
THE ALUMNI QUARTERLY

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From the Editors' Letter File

We want to share with you a few excerpts from letters that have been gratefully received in the Alumni Office at Dana:

Thanks for the calendar. Your method of distributing first and waiting with hope is a good gamble.

—WISCONSIN.

Thanks for sending the calendar. With the picture of "Old Main" peeking out from among the trees it brings back the thrill of the time we were there.

—MINNESOTA.

I shall appreciate all year the lovely pictures of our school. They bring to life the happy days I spent on Dana's campus.

—NORTH DAKOTA.

We both have such pleasant memories of our college days and, who knows, maybe our little son will also attend Dana some day.

—MAINE.

Hope someday we will be sending our daughter to Dana.

—CALIFORNIA.

I wouldn't trade anything for the year I spent at Dana. It gave me something I wouldn't have gotten here at the University.

—OREGON.

Let me know if I can help you in your work in any way, as you know how I feel about our school.

—COLORADO.

I am writing to tell you how much I enjoy receiving THE ALUMNI QUARTERLY, especially reading about Dana friends. Highway 59 goes past our door and one evening this spring I got a glimpse of the Dana Choir bus headed north on the tour. That surely brought back memories.

—MINNESOTA.

Tomorrow marks the forty-sixth year since I enrolled as a student of old Dana, and in memory of this anniversary please find enclosed a postal money order.

—CALIFORNIA.

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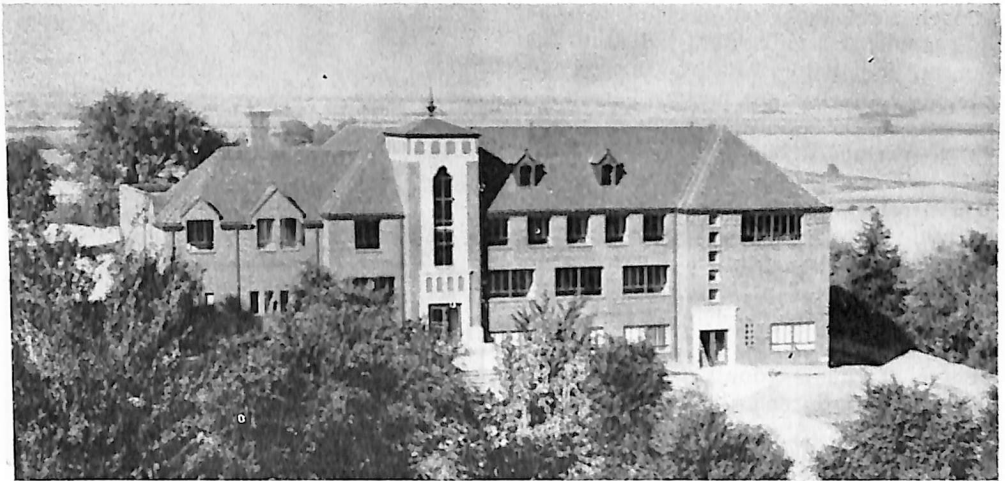
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There it stands, this monument to faith in the future of Christian higher education. You will feel a new surge of pride in your college when you visit the expanding campus and see the soft, dusty blues and deep reds of the brick walls of Dana's new tower-crowned building.

DEDICATION

By Ida Johnson, Brooklyn, New York

High on a hilltop in windswept Nebraska, overlooking the mighty Missouri,
Stands a stately temple of knowledge forever dedicated to lifting mankind
Above this limited world, with its finite, imprisoning horizons.

To the limitless realms of the spirit where dwells the Infinite One,
Who holds the earth in His hands and directs the heavenly planets
In their ceaseless whirling through the ethereal regions of space.

Faith and prayer are integral parts of its towering structure;

Struggle and sacrifice form the rocklike strength of its foundation;
Visions of the pioneers are in the enduring beauty of its graceful lines;

Patience and hope are the fortifying cement of its sturdy walls;
Reverence and worship are in its crowning tower whose heaven-pointing spire
Is like a tall, golden altar candle glowing with celestial fire.

DEDICATION OF THE ADMINISTRATION-LIBRARY BUILDING, OCTOBER 31

Three Wins Raise Football Hopes

by **Dudley Collier**

Football on the Dana campus this fall is a new edition compared with the game in recent years.

Coach Paul Peterson has put together what some sports writers call the best team in the history of the college. To date the ball club has beaten Tarkio 6-0, Fairbury 21-0, and Midland 12-6.

The Vikings have to meet Norfolk, McCook, Concordia Teachers, and Nebraska Central before the season is over. At its face value the Dana team has a good record in beating Midland and Tarkio. For the first time in Dana history a football victory was chalked up against Midland.

Some of the standouts on this year's team are Art Sorensen, Des Moines, Ia.; Neil Connealy, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Bud Robinson, Blair; Earl Pace, Herman, Nebr.; and Maynard Andersen, Racine, Wis.

Keep Homecoming dates open so you can cheer Dana past Norfolk in the roughest game of the season—2:30 p.m., October 30.

Planned Improvements Begin—

Laboratories, Women's Dormitory, Canteen, and Dining Hall are First to be Renovated

First to feel the march of improvements scheduled for all laboratories in Old Main were the biology laboratories. The old biology classroom is now a modern laboratory for beginning students.

If you have had nightmares about the final result of the crack in the south section of the Women's Dormitory, you may now rest at ease. For the past five years there has been no settling of this section. This summer new bricks and general interior repair have sealed the disconcerting crack and the section, complete with re-inforced footings, is as good as new. The roof of the building was replaced this summer. Steps of the dining hall entrance have been relaid and new brick used.

Guest Speaker



Dr. Erland Nelson, Dana's president from 1929 to 1936, returns to the campus as guest speaker at the Homecoming Buffet Supper on October 30. Dr. Nelson has been president of Carthage College, Carthage, Ill., since 1943.

The Canteen in Old Main has been enlarged and completely redecorated, one room in pastel blue and white, the other in pastel peach and white, each with contrasting trim. Allison Hansen, Canteen manager, was in charge of improvements here.

The campus, too, is changing, with new, wide sidewalks curving between the trees to join the campus extension and the new building with the older buildings of the Quadrangle area.

Title to the ten apartments of Vets' Village was transferred by the U.S. Government to Dana College this summer. Plans for future improvement of this property include an exterior of white asbestos shingles.

Our hearts will cling to thee O hail, fair Dana, hail to thee

PROGRAM

Homecoming and Dedication, 1948

Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, October 29, 30, and 31

- Friday** 8:00 P.M. DCDC Production, Auditorium
9:30 P.M. Pep Rally, Campus
10:30 P.M. Coffee Hour, Recreation Center
- Saturday** Morning Tours of New Building
11:30 A.M. Presentation of C. X. Hansen Memorial
1:30 P.M. Parade of Floats
2:30 P.M. Football, Dana vs. Norfolk,
Veterans Field
7:30 P.M. Buffet Supper, Gymnasium
- Sunday** 11:00 A.M. Worship Service, Auditorium
3:00 P.M. Dedication of the \$255,000
Administration-Library Building

Please register and secure tickets for buffet supper upon arrival at Dana. Registration headquarters will be in Old Main.

To assist Homecomers in meeting old friends a special "Homecoming Center" will be provided in Old Main.

And when we launch our little barks On Destiny's deep sea As ivies to thy walls do cling

Though time thy walls may claim Thy spirit live another throng Rise up and sing our song

The High Cost of Living and the Association

We might as well tell you that the treasury is empty and there are bills to be paid! It costs to keep an Alumni Association in "running order" during these days of high prices. Here are some of the costs, divided by funds:

I. Dues: Your dues of \$1 annually must pay for the following. This means we have to plan for nearly a 100% response from former students now on our mailing list.

1. Publication of THE ALUMNI QUARTERLY is becoming increasingly expensive. The cost of printing the last issue was \$107.94. That does not include postage and mailing list costs.

2. The Association's share of the salary of the combined Director of Public Relations—Executive Secretary is \$300 annually.

3. Miscellaneous expenditures for postage, stationery, and other items are constantly being made. It now costs—in postage alone—about \$45.00 to mail one letter each to all members on the mailing list.

II. Contributions to General Fund. We sincerely hope that every loyal graduate and former student will, during this year, make a generous contribution in addition to paying the regular dues. Already—

before any plea has been made—several large contributions have been received. Contributions to the General Fund will be used for the following:

1. The new landscaping project approved by the Association this summer will soon be moving ahead. First we need approximately \$300 for the initial survey; then, in order to secure the free services of a landscape architect, annual purchases of nursery stock costing from \$500 to \$1000 will have to be made. Present campus boundaries should be extended to the surrounding high ridges. The extent of the purchase of additional land will depend upon your generosity. More information about this project in the next issue.

2. Alumni Scholarships: \$50 scholarships are awarded annually to students at Dana College. Money borrowed from this fund to pay last year's current expenses must be repaid. We should have received \$700 for the scholarship fund by the end of the fiscal year.

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THE ALUMNI OFFICE, DANA COLLEGE

Faculty Notes--

Checking up on our Profs

Additions and replacements make the 1948-49 faculty at Dana the largest in the history of the college. New staff members are Miss Cordelia Alderson, classical languages; Rev. Robert M. Corl, Jr., speech and English; Miss Irma L. Irehke, music; Robert R. Jones, sociology; George J. Lemmon, psychology and dean of men; Arthur Lindberg, physics, and mathematics; Miss Aagot Hoidahl, librarian; Mrs. Stephanie Segard, dean of women. **Sigrid Christensen** (43-45), Chicago, Ill., is secretary to the president. **Gerhardt Carlsen** (46-47), Brooklyn, N.Y., is the new custodian, replacing Emil Follen. Miss Anne Thomsen, Superior, Nebr., graduate of Immanuel Hospital, Omaha, is the new college nurse.

Rev. Paul C. Nyholm, following the Amsterdam Assembly of the World Council of Churches, at which he was the official representative of the United Evangelical Lutheran Church, was one of seven Lutheran churchmen chosen to be guest lecturers in Germany the first part of September.

A happy man these days is Mr. Antonio da Cruz, head of the modern languages department at Dana, for his wife and three children left Portugal on October 9 and will join him the latter part of the month. Two of his children will enroll at Dana, the youngest daughter will be a student at Blair High School.

Elmer M. Rasmussen, '39, professor of education, is completing work for the Ph.D. degree at the University of Nebraska this year. He has been appointed to an assistantship in counselling, working with Dean W. R. Baller of the junior division. Rasmussen will return to Dana next fall.

Miss Louise B. W. Woepfel, professor of fine arts at Dana for the past two years, was awarded a graduate fellowship

in the music education department of the Eastman School of Music, Rochester, N.Y., and left for the East in September. Miss Woepfel's articles have appeared regularly in several magazines with a nationwide circulation.

Rev. Vernon L. Strempe, professor of sociology, is at Boston University working towards a Ph. D. degree in his field. The Strempeks left for Massachusetts in August. As Dana's first full-time sociology professor, Strempe was in charge of development of the department.

Kenneth E. Hansen, professor of mathematics and physics last year, and Mary Lee Nielsen were married August 22. The wedding took place at the Lutheran Church in Dannebrog, Nebr., hometown of the bridal pair. Hansen is completing graduate work at the Colorado State College of Education at Greeley and is an instructor there.

Rev. C. Clifford Madsen, 27-29, T33, of the college and seminary faculty, was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Commander in the Navy chaplain's corps, following a short period of active duty at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station this summer.

Graduate study was the main feature of the summer vacation for many a Dana professor. **Frank Hengeveld**, '41, professor of chemistry, and **Paul Peterson**, '41, athletic coach, were enrolled at the University of Nebraska; **Paul Neve**, '41, and Melvin Widman, both of the music department, were at Northwestern University and DePaul University respectively. Others attended short courses at universities and seminaries. Several of the new staff members were also engaged in summer study.

Half the World Away

Far and far our homes are set round the Seven Seas;
Woe for us if we forget, we that hold by these!
Unto each his mother-beach, bloom and bird and land.
—Kipling.

On every continent we find graduates and former students of Dana. To you, our friends, we send a special greeting as we gather for a visit through the pages of *THE ALUMNI QUARTERLY*. To those of us who still live in the shadow of Old Main, it is a thrill to know that at the earth's far corners are Danians in whose hearts there is still a warm spot for a faded old tower on a Nebraska hill and for the ideals it represents.

Dr. **John J. Lund** (24-26), whose home is in Oakland, Calif., is the Cultural Attache at the U. S. Embassy in Oslo, Norway.

Rev. **Arthur R. Tingley**, '41, has left his Great Falls, Mont., parish and plans to pursue advanced theological study at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. Art is remembered at Dana for his leadership in the string ensemble and as student body president. He received the B.D. degree from Northwestern Seminary in 1944.

Dr. **Hajime Inadomi** (11-14) for many years head of Kyushu Gakuin, boys school in Kumamoto City, Japan, is now serving as pastor of the Lutheran Church in Osaka. Dana's first oriental student is active in the present evangelistic movement of the Lutheran Church of Japan.

Benjamin and **Aida Limjoco**, who attended Dana in 1947 and 1948, have just returned to their home in San Juan, Philippine Republic. After one year at Dana, Aida enrolled for a course in designing at the School of Art in Los Angeles, Calif., and Ben enrolled for a one semester business course at Northwestern University. He will be associated with his father's import and export firm in Manila.

Mrs. **Bruce Melvin (Elna Nielsen, 19-21)** returned to the States in September and is now in Washington, D.C. She spent eight months in Seoul, Korea, with her husband who served with the National Economic Board there. Mrs. Melvin was engaged in a special research assignment for Stanford University while there. The Melvins are awaiting appointment to another overseas post.

Rev. **Peter C. Ligaard**, T15, is a pastor of one of the Lutheran Churches of Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.

Other members of the Association who live overseas are **Helen Margaret Jacobsen** (36-38), missionary in Numan, Nigeria, West Africa; Rev. **Arnfeld Morck**, T45, and **Helen Danielsen** (45-46), are associated with the Lutheran Mission at Duitama, Colombia, South America.

Canada and Denmark have been well-represented in the student body through the years and today many former students and graduates live in these two nations.

From the Chapters

\$125 from Denver for Equipment

One of the projects of the Dana Club of Denver, Colo., during the past year was to furnish the equipment for one of the rooms in Dana's new Administration-Library Building. A check for \$125 has been mailed to the college for this purpose.

At the annual meeting, held October 5, Gene Mengers was elected president. Other officers are Ewald Christensen, vice-president, Marie Christensen, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Will Hansen, corresponding secretary. Hilda and Dagmar Grill showed beautiful colored slides from their summer trip to Alaska. Included was a picture of the midnight sun taken exactly at midnight.

The club plans a Christmas meeting when present students at Dana are home for the holidays.



On Destiny's Deep Sea

Herbert C. Jeppesen (39-42) completed work for the MA degree in industrial relations at the University of Wisconsin this summer. Mrs. Jeppesen is the former **Ruth Nielsen** (41-42). The Jeppesens will make their home in Chicago.

Joyce McLeod, '47, who received the MA from the University of Denver School of Librarianship this summer, is now with the circulation department of the library of the University of Omaha.

Janice Kruse (44-45, 46-47) is teaching third grade in the public school at Tekamah, Nebr.

Alvina Larsen, '48, is a case aide at the Lutheran Children's Home Society in Omaha.

Chester Jensen (40-41) is the new superintendent of schools at Hampton, Nebr.

Florence Mortensen (40-42) is teaching at Carson, Ia., this year.

Mrs. Andre Drieding (**Rose Rasmussen**, 40-41) lives in Ann Arbor, Mich. Her husband is engaged in organic chemistry research at the University of Michigan.

Dr. and Mrs. **Harold Sorensen**, '42, (**Lois Carlsen** 39-42) have moved to Graettinger, Iowa, where Harold, recently released from active duty as a captain in the Army Medical Corps, will begin practice.

Rev. **Alvin Reuter** ('42) of Monterey Park, Calif., has been hospitalized during the summer months and has undergone several operations. Rev. **Stinus S. Loft** (15-17), a former Dana professor, is back at his Viborg, S. Dak., parish recuperating from an operation at the Mayo Clinic.

Herbert Christensen (24-25), an accountant at the Racine, Wis., office of Wisconsin Gas and Electric, is active in community music affairs and directed the choir at the Spencer Lake Bible Camp in June.

Mr. and Mrs. **Paul C. Larsen**, '48, (Beu-

lah **Jorgensen**, 41-42) are living at Wisner, Nebr., where Paul is teaching in the local high school.

Allan W. Hansen, '47, is now teaching in the high school at Scribner, Nebr.

Still interested in education is **George Clausen** (99-02) who takes time out from managing his farm near Council Bluffs, Ia., to serve as a member of the local school board.

Dorothy Seybold (46-48) is a teacher in the school system of York, Nebr.

Mary Skobo (46-48) is in nurse's training at Immanuel Hospital, Omaha. Her sister **May** (47-48) is teaching at Norfolk, Nebr.

Karen Hansen (46-48) has a position in the accounting section of the Lutheran Publishing House in Blair.

Ruth Meyer (47-48) is teaching second grade and grade school music in Everly, Ia. She transferred to Dana from St. Olaf College.

Mildred Hansen (35-36), deputy in the office of the Washington County judge, spent the summer in California.

Clarice Sommers (41-43, S48) is teaching music in the high school at Craig, Nebr.

Ewald Petersen (20-21) of Vallejo, Calif., is an electrician at the Naval Ship Yard, Mare Island.

His sister, **Inez Petersen** (14-16), dean of women at Dana during the 1922-1923 school year, is superintendent of schools at Sioux City, Ia.

Ruth Keay (42-43) began a teaching career at Selma Union High School, Selma, California, last month. She teaches speech and drama. She has attended St. Olaf College and the University of Iowa since she left Dana. Her brother, **James Keay** (39-40) earned the master's degree in business administration at Northwestern University this summer.

Grover Hansen (41-42) is completing his college work at Illinois State Teachers College, DeKalb, Ill.

Rev. **Adolph Kloth** ('39, T'42) of Fremont, Nebr., has been appointed professor of Greek at Midland College, Fremont. He will continue as pastor of First Lutheran Church, while teaching elementary Greek at the college.

Clergymen are still on the move! Rev. **Edwin A. Svendsen** (36-38, T44) is the new pastor of Ebenezer Lutheran Church, Oaks, Okla.; Rev. and Mrs. **Lyle Paulsen**, '42, T45) (**Agnes Larsen**, 38-39) now live on Washington Island, Wis., where Lyle is pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church; Rev. **Ole Larsen**, '41, T45, is now pastor of the two congregations in the Westby, Mont., area; Rev. **Ernest Grill**, '24, has moved from Portland, Ore., to Minden, Nebr. where he serves two congregations.

Rev. and Mrs. **Edward A. Hansen**, '40, T42, (**Shirley Bondo**, 38-39) moved to New York in September. Ed, faculty member at the Lutheran Bible Institute in Minneapolis for the past two years, is now on the staff of the New York Lutheran Bible Institute.

Eugene Mengers (46-48) is teaching mathematics at Wheatridge Junior High School in Colorado. He is also football and basketball coach.

A wheat farm near Culbertson, Mont., is the home of Mr. and Mrs. **Gerald Olsen** (**Johanne Jessen**, 40-41) and their 18-month-old daughter, Elaine Marie. Both parents received B.S. degrees from Montana State College, Bozeman, in June 1947, Gerald majoring in agriculture and Johanne in nursing.

Not yet reported is the fact that Mr. and Mrs. **Ted Tellefsen** (**Thelma Andresen**, 37-39) are parents of a 14-month-old son, Ray. Their home is at Robinson, Kans.

At Neligh, Nebr., **Roy Christensen** (32-35) is a partner in the Carhart-Christensen Lumber Company. His sister, **Elizabeth Christensen**, '48, is teaching the eighth grade at Oakland, Nebr.

Merrill Bensen (28-29) runs a van and

storage plant in St. Louis, Mo. A fellow student, **Albert Andersen** (28-29) is with the Interstate Power Company in Albert Lea, Minn.

Orville Nielsen (25-27), whose home is at Plattsmouth, Nebr., is manager of the Gamble Store there.

Ernest Hansen (31-33) is the assistant manager of the Simplot Company of Pocatello, Idaho. If you would like to see a photo of this Danian, turn to one of the June issues of the *Saturday Evening Post*.

Hughie Hughes, '47, is teaching this year in the high school at Dow City, Ia. The principal of the school is **Grace Thompson** (31-32).

Blair High School has four Danians on the teaching staff this year: **Luella Nielsen**, '42, in the English department; **Glenn Neve**, '48, is teaching commercial subjects; **Ordell Olson** (41-42, Grad 46-47) is in charge of home economics; and **Tom Blanchard** (s47) teaches voice and directs the glee club. **Eleanor Nielsen** (46-48) teaches the largest first grade in the history of Blair's Central School.

Two Danians teach in the Herman school system this year: **Marian Nelson** (31-33, 36-37) and Mrs. **Howard Petersen** (**Ruth E. Solevad**, 46-48).

Simon Korshoj, contractor who built the new Administration-Library Building, is a member of the Dana family. He was enrolled at Dana during the twenties.

Weddings

Leona Jenson (41-44) and Clifford Wulf of Arlington Nebr., were married June 6 at Ringsted, Iowa, the bride's home. They reside on a farm near Arlington. **Anita Nielsen** (36-37), who is now at the University of Nebraska, was bridesmaid. Rev. **George Pallesen** (T41) officiated.

Isabel Jacobsen (44-45) and Emory Hoegh were married July 11 at the Lutheran Church, Elk Horn, Ia. **Janet Jacobsen** (46-47), the bride's sister, was maid of honor. Mrs. Archie Madsen (**Lorraine Sandberg**, 44-46) was bridesmaid. The Hoeghs live on a farm near Elk Horn. Isabel is teaching grade school again this year.

Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Hampton, Nebr., was the setting for the July 22 wedding of **Elizabeth J. Hansen**, '47, and Robert I. Hungerford. Rev. **Ole Larsen**, '41, T44, conducted the service. Danians in the wedding party were Mrs. Carl Johnsen (**Lois Basel**, 43-44), Ceresco, Nebr., and Carol Andresen of Omaha. Bob is a member of the wholesale florist firm of Hungerford and Co., Portland, Ore. The couple will live in Portland and Betty will continue in her teaching position at Oswego, Ore.

First Lutheran Church of Blair was the place chosen for the Aug. 5 candle-light wedding of **Lydia V. Larsen** (42-43), daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Larsen, and Peter T. Beckman. Former Dana students who served as attendants were Mrs. Lyle Paulsen (**Agnes Larsen**, 38-39), Washington Island, Wis.; **Tom Frost** (42-43), Portland, Ore.; and **Philip A. Larsen** (44-45, 46-47), Blair. The Beckmans will make their home at Rock Island, Ill., where the bridegroom is president of this year's student body at Augustana College.

In Ansgar Lutheran Church, Salinas, Calif., on Aug. 21, **Ruth E. Solevad** (46-48), Watsonville, Calif., and Howard P. Petersen, Dannebrog, Nebr. Dana senior, were married. Attendants were **Edward Andersen** (47-48), Oakland, Calif., and Elizabeth Solevad, sister of the bride and Dana senior.

Rhoda Jacobsen (45-47), Rupert, Ida., and **Wayne Christensen** (46-48), Beresford, S. Dak., were married at Tabor Lutheran Church, Salt Lake City, Utah, on Aug. 22. They live at Vermillion, S. Dak., where Wayne is attending the University

of South Dakota. Rhoda teaches in the grade school at nearby Centerville.

In All Saints Church, Eben-Ezer, Brush, Colo., **Ewald T. Sorensen**, '48, and **Lois E. Andersen** (45-48) were married Aug. 22. Rev. **Ingvard M. Andersen**, T15, father of the bride, read the marriage rite.

Esther Seybold, '45, and Rev. John Westermeyer were married Aug. 25 at Seward, Nebr., The bridegroom is now pastor at the Evangelical and Reformed Church of Olney, Ill. Among the attendants were **Dorothy Seybold** (46-48), **Sigrid Christensen** (43-45), and Cleo Hansen, Callendar, Ia., a student at Dana.

Dorothy Granlund, '47, and **Lowell Devasure** (41-43, Grad 46-47) were married Aug. 26 in Calvary Lutheran Church, Minneapolis, with the bride's father, the Rev. C. O. Granlund of Bridgeport, Conn., officiating. Danians serving as attendants were Dean Madsen, Bradgate, Ia., and Donald Schou, Sleepy Eye, Minn. The newlyweds live on a farm near Tekamah, Nebr.

Dana Choir Records

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THE ALUMNI OFFICE, DANA COLLEGE

Persis Pedersen (42-44) and **Earl Hansen** were married Aug. 28 at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Minneapolis. Mrs. **Robert Jensen** (**Virginia Pedersen**, 40-42), Chicago, was matron of honor. Earl has a position with Northwestern Airlines and Persis will continue in her position at the St. Paul Library. They will make their home in the Twin Cities.

Association president **Dr. Arnold T. Nielsen**, '42, and **Elaine Neve** (40-42, 47-48) were married in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Ringsted, Ia., Sept. 17. Their home is at Ankeny, Ia., where Arnold recently began practice.

Ralph Digerness (46-48), railway postal clerk in Omaha, and **Miriam Petersen** were married Sept. 18 at Omaha's Pella Lutheran Church. Dana students taking part in the ceremony were **Arlo Andersen**, Atlantic, Ia., best man, and **Roy Mumm**, Staplehurst, Nebr., usher.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fearnside (**Beverly Johansen**, 46-47) are parents of a son born May 27 in Fresno, Calif. The name of the young Fresnan is **Stanley William**.

Cynthia, daughter of **Mr. and Mrs. Leonard D. Hansen** (39-40), was born June 22. Her home is on the **Vanderhoof Ranch** near Woodlake, Calif.

Down in Shreveport, La., the **C. J. Hatchers** (**Ernestine McCain**, 34-36) are the parents of a son, **Ernest Craig**, born June 28. They have two other sons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Andersen (**Marian V. Petersen**, '36) are the parents of a daughter, **Suellen**, born July 18. The **Andersens** live in Eugene, Ore.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Milton Peterson, '43, T45, West Branch, Iowa, became parents of a son on July 22. Mrs. Peterson was **Karen Thomsen** (44-46) of Hayward, Calif.

A daughter was born Aug. 2 to **Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larsen** (**Elsie Bondo**, 33-34) of Toronto, Ont. Three daughters and one son make up this Canadian family.

Elizabeth Jean was born Aug. 11 at Iowa City, Ia., to **Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Langland**. Her father, former professor of English at Dana, is now in charge of setting up a creative arts workshop at the University of Wyoming, Laramie. The family, which includes a young son, moved to Laramie in September.

John Deppe is the firstborn son of **Mr. and Mrs. Donald S. Jensen** (46-47) of Albert Lea, Minn. He was born Sept. 12. Don is associated with one of the **Albert Lea** mortuaries.

Out in Sidney, Mont., **Mr. and Mrs. Iver M. Iversen**, '41, (**Eva Ruth Anderson**, 37-38, 42-44) welcomed their second child, first son, **James Alan**, on Sept. 15.

The **Shelby, Ia.**, manse has another occupant in **Paul Irving**, born Sept. 18 to **Rev. and Mrs. Irving Tange**, T38. He is their first child.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Sorensen (39-40) Des Moines, Ia., are the parents of a daughter, **Nancy Jeanne**, born Dec. 5, 1947. She is their first child.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Christensen (40-41) of Racine, Wis., are the parents of a son, **Gary Bryon**, born Feb. 16. He is their second son.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jahnel (**Venda Christensen**, 40-41), who live on a farm south of Blair, are parents of a daughter, **Sylvia Ann**, born Feb. 24.

Rochester, N. Y., is the home of **Karen Ann**, daughter born Mar. 25 to **Dr. and Mrs. David Simonsen**, '38. David is with the Eastman Kodak Laboratories in Rochester.

Rev. and Mrs. Norman Nielsen (40-42) welcomed their firstborn son, **Gregory Alan**, on May 9 at Minot, N. Dak., where the proud father is associate pastor of First Lutheran Church.

For Your Homecoming - -



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This committee has been at work during the past weeks making plans for what will be the largest Homecoming in Dana history. If Homecoming is a pleasant occasion for you it will be largely because of the efforts of (standing, left to right) Earl Pace, Herman, Nebr.; Roy Mumm, Staplehurst, Nebr.; Norman Winther, Racine, Wis.; Paul Laursen, Ord, Nebr.; John Hansen, Blair; (seated, left to right) Ella Erlandsen, Chicago, Ill.; Howard Petersen, Dannebrog, Nebr.; Norlan Hanson, Somers, Ia.; Joanne Merrill, Falmouth, Me.; and Elaine Madison, Poy Sippi, Wis.

Dr. and Mrs. Cletus Kragh (**Greta Petersen**, 43-44) are the parents of a second daughter born July 18 in Boston, Mass. The family now lives in St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Holl (**Rhoda Carlsen**, 37-39, 46-47), Spokane, Wash., are the parents of a son, Michael Glen, born Sept. 22. Michael's cousin William Bruce Carlsen, was born to Rev. and Mrs. **Verner Carlsen**, '36, T39, (**Mildred Petersen**, 33-35), Kenmare, N. Dak., on Oct. 6. William's father is now a Lieutenant Commander in the Navy chaplain's corps.

Sunset and Evening Bell

Rev. **Peter M. Petersen**, T91, died May 26 at Northfield, Minn., where funeral services were held at St. Peter's Lutheran Church. The aged pastor was one of the first four students to enroll at Trinity Seminary in 1884.

Ansgar Hjortsvang, Portland, Ore., who attended Dana in the 'teens, died June 24 of a heart attack. He owned a dairy business at St. Joseph, Mich., until 1942 when he moved to Portland.

Rev. **Paul C. Paulsen**, T07, who died at Bethel Home, Selma, Calif., July 26, will be long remembered for untiring work in the field of translating hymns. His own hymn "Blest Is He Who Cries to Heaven" is one of the outstanding American Lutheran hymns. Funeral services for the hymn-writer-pastor were held at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, North Luck, Wis.

A Northwest Airlines crash near Winona, Minn., Sept. 5, brought an untimely death to **Waldon Halverson** (32-34). Waldon was the father of a one-year-old son. Following his army service in Italy, during which time he rose to the rank of captain, he returned to his position with Gambles and at the time of his death was wholesale manager for the Chicago district.

Death came to Rev. **Theodore P. Beck**, T03, Sept. 27, at Eben-Ezer, Brush, Colo. Funeral services were held in All Saints Church, Eben-Ezer. In spite of a busy life as pastor in congregations from Brooklyn, N.Y., to Westby, Mont., he took time to write a biography of Prof. P. S. Vig.