

Many Accessions Made to Library During October

BOOKS OF ESPECIAL VALUE TO
LITERATURE CLASSES
ACCESSIONED

The classes in English and American literature will be interested to know that a number of new books for this department have been accessioned during the month of October. Among them are the following: Garland: A Son of the Middle Border. Hardy: Test of the D'Urbervilles. The Return of the Native.

James: Roderich Hudson. The American. Fielding: The Adventures of Joseph Andrews. Perry: The Heart of Emerson's Journals. Walt Whitman. Stevenson: Travels with a Donkey. An Inland Voyage. Meredith: Diana of the Crossways. Rhoda Fleming. The Egoist. Machiavelli: The Prince. Barrie: Margaret Ogilvy. Melville: Moby Dick. Lewisohn: Up Stream. Conrad: Lord Jim. Gummere: The Popular Ballad. Dixon: English Epic and Heroic Poetry. Foerster: Nature in American Literature. French: The Study of Words. Root: The Poetry of Chaucer. Parrington: The Romantic Revolution in America. Croce: An Autobiography. Pepys: Diary. Balfour: Life of Robert Louis Stevenson. Joseph Jefferson: Autobiography. Adams: Familiar Letters of John Adams and his Wife.

Among new books for the sociology shelf are "Twenty Years at Hull House", by Jane Addams, "American Ideals", by Theodore Roosevelt, and "Social Problems", by E. E. Fischer. Our library, it will be seen, is being enlarged and modernized as fast as our finances permit.

DELIBERATE MODERN AMUSEMENT PROBLEMS
Students affiliated with the Luther League spent a profitable hour on the evening of October 17 discussing the topic, "The Christian's Attitude Toward Modern Amusements".

Various aspects of the question were presented by Scriver Kloth, and after his introduction, the meeting was given over to free discussion. Several manifested their interest in the question by contributing helpful thoughts. Everyone followed the development of the argument with interest throughout.

A special feature of the program was a vocal solo, "I come to Thee", by Miss Mary Hurdum, Miss B. Marie Hansen accompanying on the piano. A business meeting followed the program, at which a new constitution and by-laws were adopted for the society.

STUDENTS ATTEND MISSION MEETINGS
The Dana students were privileged to attend the mission meetings at the First Lutheran Church of Blair during the days of October 18-20.

The visiting Pastors who spoke were Rev. Atlef J. Hansen of Marcus, Iowa, and Rev. H. L. Jensen of Kimballton, Iowa. At the Sunday afternoon service, Prof. C. B. Larsen introduced the subject, "Receptive and Active Faith". Free discussion followed.

The meetings closed Sunday evening with a sermon by each of the visiting pastors. At this service the two choirs jointly presented an appropriate musical number.

INSTALLATION SERVICE

The Board of Directors for Trinity Theological Seminary announces the special service for the installation of Prof. J. P. Nielsen as Dean of the Seminary, November 13th, 7:30 p. m.

A hearty invitation is extended to the friends of our school to make this service a special occasion for a visit.

Please refer to our church papers for detailed program.
T. M. Hansen

NORDIC READING CIRCLE HOLDS FIRST MEETING

The Nordic Reading Circle held its first meeting at the home of Prof. Fynboe, Friday the 26th of October. About 20 people, teachers and students, were present.

As Prof. J. P. Nielsen, who is to be the chairman of the society, was absent, Prof. Fynboe bade all welcome in behalf of the society, and the discussion began.

The book studied for this first meeting was one of Ibsen's, "The Foe of the People". It is a book which calls forth many different thoughts, so that the discussion was very lively and interesting.

At about 10 o'clock Mrs. Fynboe served a lunch, and shortly after the members departed, all satisfied that it had been a most successful and edifying evening.

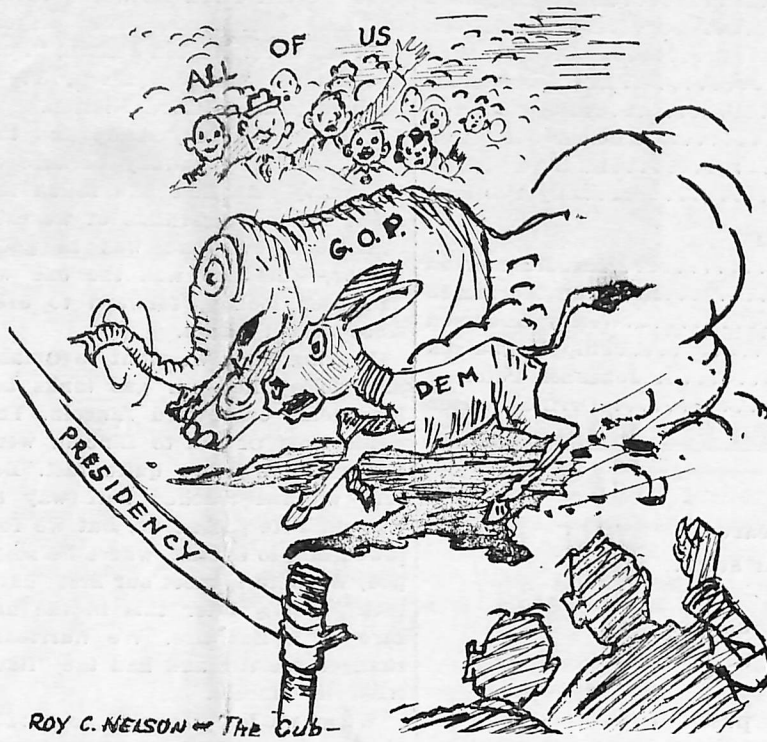
CARNIVAL TO TAKE PLACE NOVEMBER 17

It is whispered that the "Seeress" who is to be at Dana College in November has left for Blair and will be here promptly the eve of the seventeenth for the big Choir Carnival. Much mystery surrounds her exact identity. It has been learned, however, that her speciality is high school people or college co-eds: so the Carnival Committee feels fortunate, indeed, to get this famed "Seeress".

Word has been received that the "Minstrel Four" will also be at Dana College the seventeenth in as much as they want to meet the "Seeress". They promise an evening full of the best clean fun that has ever been presented by a minstrel show. We quote from the Southern Darkey Review, "We are confident that the Minstrel Four are the best representatives of our wit and humor in song and dialogue since the days of Uncle Jedediah. The program rendered by them in New Orleans last night was received with the greatest enthusiasm". We know, therefore, that not a single person at Blair will want to miss this opportunity of hearing them.

A Humane Ford, which is under construction, will be on exhibit at the Carnival. Many new features not shown on the Ford before will be demonstrated on this 1935 model. Many other attractions pertaining to the Carnival have been whispered about, which can not be reported verbatim, but a good time is assured every one. Do not forget the date.—November Seventeenth!

It Won't Be Long Now!



ELECTION PARTY RECENTLY HELD

Nearly all the students and many of the faculty members attended the election party Saturday evening, October 27, in the gym. Each person was registered as a Democrat or Republican according to the wishes of the registrar. The gym was decorated with our national colors and with pictures of the presidential candidates.

The first act of the voters was to hunt the "Pay-off Man". The thirteenth voter to shake hands with an unidentified "Pay-off Man" received a graft. Miss I. Hansen was the winner of this graft.

The Straw Vote came second, in which each voter wrote down the name and actual political affiliation of as many guests as possible within ten minutes time. Miss Bessie Morgan obtained the greatest number of names.

Each party then selected ten boys to fulfill certain party qualifications. These consisted of gymnastic feats by the boys. The judges decided that the Democrats were the more able in this competition.

Next each party chose six candidates to run for office. The efficiency of each candidate was proved by his ability to eat an apple suspended from a string. The Republicans were the winners.

"I Choose to Run" consisted of one representative from each party who was to race with his opponent in putting his campaign slogan upon a standard. The Republican representative was Boyd Nelson, the Democratic, "Pete" Sorensen. The Republicans won this race.

The "Teapot Dome" was the next interesting feature. Each party divided in several small groups, which, in counting, substituted the word "Teapot" for every number containing seven or divisible by seven. Anyone violating the rule was eliminated from the circle.

The Primaries consisted of groups
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DANA GRID ELEVEN LOSES TO NORFOLK

Scarlet and White from Dana were beaten 19-0 by Norfolk in a good game here at Blair last Saturday. Dana had a poor second quarter which netted the invaders twelve points, the other seven points coming in the last session. The fracas was fast throughout and Norfolk was not any too gentle to our squad.

Captain Andersen kicked off for Dana, the kick being returned to the Black and Gold 20 yard line. Norfolk started out with a rush, getting two first downs in about six plays. Norfolk then punted to Dana, who likewise started out fast and furious, "Tom" and "Mert" each knocking off five yards, and Tom again for about fifteen in Dana's first down. Later in the initial period Dana received another first down, partly aided by a five-yard penalty on Norfolk. The quarter ended 0-0.

In the second quarter, the Gold and Black started a little rough work lead by Fischer, who tallied by smearing Henry Hansen when Hansen was already downed. Time was taken out and so was Hansen. "Wes" punted to Norfolk's 20-yard line where the safety man fumbled and let it roll back to his 12 yard line before picking it up. This same little gentleman then proceeded to dash his
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DANA FRIEND IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

Another friend of Dana lies numbered among the dead. Mrs. Steffensen of Council Bluffs, long a friend of Dana students, whose home they enjoyed to visit because of its welcome, hospitable atmosphere, has passed on to the world beyond, but her memory still lingers here.

Mrs. Steffensen had been failing in health for well over a year, but without realizing the seriousness of her illness, it was not until her aggravated weakened condition necessitated hospital attention, that her affliction revealed itself as pernicious anemia and incipient cancer. She died Monday, October 22, approximately a week after submitting to an operation.

The funeral was conducted last Friday from the Danish Lutheran Church, in which she held membership. Several of the students made the trip from Blair to attend the last rites.

The "Hermes" extends greetings of sympathy to the bereaved husband.

Hilger Sisters Give Excellent Lyceum Concert

TRIO CONSISTING OF VIOLIN,
CELLO, PIANO, ENTERTAIN
FAIR AUDIENCE

The concert rendered by the Hilger Sisters October the twenty-fourth was one of the finest of its kind ever presented at Dana College. The trio consisted of a violinist, cellist, and pianist. They played with ease and unaffected dignity before a fair-sized audience.

The Hilger Sisters are foreign-born and have only been in America a few years.

The music played was of a high class. Especially appreciated were the numbers, "Andante" by Bach, "Nocturne" by Chopin, "Rigoletto" by Liszt, and "Londonderry" by Kreisler.

The next lyceum number is a nature program, illustrated with motion pictures, by Guy Caldwell. He imitates bird and animal calls by natural whistling. This will be an unusual number and well worth attending.

FORENSIC ASSOCIATION HOLDS LINCOLN MEETING

The Nebraska Intercollegiate Forensic Association, of which Dana is quite an active member, met at Lincoln October 13. The Dana College representative reports the adoption of the Pi Kappa Delta jury question. The exact proposition to be debated in Nebraska colleges is as follows: "Resolved, that the present jury system of the United States should be abolished."

A new requirement was adopted to the effect that a college shall participate in at least four dual debates in order to be eligible for the state championship honors. This will not, however, affect Dana as we always schedule well above this number.

A tentative schedule was drawn which promises Dana students and citizens of Blair opportunities to hear some of the best forensic talent in Nebraska. A glance at the following schedule will reveal that, again this year as formerly, Dana has challenged the schools which especially rank high in debate and oratory.

Cotner, Champions in 1922.
Nebraska Teachers College at Kearney, High forensic standing, enrollment over 3000.

Grand Island College, Championship in 1925.

Nebraska Central, Indeed "worthy opponents".

Midland, Championship 1924 and also 1927.

INFORMAL PARTY GIVEN IN LADIES' DORMITORY

"Where was the informal party Saturday evening, the 13th?" "In the reception room." "Did ja have a good time?" "We surely did". Thus ran the comments heard about the campus the following day.

Each one appeared with his name on a slip which was pinned on his shoulder. The first few minutes were spent in getting acquainted. After this all drew numbers and took their respective places. In each part of the reception room a different entertainment was given. All enjoyed the tests of brilliancy given them. Every one had the great opportunity to load his ship for China and to find the person blamed for the loss of the "Prince of Wales Hat". They also discovered by playing charades that in our presence there were some beautiful birds and oxen.

A light lunch was served, after which all sang "Goodnight Ladies" and departed for their respective rooms.

DO YOU KNOW?

1. When was Dana founded?
2. Who was the first instructor and how large an enrollment did he have?
3. Has Dana always been located at Blair?
4. Were there any buildings on the campus when Dana first opened?
5. When was the first building erected?
6. When was the first gymnasium built?
7. Under whom did Dana receive recognition from the state?
8. When did Dana become co-educational?
9. When did Dana enter the debate conference?
10. When was Dana's first football squad organized?

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LEISURE

What is this life, if, full of care,
 We have no time to stand and stare.

No time to stand beneath the boughs
 And stare as long as sheep or cows.

No time to see when woods we pass,
 Where squirrels hide their nuts in grass.

No time to see, in broad daylight,
 Streams full of waters, like stars at night.

No time to turn at Beauty's glance
 And watch her feet, how they can dance.

No time to wait till her mouth can
 Enrich that smile her eyes began.

A poor life this if, full of care,
 We have no time to stand and stare.

A CHEERFUL GIVER

Dana life would be greatly improved if everyone on the campus would be a cheerful giver. If all would remember that it is more blessed to give than to receive, the "giving" spirit would be more evident in our college life.

Some may say that they have very little to give, but it is not the amount they give that counts so much as the spirit that lies behind it. There is one thing that each can give and that is a friendly smile and greeting to everyone he meets. This friendly smile or cheerful greeting may be the means of driving away someone's blues, or it may help to do away with the cares that overshadow some fellow student's path. His burdens will grow lighter if he knows some one cares.

Your services may also be an aid to those about you. Never let the other person carry all of the load. Here at Dana we have many outside activities that take much time but if everyone gave his services, the few would not have to bear the burden alone. Remember that even though you consider yourself very busy, others are busy also.

At all times give cheerfully that which you give. Never give anything half-heartedly. Edgar Guest has once said, "Never set out to make a gift, or do another a favor, unless you are prepared to do it graciously and whole-heartedly. The grudging giver spoils his gifts in the making."

Everyone likes the cheerful giver. He is continually making new friends,—but a grudging gift never yet made a new friend, or helped to hold an old one. Above all remember that Christ was always a cheerful giver and would have all to follow His example.
 M. C.

"DO YOU KNOW"

With this issue of the "Hermes" a new feature is introduced to our readers, a feature which we believe should prove of interest to all and accordingly will appear in each succeeding issue.

The "Do You Know" section, to which we are referring, consists of two parts, namely, questions and answers, and through this medium we purpose to present Dana history. This should be of value to most of us, especially those who know nothing of Dana's past. Few of us know when Dana came into existence and under what conditions this took place. It is not a dry history by any means that lies back of our school, and perhaps some of us can come to appreciate our Alma Mater more when we become acquainted with her trying beginning and the struggles through which she has evolved and developed to a college on the brink of full recognition.

Read the "Do You Know" that you may acquaint yourselves with the Dana of the past and better appreciate the Dana of the present.

We wonder if the straw-vote taken at the "mixer" Saturday night is indicative of the tide of the election November 6. The vote was 47 to 42 in favor of the Democrats.

Some one has said, "An education is the only thing a man will pay for and then refuse to take."

STUDENT RELATES STORY OF TEAM'S TRIP TO McCOOK

After considering many means of transportation, it was decided that the football squad was to travel to McCook in Chrysler sedans. Pete Sorensen, Fred Abbot, and the writer were the drivers of the cars obtained from a "drive-it-yourself" company in Omaha.

Friday morning, October 12, at 7:30 we left Dana amid the cheers of fellow students. The players with me were: Merton Jensen, "Fuzzy" Tilden, "Bub" Hansen, Viggo Pedersen, and Gifford Nielsen.

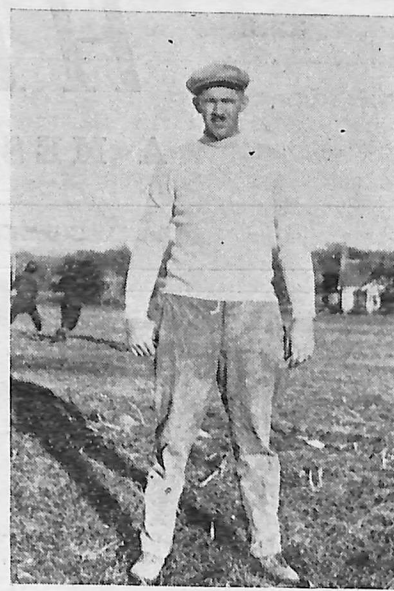
The air was very damp and the roads were very muddy because of the heavy rain that had fallen the night before. Regardless of weather conditions, everyone was in good humor,—this trip was the one we had been looking forward to ever since school began.

Leaving Blair we went to Omaha and there filled our gas tanks before going on toward Lincoln. The roads from Omaha to Lincoln were good; so we drove quite fast. Before we had reached half way to Lincoln Pete passed us, but we followed him to Gretna, where he stopped. We were to meet our first "hard luck" shortly after this in the nature of a flat tire. We hurriedly changed the tire and had the "flat" fixed in Lincoln.

When we left Lincoln, at 11:25, Merton Jensen took the wheel and drove the rest of the day. We stopped at Milford only long enough to eat our dinner and fill the car with gas and oil; then we sped on westward. The road was good as long as we stayed in the center, but if we got too far to the one side, it was soon discovered that the mud was too soft for fast driving. By this time Merton gave us a "scare" by almost hitting a mail box by the roadside. He was not to blame, however, as the car had skidded, and why worry when nothing serious happened.

In Minden we found Pete and his "gang" beside the road exercising their tired, cramped limbs. We did not stop here but drove on to Holdrege where we again filled our tanks with gas. Pete arrived here shortly after us and took the lead out of Holdrege. All went well for a while, but then the second casualty of the day happened. We had reached territory that was "rolling", with some steep hills to climb. We were driving up one of these hills close behind Pete, when he discovered that there was an abrupt bend in the road at the top of the grade. It was so unexpected that he could not make the turn and drove ahead a short ways and stopped. We came up so close behind him that we could not turn either. Since we could not stop, we tried to go around him, but the car skidded and threw our "body" against Pete's car. When we regained our breath, we got out to see what damages had been done. We found that the fenders had been bumped and the football suits scattered all the way up the hill. After gathering the suits and repairing the fenders as best we could, we continued our journey, but more slowly. We reached McCook at 7:30 P. M. without encountering any more difficulties.

Upon reaching the city, the first thing that interested us was finding a place to eat since we were very hungry. For a couple of hours after supper we amused ourselves in the best way we could and then went to bed, arrangements having
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Coach Fynboe

PROFESSOR FYNBOE COACHES FOOTBALL

Coaching is something comparatively new to C. S. Fynboe. He has, however, had some athletic experience. Coach Fynboe starred in track at Luther College at Decorah, Iowa. He broke the conference record in discus and shot put when he was a sophomore, and broke his own record the two following years. In his senior year he was captain of the track team.

A few days ago we heard that coach Fynboe also once was a minor officer in the King's guard in Denmark. We heard that on one occasion there were six Bolsheviks about to seize him, but he struck three of them down and was on his way before the other three knew what had happened. The authenticity of this last statement has not been proved, but we believe it.

If past records have anything to say, then we can look forward to quite a successful future for Coach Fynboe.

FRU PASTORINDE NIELSEN IN MEMORIAM

Det var med stor Sorg, at Pastorinde Niensens Venner i Nordisk Læsekreds maatte se hende forlade os.

Naar nu Nordisk Læsekreds snart møder igen, vil vi savne Pastorinde Nielsen; ikke alene som den gæstfri Værtinde men ogsaa for hendes gode Lune og sikre Bedømmelse af Litteratur.

Selv om Fru Nielsen ogsaa havde været borte fra sit Fædreland siden sin tidligste Ungdom talte hun dog det danske Sprog med en sjælden Renhed —en Renhed som kun kunde virke inspirerende paa de øvrige Medlemmer.

Hvis vi blot alle vilde følge Fru Niensens Eksempel, da vilde Danskheden ikke uddø i Amerika.

Ære være hendes Minde.
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CHOIR SIFTINGS

Last Sunday afternoon, upon the invitation of Rev. Larsen, the Dana College Choir motored to Orum to give a concert. Cars from Orum came to get the singers. The good will and interest shown by the people at Orum toward the choir is much appreciated.

A male quarett has been organized which will sing at various college functions throughout the year.

At the first Luther League meeting in November, Betty Noble will sing "Invocation", by More.

The Toy Symphony Orchestra is progressing very nicely and now boasts fourteen members. They are practicing several numbers, which will be given at the choir carnival: namely, "The Spanish Guitar", "Santa Lucia", and some marches.

The Sunday following the Choir Carnival, the choir will sing at Washington and Kennard. Invitations have also been received from Iowa, but the dates set are as yet only tentative.

The Denmark tour as planned by and for our Lutheran Church will be a glorious trip. The Choir goes as a representative of our church. In order to help raise certain necessary funds, the committee has granted to the choir permission to sell tickets. From the sale of these tickets the choir gets a small commission. However, remember that the tickets cost no more than if purchased elsewhere; so why not patronize the choir? Anyone desiring information write to Professor Waldor B. Nielsen, Dana College, Blair, Nebraska.

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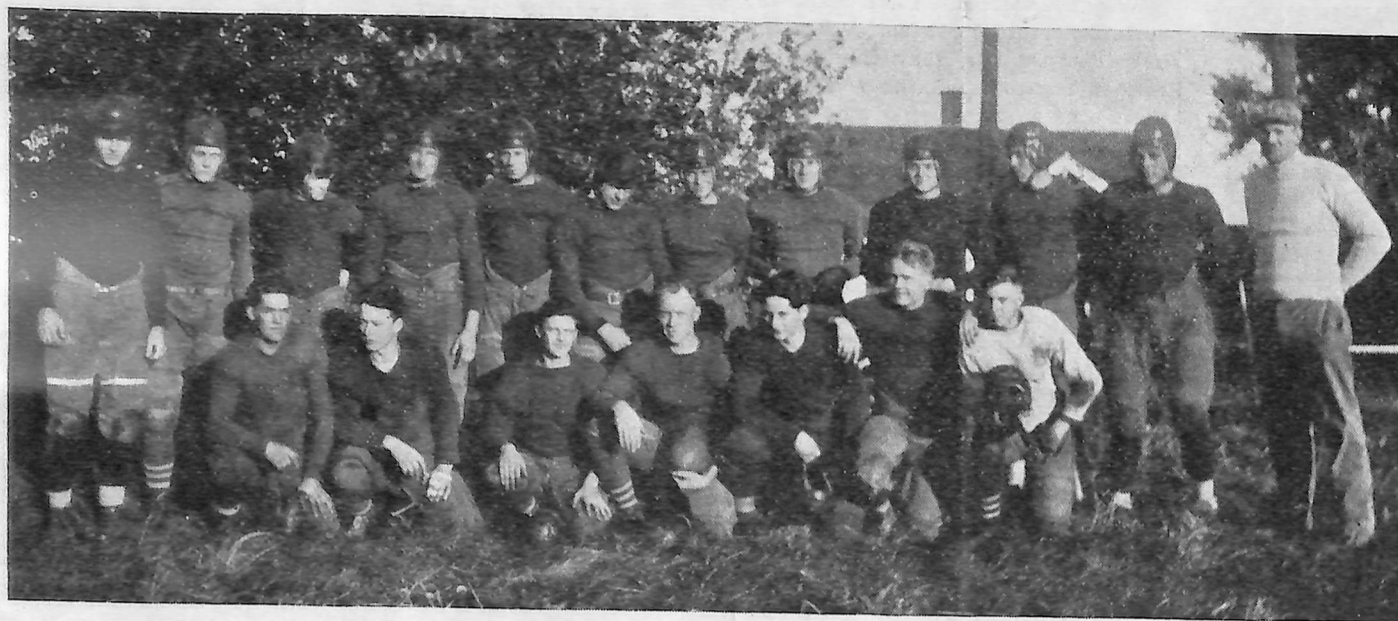
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Front row: Nelson, W. Magnussen, Christensen, Andersen, (Captain), P. Magnussen, Hansen, Andersen.

**TWENTY DANAITES
ATTEND BLAIR HIGH
HOME-COMING EVENT**

Friday, October 19, was the high-water mark in the year for the alumni of Blair High School; it was Home-coming Day. About a hundred of the former students were welcomed to their Alma Mater by the B-Club, the pep organization of the high school. Among those visiting were the twenty odd Dana students who are Blair graduates.

After visiting the school and seeing the fine collection of trophies and awards for which the students of recent years have striven, one may well be proud to be among its graduates. In the past year, six loving cups were added, besides honors in journalism, scholarship, music, and athletics.

In the afternoon a program was given for all. Mr. Masser, the superintendent, and Mr. Park, the football coach, addressed the assembly, while Miss Dorothy Jensen of Dana gave the response in behalf of the alumni. Music was furnished by the local band under the direction of Mr. De Groff.

The climax of the day was reached in the overwhelming victory of the Blair grid stars over the Wahoo team 32-0.

A man sitting in silent solitude at one end of the substitute bench apart from the other "subs" is without doubt a second substitute tackle who has broken a star halfback's leg at a practice scrimmage.

At a kick-off no one is kicked off the play grounds.

When a player gets a limb torn off or broken, the spectators yell and cheer. When they find out that it is only a sprained ankle, the matter loses interest.

Outside of the players, the cheer leader is the only person present at the game that does not freeze. Therefore the real heroes of the game are the onlookers.

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**DANA GRID ELEVEN
LOSES TO NORFOLK**
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way through the Scarlet and White and ended his run by giving Norfolk their first tally. Norfolk tried to plunge for the extra point, but failed.

Norfolk then kicked off to Dana, who tried several line bucks but gave the ball to the Black and Gold after the fourth trial. Lulow, the same little fellow that tore loose before, again got away and lessened Norfolk's distance to the goal by about thirty yards. Fischer, the Black and Gold star left half, then took the pig-skin over the line for the second time in that period. Norfolk again failed to make the extra counter.

Norfolk again kicked off to Dana, but little more happened before the first half was over.

The second half, the teams played nip and tuck for awhile, but in the last quarter the warriors from Norfolk started a series of line bucks that took them right down the field. The last touchdown of the day came in the first part of the last quarter. After that the game proceeded steadily along, but with the Scarlet and White stopping them just before another bingle was possible.

Our line took a lot of punishment in this game, but it is hoped they will come back in the next game more eager than ever.

LINEUPS

Norfolk

- R. E. — Klug.
- R. T. — Asplin (Capt.)
- R. G. — Leray
- C. — Lane
- L. G. — Johnson
- L. T. — Michaelson
- L. E. — Stevens
- Q. B. — Lulow
- L. H. B. — Fischer
- R. H. B. — Evans
- F. B. — Armbuster

Dana

- R. E. — H. Hansen — W. Hansen

**ELECTION PARTY
RECENTLY HELD**
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whose intelligence was estimated by their ability to answer political questions. The Democrats proved to be the superior, intellectually.

Each party then reorganized for a pep meeting. The Republicans gave a Pow-wow, led by six real farmers carrying cornstalks and pumpkins and chanting "We Want Hoover". The Democrats came out with a drum and paraded about with standards and large cartoons.

Richard Morton, the Republican campaign manager, gave the opening speech and introduced, Herbert Hoover, otherwise known as "Cliff" Madsen. The Democrats showered Hoover with tomatoes and carrots, but it was gathered from his interrupted speech that he would bring about many reforms at Dana if he were elected.

Kris Winther was campaign manager for the Democratic candidate. He was kept busy dodging the vegetables thrown by the opposing party and snatching hurried drinks from his bottle. Winston Hansen represented Al Smith, who proved to be very numerous in his attack upon Hoover.

After the campaign speeches, the parties forgot political disagreements and fell into line for a grand march and figure marching. The march ended by leading to the dining hall where everyone shared in the Pork Barrels and Plums.

- R. T. — W. Anderson (Capt.)
- R. G. — V. Petersen
- C. — C. Beckman
- L. G. — G. Rundstrom
- L. T. — F. Abbott
- L. E. — B. Reeh
- Q. B. — Tilden
- L. H. B. — T. Wilkinson
- R. H. B. — P. Magnussen P. Sorensen
- F. B. — M. Jensen
- Referee. John Cunningham of Midland.
- Umpire. Sick of U. of South Dakota.
- Head Linesman. Morton of Wisconsin

ALUMNI NOTES

Chris Berthelsen, '28, and Paul G. Rasmussen are attending Capital University at Columbus, Ohio.

Anna Brock is attending Business College in Racine, Wisconsin.

Silas Larsen, '28, is attending Maywood Seminary this year.

Word has been received from Rev. Ansgar Christensen, '27, of New Zealand that he is recovering from an illness.

Ruth Kaldahl, '27, Agnes Bing, '24, and Anna Kaldahl visited here over the week-end of October 20-22.

Joseph Kjoller is attending school in Lincoln this year.

Elna Hofgaard, '27, is teaching school near Minden, Nebraska.

**ANSWERS TO
"DO YOU KNOW?"**

1. Trinity Seminary was founded in 1884, the college in 1886.
2. The first instructor was Rev. A. M. Andersen, and he had only four students.
3. Dana has always been located at Blair.
4. There were none. Rev. Andersen's home served the purpose until the first building could be erected.
5. The first building was begun in 1885 and dedicated on October 21st, 1886.
6. The old gymnasium was built in 1899.
7. Through the efforts of Dr. C. X. Hansen when he was president of the school.
8. In 1899.
9. In the year of 1926-27.
10. In the fall of 1926.

**J. E. CAMPBELL
FURNITURE AND RUGS
UNDERTAKING**

FROM THE BOILER ROOM

The foot ball game develops self-dependence, individuality, and initiative; therefore every striving youth should be in the field—and do just as the coach tells him to.

Neither half-backs nor quarter-backs are supposed to be cripples, as their names might imply. However, at the end of a pretty fair game, they will probably be more of a wreck than anything else.

The full-back is the one that has no back back of him except his own.

The center is not in the middle of the team but in the front row. The name is perhaps derived from the fact that he usually wants the privilege of flipping the coin. Maybe the title arises from the fact that he SENDS the ball at the start.

A guard is a man that attacks the opposing team.

A tackle, like a fisherman's gear, does the catching.

The end is the one that begins the game by trying to get in where he isn't wanted.

A punt is so called because it sails with a rocking motion through the air.

A football "down" is essentially different from eiderdown—being harder and less comfortable.

The player who, after making a sixty-yard run, drops the ball, is exceedingly lucky, since in case he holds on to it, all the other players will jump on to him in an effort to break his skull, ribs, or anything else that comes in handy.

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STUDENT RELATES

STORY OF TEAM'S TRIP TO MCCOOK

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been made for us to sleep in the Keystone Hotel.

Saturday morning after breakfast we "warmed up" the Chryslers and drove around in the town, which is a pretty little city of eight thousand inhabitants. After driving all over town, we could not find the college. Later we were informed that it was located in the Y. M. C. A. building.

After the game that afternoon we ate our supper and then set out for home immediately, which was about 7:30. From McCook to Holdrege, a distance of eighty-eight miles, we found the roads in a deplorable condition. I started out without chains, but with the car skidding, needed them very much. At the same time, it was raining, which of course did not improve the roads. We had driven only ten miles when we had to change tires. There is little pleasure in changing tires after dark when the roads are muddy and it is raining. This tire we had fixed at Cambridge.

After driving on a few miles further, the roads became so slippery that I had to put on the chains. Shortly after this we caught up with Abbott, who was stuck in the middle of the road. Peter drove up behind us immediately. He was fortunate enough to have a "tow" rope with him and pulled Abbott out of the hole. Because of the heavy fog and muddy roads, we could not drive very fast.

I followed Pete for some time until we came to a corner, where he stopped. As I had nothing to stop for, I tried to pass him, but gained nothing since we slid into the ditch. So again Pete's "tow" rope came in handy. After this little mishap, we traveled along without any great difficulties except that we were continually skidding from the one side of the road to the other. Our average speed had been about ten miles per hour, so it was after two o'clock when we reached Holdrege. It had taken seven hours to travel eighty-eight miles.

The lunch at Holdrege made us feel much better and the roads from there to Lincoln were an improvement. We arrived in Lincoln at seven that morning and had our breakfast there. We didn't stop very long and arrived at Dana at 10:45 A. M. We were surely glad to get back to good old Dana again.

Wesley Andersen, Captain.



Orville Nielsen

ORVILLE NIELSEN IS PRESIDENT OF CHOIR

The Dana College Choir is an organized unit with a president, secretary, treasurer, and librarian. The president for this year is Orville Nielsen, a native of Nebraska. His loyalty to his state and college is no doubt due to the fact that he is a good Nebraskan as well as Danaite. Besides being president of the Choir he is chairman of the Pep Committee.

This is Orville's third year at Dana. He taught public school music at Page, Nebraska, last year. This work also gave him executive training which is necessary to carry on business effectively. His good humor and sportsmanship is never wanting. The Choir is glad the "presidential election polls" and that Orville was the choice.

JEST OURSELVES

Hello Everybody!

Ma, it sure is terrible. I have not slept for 3 nights, although I have gone to bed at half-past 10 every night. I would wish I had "Pussi" our black cat, for although our dormitory is full of "Misser", the mice are not afraid. One night I felt something dance on my bed. I was terribly afraid, and when I put the light on, I saw it was a mouse. Next morning I went down to the kitchen and got some cheese and sirup, put it on a trap, and now I have already caught three.

I do not know what is the matter with our mailman. One day I asked him to buy for 10 cents of white grapes, and he came and gave me 10 cents worth of crape paper.

We girls went out for a walk one morning before breakfast. When the boys saw we left, they thought we were going to leave the school; so there was a great panic among the inhabitants of the male residence, and some had already decided to leave, too, but when we came back half an hour later, they changed their minds.

We had a concert last night. O, ma chere, how fine it was.

I will tell you I am studying hard now, that is, when I have time, but mostly I don't have time because of all the other things I have to do.

The senior class has decided to have a meeting every day at 12:30 except Sunday and other holidays. It is because they have so many different kinds of opinions. I am glad I am not a senior.

The chapel bell — — good bye. Beloved,

Hels Peter Karen Jørgensdatter

Vera H. in zoo lecture: Do rubber sponges grow on the bottom of the ocean?

Prof.: Yes. They grow two in a paper sack.

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Prof.: When a horse is going three miles an hour, how fast is it moving?

Merton: I don't know but it must have been backing out.

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1st Magnusson: I say, brother, can you tell me what goes round a button?

2nd Magnusson: Sure. A button-hole.

3rd Magnusson: No, silly. A goat.

ARMENIAN MISSION CAUSE PRESENTED

Mr. and Mrs. Peters, missionaries, who are touring the United States in the interest of the Armenian Industry Mission, also canvassed Dana College and the local congregation.

While here Mr. Peters occupied the chapel hour on Friday, October 19. Mrs. Peters, who in years past has worked among native Armenian refugees, gave an illustrated lecture relative to that work in the college chapel on the evening of October 20. The pictures vividly depicted the reality of the persecution of the Armenians by the Turks and also the inconceivable destitution of these unfortunate people. Mr. and Mrs. Peters are endeavoring to alleviate these conditions through their work. As a means of providing funds for this undertaking, the missionaries seek to establish selling agencies in America for articles of needlecraft made by the Armenians at the institutions of mercy.

Several people from the local congregation attended this missionary meeting.

CAMPUS DOINGS

The girls' gym classes enjoyed a 3-mile hike before breakfast Tuesday morning, October 23. They left the dormitory at 6:15 and thoughtlessly aroused some of the boys by talking and laughing. The boys complained that they were not used to being disturbed at that hour of the night.

Julia Nelson, '28, and sister of Council Bluffs, spent Sunday, October 21, at Dana.

Louise Christensen visited relatives at Lyons, Nebr., over the weekend of October 20—22.

Edna Bondo has been ill and un-

able to attend classes for over a week.

Alma Johnson, who has been suffering from inflammatory rheumatism during the past two weeks, is again able to attend classes. We have had many visitors during the past two weeks. Some of the students who have had relatives or friends visiting them are Clara Petersen, Amanda Kaldahl, Kris Winther, Anne Nielsen, Beulah Carstensen, and Gudmund Petersen.

Several of the students attended the funeral of Mrs. Steffensen in Council Bluffs, Friday, October 26.

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