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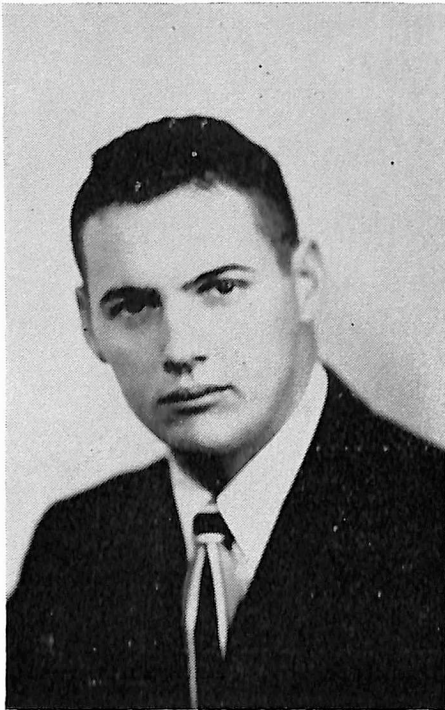
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Bud Kruse

The Kruse Plan

(ED. Note. The following is an editorial that appeared in the **Pilot-Tribune**, Blair weekly newspaper. Rufus Olson, former coach at Dana, is the editor.)

Pvt. and Mrs. Bud Kruse (D'56) who are stationed in Germany, live off the Army post there and have become acquainted with a number of German families.

While a student at Dana College, Bud participated in athletics, and this summer has devoted considerable time to coaching the German youngsters near his home the fundamentals of baseball.

Recently the Kruses attended a public function in a stadium in Germany. Present were the parents of the youngsters Kruse had assisted in teaching the great American game of baseball.

The parents of these youngsters greeted the Kruses with a round of applause and a hearty handshake and expressed their deep appreciation for the time spent in the interest of their youngsters.

Yes, Kruse is also popular with those youngsters, who have been learning to play baseball and attendance at practice is punctual—and the young lads have revealed a devoted interest in the game, a willingness to cooperate and a determination to play the game just as efficiently as American youngsters play the game of baseball.

We are not acquainted with the attitude of the German people relative to Kruses connection with the armed forces, but here is an American serviceman, who has shown an interest in the youngsters of another

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Homecoming, 1958

As you can see by the schedule on the next page, the Homecoming committee has arranged a program that they feel sure will meet with the approval of all concerned. With the business meeting moved to Friday night, the whole day Saturday can be scheduled with interesting events.

Friday, October 24

The coronation and pep rally Friday (October 24) evening will see the 1958 Homecoming Queen crowned. Alice (Romer) Hansen, 1948 Dana Homecoming Queen, will be guest of honor at the coronation.

The business meeting, with some very important issues scheduled for discussion, will be held in the gym immediately after the coronation. One of the most popular events of the weekend is scheduled after the business meeting, as old friends will get together during the annual Alumni Kaffeboard.

Saturday, October 25

Saturday's festivities will get underway at 8:30 a.m. with Open House. The many changes that have taken place on Dana's hill during the past year will no doubt get a good "once-over" from alumni friends. Old Main has been completely remodeled on the North wing with some amazing results. The old road that ran between the dorms and Old Main is no more. But there are too many changes and improvements to mention here.

You'll have to see them to believe what has been done.

State of the College

One of the most popular parts of Homecoming last year was the "State of the College" address by Dana President C. Clifford Madsen. This feature will again draw many. This year, the address will be given on the new area south of the present campus, weather permitting.

The parade, another annual event, will start a little earlier than usual this year. At 12:00 noon floats and bands will begin to make their way to Veterans' Field via Washington street. The quality and quantity of floats is expected to be the highest in the history of Homecoming at Dana.

The Doane College Tigers will provide the competition for Dana's Vikings at the 1:30 p.m. game. Enrollment-wise, Doane has 30 students more than Dana this fall. Football-wise . . . well, it's been a long time since Dana and Doane have tangled, so it should be a good game.

Immediately following the game coffee will be served in the campus park (weather permitting) for all interested persons. This will give the people of Blair a chance to say hello to alumni friends. Someone said recently that no one drinks more coffee than Dana grads. We'll see how much truth there is in that statement at Homecoming.

"Forward in Faith"

Choir Reunion

For years, it has been customary at Homecoming to have a choir reunion. Once again this year, choir member grads will get together to sing some of the old ones.

The main program will follow the banquet. As was done last year, the alumni banquet and the student body banquet will be held simultaneously in different places. The alumni banquet will be held in the dining hall. The program, scheduled for 8:30 p.m. will be held in the gym.

Make you plans now. This is one Homecoming you won't want to miss. Advance registration forms will reach you soon. But don't wait! Make plans now!

Dr. Langland is shown on the cover reading **Sower** copy on a beach in Italy in 1955. Dr. Langland reads all copy submitted to make choice for the Langland Awards.

Homecoming Agenda

Friday, October 24.

Coronation and pep rally, etc.	7:30 p.m.
Alumni Business Meeting	8:30 or 8:45 p.m.
Kaffeboard in Dining Hall	9:45 p.m.

Saturday, October 25.

Open House for Alumni and friends	8:30 to 10:30 a.m.
State of College Report (on grounds, new area)	10:30 a.m.
Lunch	11:15 a.m.
Parade begins	12:00 noon
Game begins	1:30 p.m.
Coffee for EVERYBODY (in campus park area)	3:30 to 5 p.m.
Banquet (dining hall and church)	6:30 p.m.
Program (gym)	8:30 p.m.

Sunday, October 25.

Service

Let's All Go-Go-Go

The Program

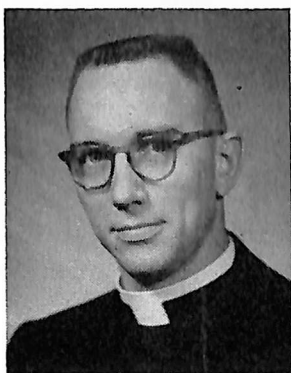
The main speaker of the weekend will be Dr. Joseph Langland, (see cover) professor of English at the University of Wyoming. Dr. Langland, who taught at Dana in 1942, is well known in the field of letters. In 1955, he received the Amy Lowell Award and spent the following year in Italy, writing. Upon his return to the United States, his book of poetry "The Green Town" was published.

In 1942, Dr. Langland established the **Sower**, campus literary magazine. Since 1948, he has given the Langland Award to the best prose and poetry submitted to the magazine.



Rev. Don Hansen

Rev. Don Olsen will act as master of ceremonies. As you remember, Rev. Olsen was scheduled to MC last year's program but was unable to attend when he was attacked by the Asiatic flu bug. Many of you will remember Rev. Olsen as the director of the Male Glee Club of bygone years.



Rev. Don Olsen

The Sunday morning worship service at First Lutheran Church will be the final portion of Homecoming, 1958. Rev. Don Hansen of Denver, Colorado will be the speaker.

HOMEcoming ADVANCE RESERVATION

Please reserve banquet tickets for me.

Please reserve Motel accommodations for for the following nights:

Oct. 24 Oct. 25 Oct. 26
(circle)

Name

Address

Approximate time of arrival

(Clip and mail to Miss Sue Jorgensen, Dana College.)

to Homecoming, Oct. 24-25-26

Know Anyone?



If you do, jot their names down on the form below, clip and mail to Alumni Association, Dana College.

Yes, I know some of the people in the above picture. They are:

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Name

Address



On Destiny's Deep Sea

1950

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hjortsvang (Alvina D'48) have announced the adoption of an infant daughter on April 28 whom they have named Barbara Marie. The Hjortsvangs live at 3019 So. 41st Street, Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Einar Jorgensen (Jeanne Nelson D'49-50) of Greenville, Michigan, were recently blessed with their fifth child, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlo K. Andersen (Margaret Bloebaum, D'45-46, Summer 47-48) have had their third child, a girl, Ruth Ann. The Andersens, who live in Council Bluffs also have two sons. Arlo is office manager at Tip Top Products in Omaha.

Rev. and Mrs. Gerhard Nygaard of Cushing, Wisconsin, became parents for the second time in August, when Debra Kay was born. They have another daughter, Linda, 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Petersen (D'49-50) are the parents of a new son, Mark Allan, born July 19th. The Petersens, who live in Hardy, Nebraska, have two other sons, David 6, and Paul 3.

1951

Marie L. Nielsen became Mrs. James William Watkins last December 14, in a ceremony at Inglewood, California. The Watkins' live at 1402 N. New Hampshire Ave., Los Angeles.

1952

Mr. and Mrs. Charles LeMaster

are the parents of a daughter, Annette Sommers LeMaster, born August 25 at San Diego. Mrs. Clarice (Sommers) LeMaster graduated from Dana in '52. This is their second child.

THE KRUSE PLAN

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nation—and who undoubtedly is building up better relations between the people of America and Germany by acts beyond the call of duty, than by performing his assigned duties.

It is doubtful if "money" could purchase the respect, the appreciation and the devoted friendship which these young German lads and their parents have for an American serviceman, who has taken the time to teach these lads the game of baseball.

Doesn't this prove that there are other methods, besides the use of the American dollar, to build friendship between this nation and other nations?

Wouldn't Uncle Sam find it more beneficial and less costly if the—let's call it the "Kruse plan"—was adopted to replace the "give-away-money" plan that, in the opinion of many Americans, has not only been costly but has done little to bring about the friendly attitude toward America that is desired?

Mrs. Kruse is the former Sandra Lamb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lamb of Blair.

"Forward in Faith"

1953

Rev. Lyle Kohler and his wife were commissioned July 20 as missionaries to serve in the mission field in Sudan, Africa. Pastor Köhler (T'57) has been assistant pastor at Nazareth Lutheran Church, Cedar Falls, Iowa for the past year.

1954

Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Nelson (Marion Petersen D'51-53) became the parents of their second son June 4, named Kirk August. The Nelsons are now living in Stillwater, Oklahoma, where Carl is attending Oklahoma State University. Carl is studying on a National Science Foundation Fellowship.

Neal Moore, after being discharged from the Navy recently, has accepted a position to teach Junior High in Reno, Nevada.



Ray Hagberg

1956

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hagberg (Nellie Faye D'58) have arrived in Tanganyika, East Africa, where they are serving as educational missionaries. Currently, they are studying language at Mivika Bible School on the slopes of Mt. Kilimanjaro. Ray received his M. E. from the University of Omaha this spring, while Nellie graduated from Dana.

Edna Skobo is now teaching in Ann Arbor, Michigan, with her sister, Edith (D'54).

A son was born July 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Zornes (Eileen Feddersen, D'55-56). The Feddersens live in Grand Island, Nebraska.

Ensign Phillip Wittig is now stationed in Texas with the Texas Group, US Atlantic Reserve Fleet. His address: BOQ, US Naval Station, Orange, Texas.

1958

Miss Marlene Paulsen was commissioned August 24, to teach in the mission field in Japan. The commissioning service was held in First Lutheran Church, Blair, Nebraska, Marlene's home church. Marlene was May Fest Queen this year.

Pete Smith has been accepted as a graduate student by the College of Business Administration, Syracuse University.

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