

Omaha Cagers

Trim Dana By 34-14 Score

GAME OPENS WITH BOTH TEAMS USING DEFENSIVE PLAY

The Omaha University cagers proved too strong for Dana's quintet immediately following the holidays, scoring enough points to win decisively from the latter by a score of 34-14. The game was fairly fast and fairly interesting, but with (Continued on page 4)

DANA STUDENT

ELECTIONS HELD

The annual student body elections were held during the afternoon of December 9 from 12:30 to 3:30. Approximately 75 of the students, or a little better than half of the school's enrolment, applied at the polls and cast their votes for their favorite candidates. A long list of nominees, 45 in all, had been prepared by the nominating committee, with modifications by the student body, and from these were selected 24 young men and women to fill the offices of the student-body organization. The new officers assume their duties at the end of the semester, at which time the present incumbents complete their terms.

The committee which worked out the nominations consisted of five members, elected by the student body: namely, Scriver Kloth, Edwin Petrusson, Mary Caspersen, Alfa Hansen, and H. Jorgensen.

The elections follow: president, Clifford Madsen; vice-president, Erhardt Nielsen; secretary, Louise Christensen; treasurer, William Rosenblatt.

Hermes staff: Editor-in-chief, Olfert Magnussen; associate editors: Helen Nicolaisen, Henry Hansen, and Erhardt Nielsen; alumni editor, Alfa Hansen; local activities, Vera Holst; humor, William Rosenblatt; forensics, C. Madsen; religious editor, Johannes Larsen; athletics, Carl Beekmann; choir editor, Gertrude Jensen; business manager, Johannes Petersen; assistant business manager, John Christensen; advertising manager, Philip Magnussen; assistant advertising manager, Irwin Tilden; circulation manager, George Robertson; assistant circulation manager, Raymond Mortensen.

Athletic Council: Martha Juhl, Andrew Larsen, and Norman Tilden.

DANA AFFIRMATIVE

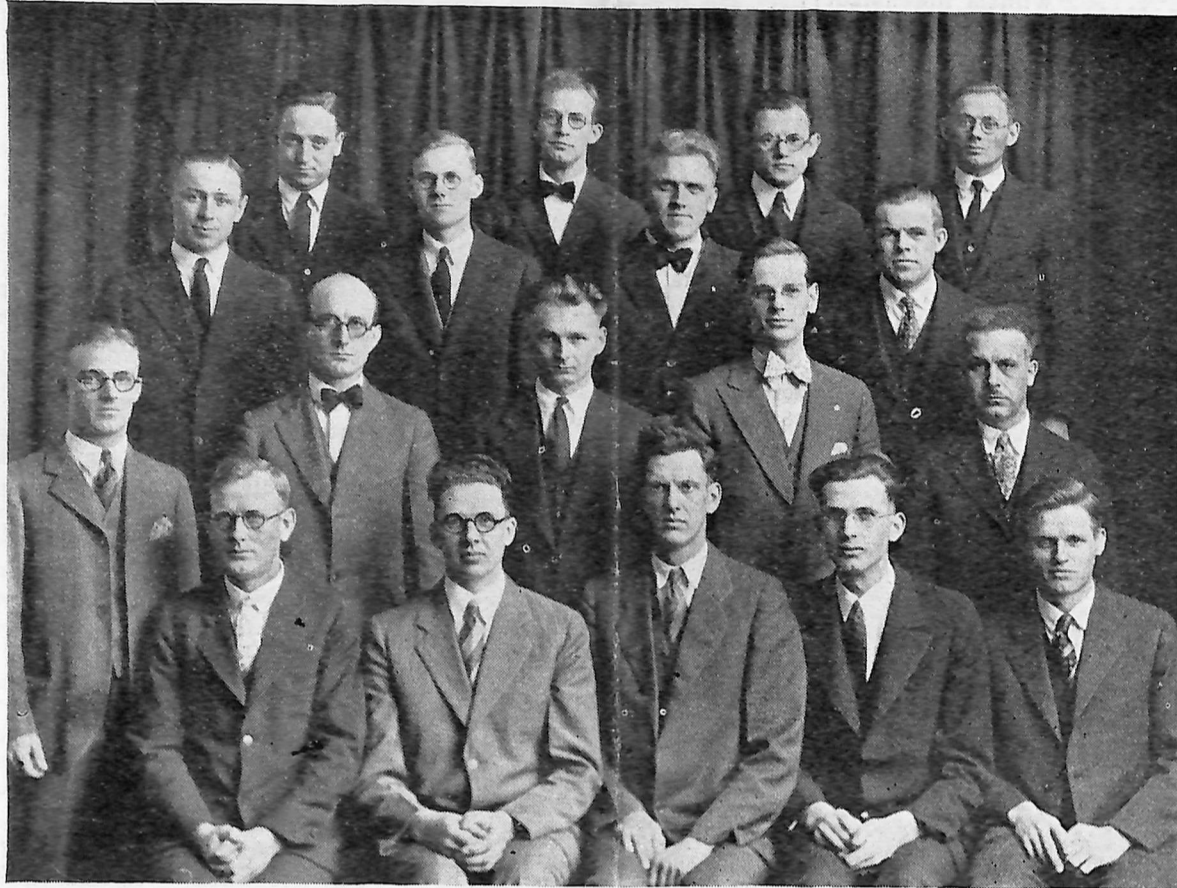
DEBATES CREIGHTON

The Dana affirmative debating team and the Creighton University negative team met on Friday evening at Dana on the question, "Resolved: that a substitute for trial by jury be adopted." The debate readily narrowed down to whether or not a competent jury can be found to administer justice at present, and if not, whether the affirmative plan should be adopted. The debaters clashed on the fundamental issues in a manner creditable to both sides.

As the debate was a non-decision affair, the evening ended in an open forum, in which many took part and which cleared up many questions concerning the topic for debate.

Both teams enjoyed the opportunity offered for gaining experience and further knowledge. A similar debate has been arranged for the Dana negative and the Creighton affirmative teams in the near future.

THIS YEAR'S SEMINARY GROUP



First row: Waldemar Jorgensen, Gudmond Pedersen, Harold Jorgensen, Sigurd Petersen, and Henry Hansen.
Second row: Scriver Kloth, Viggo Petersen, Laurits Pedersen, Kristian Winther, and Arnold Andersen.
Third row: Irving Petersen, Edwin Petrusson, Ravnkilde Møller, and Cornelius Hansen.
Fourth row: Marinus Hagedorn, Johannes Larsen, Harry Thomsen, and Peder Hauge.

REV. LAURSEN SENDS STUDENTS BOOK GIFT

Rev. Laursen, pastor of the Pel-la Danish Lutheran Church in Omaha, recently pleasantly surprised the seminary faculty and students by sending them a lot of about one hundred books from his own library, of which the seminary library is to have a number of choice volumes and the students the remainder, to be divided evenly among them.

The students have been looking over the books and planning how they may most fairly share Rev. Laursen's gift.

Rev. Laursen stipulates that students Winther and Kloth are to have a preference over the other students because of his friendship with Rev. Winther in Japan and Rev. Kloth in Canada.

Rev. Laursen is a former president of Dana.

The students acknowledge his gift with thanks.

DANA AND CHURCH CHOIRS GIVE PROGRAM

The Christmas Concert which had been postponed on account of the flu epidemic was given last Sunday evening at the First Lutheran Church. The church was filled to capacity. The Dana College choir and the church choir made a combined chorus of fifty-six voices. A beautiful sacred program was rendered.

The choir marched in to the processional, "Come Hither, Ye Faithful." Rev. H. Nielsen led in Scripture reading and prayer, after which the combined choirs sang, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Joy to the World," and "Silent Night." With much expression, Miss Hansen sang "Gesu Bambino," a song telling the story of the Christ Child. The Dana A Capella Choir sang, "Before the Paling of the Stars," "Three Kings," and "In Dulci Jubilo."

Professor J. P. Nielsen gave a short sermon at this time. His topic was, "Do you know Him?" or (Continued on page 3)

Dana Gridsters Receive Awards PRESIDENT HANSEN PRESENTS LETTERS AT CHAPEL TO 12 MEN

The football men received their letters during chapel hour Friday morning, January 4. Following a short devotional service, President Hansen ascended the rostrum, and after making a few remarks suitable to the occasion, called forth the players and presented them with the awards they earned upon the gridiron during the past season. The first to be honored with the "D" was Captain Wesley Andersen, who approached the President amid the applause of his fellow students. He also received a white star as a special award for his services in the capacity of captain. Following him, the rest of the players went forward, each amid a volley of applause, to receive the tokens to which the Athletic Council and faculty had declared them entitled, some receiving besides their letters the customary white stripe to indicate that they had played two years for the Red and White. Those so (Continued on page 2)

DANA CAGERS LEAD BY TWO CAPTAINS

The Dana basketball team has two captains this year. This may sound like an enigma to some, but nevertheless it is a fact. Pete Sorensen, one of last year's veteran letter-men, when it came to choosing a captain, was the choice of the players. But Pete, because of the fact that he has already played two years of conference ball, which is the limit allowed by conference rulings, will be unable to captain the team in conference games. For this reason the Scarlet and White basketballers decided to elect an additional captain, and Andrew Larsen, a new man in the Dana ranks, was the choice. Pete will captain the non-conference and Andy the conference games.

DANA STUDENT GOES TO ANNAPOLIS PREP

Fred Abbott, a Blair boy and a freshman college student at Dana, recently received the honor of an appointment, through Senator Howell, to try out for entrance to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland. He left last Saturday to enter the preparatory school connected with the academy, and upon the successful completion of the course, which covers a period of three months, he will be accepted into the famous naval officers' training school.

Mr. Abbott entered Dana last fall, and while here, proved himself an able football player, ranking among this year's letter men.

MORE ACCESSIONS MADE TO LIBRARY

A number of books have been added to the library during the months of November and December.

The accessions follow: Dewey: How We Think; Colvin: The Learning Process; Monroe: Measuring the Results of Thinking; Morgau: The Backward Child; Bowne: The Gary Schools; Hilpatrick: Froebel's Kindergarten Principles; McMurray: Teaching by Projects; Mayer: The Japan Mission Yearbook; Faulkner: American Economic History; Dana Forensic Society: The Abolition of the Jury System.

The last mentioned is a unique addition to the library in that it is edited and published by Dana students. It is a neat appearing booklet containing briefs and other material, both affirmative and negative, on the jury question. Sixty orders from colleges and universities in all parts of the country have already been filled. Favorable comments have been received from Doe College and State Teachers' College of South Dakota. Friends of Dana appreciate the creditable efforts of the debaters and their coach to put Dana on the map.

Big Banquet Set For Evening Of February Second

INSPIRING PROGRAM ASSURED AT HOME COMING EVENT

The traditional annual Home-Coming Banquet is this year to be held February 2nd at seven o'clock. An inspiring and jolly evening is assured by the committee, who further promises an unusually good program with Rev. V. C. Mengers of Sioux City, a member of our School Board, as main speaker of the evening. Mrs. Helen Andersen Wierd of Albert Lea, who for two years was director of music here and who until recently was instructor at Luther Academy, will also be with us. The remainder of the program also promises to make for a real home-coming spirit.

Alumni and former students are most cordially invited. The Dana family expects a large number of old campus friends to attend. Plan (Continued on page 4)

STUDENTS RETURN AFTER VACATION

On January 3, the students of Dana resumed their studies after a vacation extending over a period of almost three weeks, perhaps the longest Christmas recess any of the present students have known or will know while enrolled here. Six extra days were granted because of the influenza epidemic. Some were forced by an attack of this illness to extend their vacation to even a greater length of time. At this time, however, all the students have returned, and it is gratifying to note that all have returned in their original health and vigor.

With the return of the students, the last lap of the first semester got under way. It has been a busy period for all of the students, for some a period of thorough review, for others a period of trying to cram 18 weeks of work into the head. What each has accomplished will soon be revealed behind the classroom doors. Exams begin the 21 of this month, coming to a close on the 23. Originally it had been planned to have the examinations from the 16-19, but owing to the lengthening of the vacation, it was found advisable to allow a few more days for actual class work.

The seminary examinations, as originally scheduled, begin also on the 21. Instead of lasting only three days, however, they cover the entire week from Monday to Saturday.

MISSION MEETINGS TO BE HELD AT COLLEGE

It has been customary in past years to conduct an annual mission meeting at the college. According to an announcement by President Hansen, this year is not to be an exception. Plans are under way for the arrangement of a series of meetings, with an invited speaker, to take place some time in April. Rev. Karl Wilhelmsen has been asked to come here as the speaker, and President Hansen reports that a favorable answer has been received.

It had been planned to have these meetings in the very near future, but owing to the illness of Rev. Wilhelmsen these plans were frustrated.

Rev. Wilhelmsen is a member of the School Board, having been elected to membership at the last convention at Racine, Wisconsin.



Home-Coming Banquet February 2!

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CONGRATULATIONS

Hermes extends congratulations to the men who recently were honored with the letter "D" for their services upon the football field.

BASKETBALL

Now that basketball is under way, let us do our best to support the team and coach by turning out for all the home games. A little rooting and a little pep music from the pep band, but most of all a large student-body attendance, exhibiting a loyal attitude in victory and defeat alike, will go a long way in establishing a genuine fighting spirit in the hearts of the players.

HELP THE SENIORS

The seniors are selling pillows to raise funds for the class. Help the seniors by investing in one and you will also help yourself.

"IF YOU DON'T LIKE TO DO A THING, DO IT"

Several years ago an article appeared in the American magazine under the title, "If You Don't Like to Do a Thing, Do It." The contents of the article are forgotten, but the thought expressed in the caption contains food for careful thought and application.

Throughout life one is so prone to enter into fields of activity which we "like" the best and avoid the things that are displeasing to us. Specialization is a good thing in education and in all other phases of life, but one should not close his eyes to the fact that there is danger of becoming narrowed down to a "single-track" mind, which in turn produces a single-track life.

But why do the things we dislike? If we will pause long enough to make an analysis we will soon discover that the very fact that we dislike a certain thing constitutes the paramount reason for our doing it. Dislike and aversion may spring from a number of sources, but there are two outstanding causes which are responsible in the majority of cases. The first of these is ignorance. We take up a certain type of work, reluctantly perhaps at first, but as we get into it we find oftentimes that we didn't like it simply because we were ignorant of its possibilities and its satisfactions. The second cause might be termed lack of initiative or self-confidence. How often we hear people say, "Why, I can't do that; I've never done anything along that line before." Where would this world be if no one had ever done anything new? The fact that a task or a course of activity is new to us should in itself be the reason for our entering into it if we wish to broaden ourselves and be of the most use to our fellow-men. If we permit ourselves to "slide," doing only the things we like and the things that are easy for us, we are robbing ourselves and our fellow-men. We rob ourselves by denying ourselves the wholesome moral and educational training that could be ours if we were willing to put forth a little exertion beyond the point where it seems pleasant to us. We rob our fellow-men in that by doing only the things we like we are not giving the most and the best we can. It should always be our aim to leave the world just a little better than we found it, and we can never do this if we limit ourselves to doing the things we take pleasure in.

The lesson the Bible teaches us in the story of the talents might very well be considered in this connection. Perhaps by refusing to do a certain thing we might be burying the talent that was entrusted to us. In our spiritual as well as our social and vocational life we will often find that by occasionally doing the things we don't like to do we will make life more worthwhile for ourselves and others as well.

C. M.

Four things a man must learn to do
 If he would make his record true:
 To think, without confusion, clearly;
 To love his fellow-men sincerely;
 To act from honest motives purely;
 To trust in God and Heaven securely.

—Van Dyke.

Trust men, and they will be true to you; treat them greatly, and they will show themselves great.

—Emerson.

When wealth is lost, nothing is lost;
 When health is lost, something is lost;
 When character is lost,—all is lost!

—Anon.

Don't look for flaws as you go thro' life,
 And even though you find them
 Be wise and kind and somewhat blind,
 And look for virtues behind them.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.



SEMINARY ITEMS

Nearly all of the seminary students spent part or all of the Christmas vacation at home or with relatives and friends. Most of them had opportunities to exercise themselves in practice preaching.

Professor J. P. Nielsen was a guest at the home of his brother in Wisconsin during the Christmas recess.

Professor C. B. Larsen devoted a couple of the holidays, together with his family, to visiting with the new Jacksonville pastor, Rev. Thorslev, formerly pastor of the Danish church in Boston.

A young man by the name of Andersen, who comes from Del Rapids, South Dakota, recently visited Dana with the prospect of entering the seminary later on.

Professor J. P. Nielsen is entertaining a group of seminary students each Monday afternoon at his room.

Each senior must turn in a thesis of at least 3000 words. Those eligible for the "B. D." must write not less than 5000 words.

A NEW YEAR'S MESSAGE

We have now crossed the threshold of a new year. Many of us, as we look back over the old year that has just come to a close, realize that we did not always use our time to the best advantage, and so in this new year we are determined to do better. Perhaps some of us have made New Year's resolutions and have already begun to find out that it is not always very easy to live up to such resolutions. It is, however, well worthwhile for us at this particular time to make an investigation with respect to ourselves; for after all one of the greatest assets in life is to come to a true knowledge of our personal self. Socrates says, "Learn to know thyself."—Every Christian should say to himself, "Learn to know thyself in the light of Jesus Christ."

As we now make this self-examination, a good question to ask ourselves is: What things in life received our greatest consideration during the past year? Was it those things which had mere temporal value, or those things which had spiritual value? In other words, did our prime interests center in our temporal affairs or in our spiritual welfare?

We know, of course, that we should first of all seek the Kingdom of God and His righteousness. This exhortation by Christ in His sermon on the Mount forms one of the great principles by which we should live our life. During the past year we may not have adhered to this great principle as we should have done; our chief considerations may altogether too frequently have been connected with the obtaining of food, raiment, and shelter; but, as we have now entered a new year, let us bear in mind that the needs of our soul are greater and more important than the needs of our body, and let us therefore seek those spiritual needs above all other things in life.

Cornelius Hansen.

CAMPUS DOINGS

Lucille Hansen of Albert Lea, Minnesota, underwent an operation for appendicitis during Christmas vacation. "Luke" is getting along fine, having returned to Dana a few days ago. The dormitory girls had a card and letter shower for her.

Maurice Jorgensen of Ruskin, Nebraska, recently visited his sister, Alma, here at Dana.

Andrew Larsen is quarantined in his room on account of scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hansen and Mrs. Hansen's mother, Mrs. Kirk, of Elk Horn, Ia., are our new cooks. Mr. Hansen is a former Danaite.

Miss Charlotte Rosendahl of Oak-

DANA GRIDSTERS

RECEIVE AWARDS

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honored were Captain Andersen, Peter Sorensen, and Winston Hansen.

Besides the letter-men there were also others who went through the frequent grind of practice and the daily routine of rigid training rules. Not to be slighted as having contributed nothing toward the fair showing made by the second football team in the history of Dana, these men were also honored in a special way by President Hansen upon the decision of the Athletic Council. They received special mention in that their names were called out, and, like the letter-men, each player so honored was greeted with the approving applause of the students.

Andrew Larsen received special mention as manager of the team, while William Rosenblatt was honored in the capacity of trainer.

From a former issue of the Hermes: "The award offered at Dana is one that is prized a great deal by every individual because of the task involved in winning such an award. Some of the accomplishments that must be attained before winning such a letter are: a grade of 80 in twelve college hours, participation in half of the schedule games played, clean speech, clean thoughts, attendance at practice sessions, and gentlemanly behavior on and off the campus at all times."

The players awarded letters by the Athletic Council and faculty are: Peter Sorensen, Irving Tilden, Carl Beekmann, Fred Abbott, Henry Hansen, Viggo Petersen, Philip Magnussen, Winston Hansen, Gifford Nielsen, Merton Jensen, Tom Wilkinson, and Wesley Andersen (capt).

The players receiving special mention are: Ernest Hansen, Austin Haller, Ray Mortensen, William Magnussen, Marcus Christiansen, Ravnkilde Møller, and Emmanuel Johansen.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

Mon., 8:00-10:00-all 3, 4, 5 hr. classes that meet at 8:00. 10:00-12:00-all 3, 4, 5 hr. classes that meet at 11:10. 1:30-3:30-all 3, 4, 5 hr. classes that meet at 8:55. 3:30-5:30-all 3, 4, 5 hr. classes that meet at 10:15.
 Tues., 8:00-10:00-all 3, 4, 5 hr. classes that meet at 10:15. 10:00-12:00-all 2 hr. classes that meet at 8:55. 1:30-3:30-all 3, 4, 5 hr. classes that meet at 1:55. 3:30-5:30-all 2 hr. classes that meet at 10:15 and col. physics.
 Wed., 8:00-10:00-all 3, 4, 5 hr. classes that meet at 2:50. 10:00-12:00-all 2 hr. classes that meet at 1:00. 1:00-3:30-all 3, 4, 5 hr. classes that meet at 1:00. 3:30-5:30-all 2 hr. classes that meet at 2:50.

land recently visited friends at Dana. Miss Rosendahl is now attending the Lutheran Bible Institute at St. Paul.

Asaph Jensen, who is taking his last year in the college of dentistry at Lincoln, visited old time friends here last week.

Ben Engskov of Omaha spent Sunday at Dana. Ben attended school here last year.

Jim Mose has again pleasantly surprised those who board at the dining hall by sending up ice cream.

Arthur and Clara Mehrens spent several days at Dana last week, renewing acquaintances.

Edwin Petrusson, Harold Larsen, and Scriver Kloth motored to Omaha Sunday, January 6, attending services at Kountz Memorial Lutheran Church.

DANA QUINTET LOSES TO FAST BUENA VISTA TEAM

The Dana basketball team went to Storm Lake, Iowa, January 10, where they were defeated by the fast Buena Vista aggregation by a score of 62 to 17. The Buena Vista team started with a rush that netted them eleven points before Sorensen tallied for Dana with a free throw. While Buena Vista was running their score up to 30 at the end of the half, Jensen and Hansen each contributed a field goal to bring Dana's total to 5, and the half ended with the Danes trailing 30 to 5.

The last half was much like the first, Buena Vista garnering a total of 32 points while Dana had to be satisfied with 12. Dana put up a more determined fight the last half and finished fighting strongly.

The Danes were somewhat handicapped by the absence of their regular center, Larsen, who was out on account of sickness. Henry Hansen was high-point man for Dana with 9 points, while Jensen followed with 6, Sorensen with 1, and Mortensen with 1. Andersen and Petersen played at guard positions and did not contribute any to the score.

The result of this game will not affect Dana's conference standing as this was a non-conference game and was classed as a practice game.

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DR. C. X. HANSEN TALKS ON CHARACTER BUILDING

The Luther League presented its first regular program of the new year on Wednesday evening, January 9. The International Prayer Week, which was observed throughout the world by the entire Christian Church, was also observed at Dana and the program was incorporated in this latter observance.

Outstanding features at the League meeting were a solo by Miss Esther Frost, "Still, Still with Thee," and a talk by Dr. C. X. Hansen on the subject, "The Bible as a Factor in Character Building."

The speaker defined character as the sum total of all our acts and deeds. He says from a physical point of view every child is born with potentialities, good or bad. Character building is largely a matter of bringing into the foreground powers and forces which will transform the bad into the good. As such power he stressed parental and society influence.

Dr. Hansen pointed to inheritance, environment and education as contributory forces in character building. With reference to the latter of the three, he says that authorities prohibit the use of the Bible in schools and colleges only to substitute other books on character building that have borrowed their truths from the Bible. Europe, he said, has largely secularized her school curriculums. The speaker said that disposition is an element of character, personal ideals a mold, conscience a force, but the abiding element of character is religion.

As a summary of reasons why the Bible should be used, Dr. Hansen enumerated, 1) We use substitutes drawn from the Bible, 2) if we study the lives of secular leaders with the view of building character, much more should we study spiritual leaders, 3) the greatest men of all time are mentioned in the Bible, 4) leaders of men, in secular affairs have been believers in the Bible, 5) it is the strongest and best recourse we have if we believe it.

SENIORS SEEKING TO RAISE MONEY
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Now to the vision! It extended over a period of years; encompassed the far ends of the earth; included myriads of human beings all busily engaged in the honest pursuit of health, wealth and happiness. There were, however, not a few who always seemed to be in advance of all the others in this pursuit. They had once gained the lead and they held it. Who were these and what enabled them to gain and retain the lead over the rest? They were Danaites and the reason why they constantly held that advanced position was that they all possessed a magic pillow on which they frequently and regularly reposed in order to imbibe some of the spirit which this pillow symbolized, or if there was no time or desire for repose, they just looked at it, it was so beautiful and inspiring. The pillows bore various designs and were otherwise not uniform save that each one had the letters D—A—N—A inscribed upon it.

Just before the vision vanished, a voice in the distance spoke, it was the combined voices of all the Danaites, and said: All those and only those who possess the Dana pillow will have this vision fulfilled in their life.

(To be continued)

MIDNIGHT OIL



SCARLET FEVER GRIPS DANA

Dana seems to be a target for illness of late. Right before Christmas influenza confined a number of students to their bed, and now a case of scarlet fever is reported in the men's dormitory. Andrew Larsen of Elk Horn, one of the varsity basketball men, had complained of not feeling well for a number of days, and with the persistence of his ailment, it was deemed advisable to call in Dr. Bell of Blair. He diagnosed the case as scarlet fever, and immediately took precautionary measures against its spread among the other students by quarantining Mr. Larsen and his roommate, William Rosenblatt. They room on the fourth floor in a corner room, and that whole end of the floor has been shut off and closed to the other students; those rooming in that end of the hall moving to new quarters in the dormitory. So far no more cases have been reported, and Mr. Larsen is on the road to recovery.

HEBRON QUINTET OUTCLASSES DANA

The Dana basketballers opened their home season at the Alumni Memorial Gymnasium last Saturday evening. The game was played with Hebron Junior College from Hebron, Nebraska. This was the first of Dana's junior college conference games.

Coach Fynboe used an entirely new squad in this game because of the fact that Pete Sorenson, regular guard, and Henry Hansen, regular forward, are ineligible for junior college competition. Andy Larsen, regular center, was also out of the game because of illness.

The game started out rather slowly. Pacer, of Hebron, was the first to locate the hoop, after about two minutes of general confusion. A little later Dana also scored a basket and it looked as though the Scarlet and White had a chance. After another minute of see-sawing Hebron again came through with a tally, and from then on, until half-time was called, Dana did very little. The score at half-time was 22—2 in favor of the Black and Gold squad.

When the second half started, Dana came back with a little more power. In this half the Scarlet and White buckled down to business and tried to get together on some effective pass work. They probably felt at a loss because of Hebron's advantage in the score, but nevertheless they scored 9 points before the closing gun. Hebron collected 13 points in this period.

Before this game, Milt Christensen had been playing with the reserves. Milt played a hard fighting game though, even if he had not played with the varsity before, being credited with making most of the home team's points.

DANA AND CHURCH CHOIRS GIVE PROGRAM

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"Christ's Intimacy." The question is not how much we know about Christianity, but whether we know Christ, Rev. Nielsen stated.

The combined choirs sang, "Wonderous Things the Lord Hath Done," a very impressive church anthem. The program closed with the benediction, followed by the recessional, "Standing at the Portal of This Opening Year."

WINTER ENROLLMENT INCREASED TO 18

The winter student enrollment seems to be constantly on the increase. The winter session having opened on December 16 with but a few entrants, the number has gradually grown, especially among the men, until the enrollment now stands at 18. Of particular interest is the fact that a young German, who knows no Danish whatever, has come here to Dana to learn the English language.

CHOIR SIFTINGS

Sunday, January 6, the Dana College a Capella Choir gave a concert at Underwood, Iowa. In the evening the choir sang in the Pella Lutheran Church, Omaha. The trip was made in the new bus, which is now completed.

The Choir will sing in the beautiful new church at Fontanelle in the near future.

Preparations for the tour East by the Choir are being made through various Eastern points. Tentative plans include Toronto, Canada, in the tour.

The Choir is working with enthusiasm on the new material for the spring concert. Each choir member is contributing time and effort in the various activities of the choir to help make the work successful in every respect. The choir personnel has been completed with the addition of two tenors.

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FORMER STUDENT COLUMN

Asaph Jensen was a visitor on the campus at the close of his Christmas vacation. He is at present a senior at Dental College, Lincoln.

Ruth Fogdahl is working at the hospital in Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Arnold Lund, Raymond Kirkegaard, and Mildred Lund are continuing with their high school in Denver, Colorado.

Marie Petersen is teaching school at Kenaston, N. Dak.

Clara Mehrens and Arthur Mehrens were guests on the campus last week end.

Emma Petersen is teaching school at Norman, N. Dak.

Agnes Nielsen, who is teaching school at Elk Horn, Iowa, was a visitor shortly after Christmas.

Lester Hyldahl is working in a bank in Chicago.

Silas Larsen, '28, is this year enrolled as a junior at Maywood Theological Seminary, Chicago.

Lester Jensen, '28, is at present located at his home in Cordova, Nebraska.

Harold Knudsen is a photographer's apprentice in a Boston studio.

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**OMAHA CAGERS TRIM
DANA BY 34-14 SCORE**
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Omaha evincing clever offensive and defensive play, the university five was easily the master of the fray.

The game started at 7:15, with both teams playing defensive ball. Omaha's well planned defense prevented the Dana boys from breaking through. Dana returned this compliment for the first minutes of play. After four minutes of hard playing Omaha dropped a long shot through the hoop, breaking the suspense which had held the audience.

Prather, the Omaha center, lived up to his reputation of former years by sinking the ball in the basket almost at will (so it seemed). Sorenson, the captain of the Dana boys, showed a lot of speed but since the forwards were not playing their usual game of ball, he did not have any too much support. Pete made many hard tries to score, but his luck wasn't with him. Andy Larsen started the score on Dana's side of the fence, by dropping a long one through the hoop.

Queensbury, the Omaha guard, showed plenty of skill in breaking up passes. His long arms would reach up and pick the ball out of the air. His guarding was one of the main reasons Dana couldn't score any more than she did. Dick Petersen, the 200 pounds of fighting Viking spirit, was on the job every minute. His game as a guard was very good, especially when it came to getting the ball off from the backboard.

The first half was not so fast, and many bad passes were made. The whistle blew to end it with the score 15 to 8, the large side for Omaha.

In the second half, Mortensen was substituted for Mert Jensen. Mert had been playing hard, but in one of the plays he received a bad bruise on the knee, so Coach Fynboe thought it best to make a substitution. The game went along in this half much as in the first, slow, with a little speed and skill shown once in a while. The playing floor being much smaller than Dana's, proved to be a handicap to the Vikings, who, used to a large floor, seemed crowded and unable to work their plays.

Many fouls were committed by both sides. Most of these were unavoidable because of the cramped formations. Sorenson was taken out of the game because of personals. In all the years he has played this is only the second time he has committed four personal fouls in one game. Abbie Andersen was sent in to hold Pete's job as running guard. He played a good, hard, clean game, but Omaha's defense was too much for Dana. Omaha made several goals in this period, while Larsen succeeded in looping one through the net. The game ended with a score 34 to 14, and a victory for Omaha.

This game was not a conference game.

JEST OURSELVES

Ma Chere,

Sitting here in a corner in the middle of the room, looking out through the frozen window, I will just send you a few words. It is snowing today; softly and finely it falls from the clear blue sky.

It sure is fun to be back among all the old "svingere" again, and now I have seen all their Christmas gifts; but it is hard to get started with the work again. Dana surely would be a fine place to stay, if we did not have all those lessons to learn.

All the students who stayed here during Christmas have had a fine time visiting the different homes around here. All have fat blazing cheeks, and a smile on their faces; so they have not lost anything by staying.

Now they have started with their work in the choir again, and last Sunday they had a concert down at our church. I do not know all the different numbers they sang; but George told me that they sing both "Soprano", "The Nord", "Alto", and many other beautiful songs, and George surely knows it, for he is our best male voice; he is the only one of the boys who can sing a duet alone.

I am glad that I am not going along to Denmark, for I have heard from one of the members that they are not all going to stay in Denmark—some will have to stay in Copenhagen.

Now we are soon to have examination. I would wish it was over, for it is hard stuff. Latin, French, and German are the worst subjects for there are so many foreign words.

We have many winter students now. Some of them are very good looking, but I do not quite know them yet.

Yes, there could be many other things to tell, because here at Dana "Jeder Tag ist ein kleines Leben"; but I think it is better to stop now.

Hoping you all are feeling fine, I am your beloved,
Karen Jorgensdatter.

Prof.: Who was Cicero?

Student: Mut's son.

—The Hebronite.

Graduates from the school of experience are never given a sheepskin—they're lucky enough if they retain the skin they had.

—New York Sun.

Mrs. Carney rushed into her living room. "Oh, Walter," she cried as she panted for breath. "I dropped my diamond ring off my finger and I can't find it anywhere."

"It's all right, Olive," said Walter; "I came across it in my trousers' pocket."

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Coach: How many cigarettes do you smoke a day?

Player: Any given number.

Arithmetic after Dark.—Rufus was proudly sporting a new shirt when a friend asked: "How many yards do it take to make a shirt like dat one, Rufus?"

"Well, suh," replied Rufus, "Ah got two shirts like this out'n one yard last night."

—Successful Farmer.

Student: Can a person be punished for something he hasn't done?

Prof.: Of course not.

Student: Well, I haven't done my geometry.

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to come! A jolly good time is awaiting you.

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On February first at eight o'clock a Home-Coming basketball game is scheduled; Grand View vs. Dana. A preliminary game will be played at seven o'clock. These games will give the guests an opportunity to see the Dana teams in action.

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