTUNITIES

AERONAUTICAL SYSTEM DIVISION, Dayton, Ohio, is seeking candidates in electrical engineering and aero space engineering. Contact the Placement Office for information.

CANADIAN PACIFIC is seeking graduates in civil engineering. Arrangements will be made for a Canadian Pacific Representative to visit our campus in the event that there is sufficient interest. Any graduating civil engineer interested in Canadian Pacific is urged to indicate this interest.

ST. PAUL INSURANCE COMPANIES has job openings in accounting, data processing, adjusting, engineering (safety) and underwriting. Openings also exist in special agent or actuarial work. A complete brochure of facts regarding St. Paul Insurance is on file at the Placement Office.

U. S. NAVAL TRAINING DEVICE CENTER is scheduled to relocate to Orlando, Florida, during the coming year. Interested seniors with majors in electrical engineering are urged to contact the Center.

STATE OF MONTANA currently has openings for college graduates with a major in bacteriology, chemistry, social sciences, civil engineering, psychology or speech. Application blanks and detailed announcements listing duties and requirements are available from the Joint Merit System in Helena.

NATIONAL CENTER FOR HEALTH STATISTICS has openings in their Trainee Statistician Program. The necessary qualifications include 9 quarter hours of statistics and at least 27 credits in math and physical, biological or social science. Additional information can be obtained from the NDSU Placement Office.

U. S. ARMY MATERIAL COMMAND of Dover, N. J., has additional openings for mechanical, electrical and industrial engineering majors. Contact Placement Office for further assistance.

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Parliamentary Procedure Workshop Held For Student Senators

Student Senate conducted a workshop Saturday to inform freshmen senators what are the basic methods of parliamentary procedure and the duties of certain commission and committee posts.

Eldon Walker, assistant professor in speech, presented rules of parliamentary procedure which were supplemented by a film on Robert's Rules of Order.

Roger Wetzel, co-ordinator of the workshop, then asked various commissioners and incumbent senators to explain their posts or committees.

Kay Fletcher reported on the duties of the student-faculty subcommittees. The purpose of the subcommittee is to serve as a link between the student body and faculty. It is composed of the senate's advisors, two stu-

dents and about ten faculty members. Miss Fletcher then explained that the Student Affairs Committee co-ordinates the activities of the subcommittees.

Gary Pfeifer told the workshop of the duties of the Board of Organizational Activities. "BOA often presents the image of a large constricting reptile, squeezing power away from the students, but I think and know that this is not its purpose." The Board does not operate under any constitution as it derives its power from the faculty senate.

Student Body President Jim Schindler expressed his views that student government is the most important organization on campus. He then talked of the possibility of the Senate joining the Association of Student Gov-

ernments, a national body of college governments.

Jim Klusman asked Schindler if the thought of drafting an entirely new constitution had ever crossed his mind. Klusman said "there is very strong sentiment on the part of the faculty and administration in regard to this matter. Let's be frank about it; your (the Student Senate's) constitution is just about as weak as any constitution that I have ever seen in my life." He then cited some cases where he felt

that the present constitution had been ineffective. Jim Schindler asserted that he had considered this and a plan was under study by Tan Miller, commissioner of legislative research.

Commissioner of Campus Affairs, Bob Hendrickson, discussed a judicial system which the Inter-Fraternity Council had set up with deans Scott and Leasure as advisors. He told of a situation where additional late hours to the women's residence halls were granted by the faculty.

According to Hendrickson a majority of the faculty were in favor of the extended time period but some women's representatives indicated the girls in the dorms did not wish the hours changed. A check was made of all women's residence halls and only one had heard of a vote being taken.

Roger Wetzel concluded the workshop by asking the senators to submit an evaluation of the meeting to him by Wednesday.

Student Composition Featured

The "Suite for Clarinet and Piano" composed by Paul Onstad, Jr., AS 4, was performed at the Tau Beta Sigma-Kappa Kappa Psi recital in Putnam Hall April 4.

The composition, written in the 12 tone technique, was presented by Barbara Thorson, clarinetist and Onstad, pianist.

In this style of writing, the 12 semi-tones of the octave are arranged by the composer in a "row." Throughout the composition, the composer must use the tones as they occur in the "row." He is free to invert, use the retrograde, repeat or transpose. The tones can also be clustered into chords. "The logic of the system," said Onstad, "is more musical than mathematical."

"For the listener," he continued, "this organization results in two things: the resultant music is in no key, there is no note on which the composition must begin or end; in place of the key relationship, which gives tonal music its unity, the row

imposes a unity which the listener is unconscious of. One can imply temporary tonal centers by manipulation of the row."

Phi Epsilon Initiates

New members initiated into Phi Upsilon Omicron, home economics professional honorary fraternity are: Marge Nishek, Barbara Holes, Rikka Lunde, Marjorie Albright, Jo Carol Brand, Virginia Nelson, Patricia Larson, Ruth Anderson, Susan LaMarre, Gertrude Berge, Sandra Binek, Carmen Johnson and Darlene Vinje.

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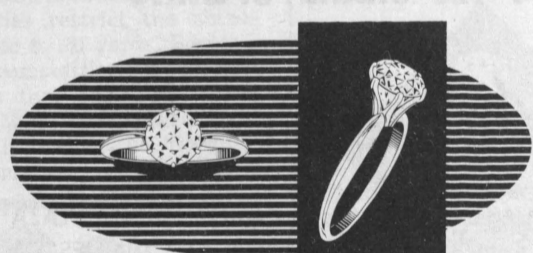
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Conflict Results In Rodeo Cancellation

This year's student rodeo has been cancelled according to Jake Stokke, president of the Rodeo Club. Tentatively scheduled to be held in the Winter Show Building at Valley City on May 8 and 9, the rodeo had to be dropped because Sharivar was moved to the same dates.

It was thought that the club might hold the rodeo in conjunction with Sharivar, if the show were staged in Fargo. However, the two previous rodeos held outdoors in Fargo were rained out, and it was decided that another outdoor rodeo was too great a risk.

Stokke noted, "We will still field a rodeo team to compete in collegiate rodeos in this region. This year we feel that we will have a good chance of recruiting some top high school cowboys for next year."

Bronc riding, calf roping and barrel racing will be some of the featured events of the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association this spring, according to Stokke. Four students will compete in the five Great Plains Region events.

Melvin Leland, AG 3, last year's Rodeo Club president, said team members will be Colleen Schatz, HE 1, barrel racing; Jim Aanrud, AG 3, calf roping; Dave Dunlop, AG 2, calf roping and Ron Smith, AG 3, bareback bronc riding. These students have competed in high school rodeos and meets throughout North Dakota.

Stokke said the NIRA is an organization of college and university students interested in rodeo. The organization is divided into six regions. North Dakota State University is a member of the Great Plains region.

The schedule of the Great Plains region rodeos this year as approved by the NIRA is as follows:

APRIL 23-24

Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kan.

April 27 — May 1

Greek Week Events Scheduled

Greek Week is scheduled for Tuesday, April 27 through Saturday, May 1, according to Allen Redmann, AG 4, chairman.

New events this year will be panel discussions Tuesday evening and a convocation Wednesday evening sponsored by Inter-Fraternity and Panhellenic Councils. The discussions will be on Greek activities such as rushing and financial policies. The convocation includes a speaker and the presentation of 16 Pi Omega awards to outstanding Greek Members.

Spring Sing, sponsored by Alpha Phi Omega, will be presented Thursday night. There is no theme this year. The only stipulation is that if a song has to do with a season, the season should be spring.

Friday evening, five house

MAY 1-2

Northern State College, Aberdeen, S. Dak.
University of South Dakota, Vermillion, S. Dak.

MAY 8-9

Wisconsin State College, River Falls, Wis.

MAY 14-15

South Dakota State University, Brookings, S. Dak.
Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa

MAY 22-23

Black Hills State College, Spearfish, S. Dak.

parties will be held at Theta Chi, Alpha Gamma Rho, Sigma Chi, Kappa Psi and Alpha Tau Omega houses. An Al Hirt concert at the Fargo Memorial Auditorium is scheduled for Friday night also.

The Greek Week picnic will be Saturday noon north of Morrill Hall; Sigma Nu relays will be in the same area that afternoon. A ball is scheduled at the Fieldhouse for Saturday night, where the Greek Week God and Goddess will be announced.

Circle K Receives Citizenship Award

Circle K International which has a chapter on the campus of North Dakota State University has been awarded the George Washington Honor Medal for its college campus citizenship and service program in 1964. The announcement was made by the president of NDSU's Circle K Club, John York, AS 3.

Circle K's work in promoting active citizenship through participation in service projects of the campus was praised by the Freedoms Foundation.

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11 Games Cancelled

Wet Weather Poses Problem For Bison

"Cancelled" and "rescheduled" are two words Head Baseball Coach Vern McKee and his team are learning to live with as snow and rain continue to daunt Bison fortunes this spring. The Herd, winners in their only two outings against Offut Air Force Base, had games cancelled with the University of Minnesota and St. John's University this week-end.

Originally the Bison were scheduled for their first home game today against Minot State, but because of snow and rain, McKee was forced to call it off. Instead the Herd will travel to Minneapolis and try it again against the University of Minnesota Gophers.

Eleven times the Bison have been scheduled to play and nine times these dates have been cancelled or rescheduled.

North Dakota State University will make its second attempt to play a home game this Friday when they play host to Bemidji

State. Game time is 1 p.m. Saturday the Herd will entertain State College of Iowa in a doubleheader starting at 12 a.m. It will be the first conference game for the Bison.

April 16 Bemidji State-here	1:00
April 17 SCI-here	12:00
April 20 Concordia-there	3:00
April 24 Morningside-there	12:00
April 27 MSC-here	3:00
April 30 Yankton College-there	3:30

Remaining April Schedule:



WHERE DO I SIT COACH? This was the scene at the home team's dugout at NDSU's baseball field.

Al Peterson - -

Bison Meet Gophers Today



Weather, an old nemesis of spring baseball in North Dakota, has forced this sport into a hurried-up schedule. Today the Bison travel to Minneapolis for a makeup game with the University of Minnesota.

Head Baseball Coach Vern McKee plans no lineup changes for today's encounter against the Gophers. The only possible alteration, according to McKee, would be to move third baseman Al Arneson to second and send Gary Anderson back to third.

McKee said that the addition of power-hitters, Andy Knudson and John Renhowe, along with new pitchers, Bill Sturdevant and Russ Auen, should make the Bison a stronger team than last year.

Frank Hentges, leading hitter on last year's team showed no signs he had lost his batting eye by collecting three hits against Offut Air Force Base last week. This year, Hentges will not have to cope with spring football and his hitting should be even more effective.

First base may be a question mark according to McKee. Ray Ellingsrud, the best defensive outfielder on last year's team, has been moved there to fill the gap left by last year's regular, Dave Lee. McKee added that Ellingsrud is adapting well and could do a good job with experience.

A recurring problem of Bison baseball teams is their weakness through the middle. Last year the Bison's second baseman, shortstop, and center fielder combined, had only 32 hits among them for an average batting percentage of .164. Two of the three, Al Bruer who hit .148 and Jerry Ahlberg who hit .100, are starting again this year. Dave Perry who had the highest batting average of the trio is being used as a utility man.

Records of two years ago do not indicate any better performances of the three and unless sudden improvements or changes are made, these key positions could provide a downfall for Bison title hopes.

INTRAMURAL PROGRAM IS INADEQUATE

Many people, except those who were unfortunate enough to be placed on the University's academic disaster list, have questioned me as to why the intramural activities at NDSU have suddenly become stagnated. Well, you could say, "weather, man, weather," but this shouldn't be the answer. It is true that from the end of winter quarter until the weather permits, bowling is the only intramural sport offered. Table tennis, basketball and billiards all end in the winter.

What can be done? Either basketball and table tennis should be extended into spring quarter or another sport should take their place. Volley ball could be part of the solution to this problem. Another sport, which would be ideal for intramurals, if the facilities were expanded, would be handball.

I suggest you take YOUR suggestions to the intramural board which meets every Monday at 4:30 p.m.

CLOSING NOTES:

If you have noticed any strange looking creatures walking around campus with paddles hanging from their necks, don't be alarmed. All new lettermen are being required to get the signatures of other lettermen on these paddles before the next meeting. The individuals that the new lettermen fail to have sign their paddles may return their impolite gesture with one resounding whack — from their own paddles.



EYEING THE TARGET is Helen Leland, one of 18 enrolled in the beginning archery class.

YMCA Leads In Standings

YMCA leads the Intramural season standings with 320 total points according to IM Director Erv Kaiser. Kaiser pointed out that this total does not include points from softball, bowling, track, and possibly tennis, if it is offered this spring.

The top ten organizations are:

YMCA	320
Alpha Gamma Rho	214.5
Theta Chi	211.66
Alpha Tau Omega	167.5
Tau Kappa Epsilon	166.25
Kappa Psi	165
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	162.5
Co-op	142.5
ASCE	128.5
IE	94.5

The organization with the highest number of points for the season wins the traveling trophy currently held by the Sigma Alpha Epsilon's.

BOWLING

Intramural bowlers move into the last week of season play with the ASCE the only clear-cut bracket winner. The ASCE holds a 12 game lead over second place Farmhouse in the Classic bracket. Two games separate the IE society and the FFA in the Metropolitan bracket and the Theta Chi and Kappa Psi in the Major bracket. SAE and Farmhouse are currently tied in the Master bracket.

Girls Learn Archery In Class

Archery, although it is limited to the classroom this year, is a popular sport for women at North Dakota State University. According to Miss Elsie Raer, associate professor of women's physical education, NDSU had a women's team last year that won first place in a five team league. This year they were unable to field a team.

"Lack of space is the main problem," said Miss Raer. At NDSU, facilities restrict the shooting distance to 20 yards. Because of this, competition is limited to schools that shoot the same distance. Miss Raer added that this greatly limits the field of competition.

Eighteen girls are now taking part in the one credit hour course offered for the first five weeks of this quarter.

According to Miss Raer, Women's Rifle Association will sponsor a team again next year if enough interest is generated from this beginners class.

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USDA Geneticist Leaves For Mexico

Dr. Norman Williams, United States Department of Agriculture plant geneticist, left Fargo, March 31 for Obregon, Sonora, Mexico, to supervise harvesting of new hard red spring wheat, durum and barley breeding lines being increased for the North Dakota Agricultural Experiment Station.

Obregon is an irrigated experiment station located 540 miles south of the Arizona-Mexico border.

Dr. Jack F. Carter, chairman of the department of agronomy, said Dr. Williams will be harvesting and threshing plants grown from seed sent from North Dakota State University to the Obregon experiment station last fall.

Three crops per year are possible by use of the North Dakota experiment station field plots—during the spring and early summer, the NDSU greenhouses in the late summer and fall and the contracted fields in Mexico during the winter months.

This procedure reduces the time required to develop and release new improved varieties for North Dakota farmers and ranchers.

Evaluation of these varieties

for desirable field and commercial qualities will be performed at NDSU and the various branch stations located throughout North Dakota. Dr. Williams and other agronomists and cereal chemists will evaluate the wheat, durum and barley varieties for rust resistance, yield, lodging and pro-

tein quality.

The harvested material will be shipped to Fargo in time for spring seeding in North Dakota. Dr. Carter estimated that a 400-fold seed increase of the valuable breeding lines will occur under favorable growing and harvesting conditions in Mexico.



MODELS portray wedding scene in bridal show.

Conference Features Great Plains Experts

A bold, new concept in the meeting of minds will be tried at North Dakota State University on April 20-22. Some 50 leading scientists and experts will contribute their specialized knowledge in a variety of fields concerning the great plains region.

Seth W. Russell, dean of arts and sciences, and Carle C. Zimmerman, visiting professor of sociology, are the planners and co-ordinators of this "Great Plains Symposium."

Zimmerman clarified the purpose of the symposium by explaining how Chaucer in his *Canterbury Tales* gives us an insight into the entire society and life of England of that period. Chaucer accomplished this in his story by having people from various walks of life take turns telling about their own professions.

Specialists at the symposium will tell of their fields and will apply their specialties to other parts of the universe.

The varieties of fields to be presented at the symposium range from the wheat plant to the social cost of space. For example there is a Catholic priest invited who has made an extensive study on the Russo-German settlements in the great plains.

These Russo-German people now make-up a significant percentage of North Dakota's population. If a census is taken when relations between Germany and the United States are unfavorable, these people report them-

selves Russian descendants. When Russia has a falling-out with the United States they report themselves German descendants. When both countries are on bad terms with the United States these people become Northern Europeans.

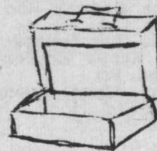
An expert on the climate of the great plains has been asked to account for the strange phenomena of people from this region freezing to death within a hundred feet of familiar shelter.

Participants will be coming from all over the great plains region. Included are Otis D. Duncan, sociologist at Oklahoma State University; Karl Kraenzel, a rural sociologist at Montana State College; John Bennett, professor of anthropology and sociology

at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.; and Richard DuWar, sociologist at the University of Saskatchewan, Canada.

The symposium will begin at 8:30 a.m. in the Prairie Room of the Memorial Union.

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