

Student Election Deadlocked; Vote Again On Friday

VOTE CLOSE IN MOST CONTESTS AS GREAT INTEREST SHOWN IN RIVALRY

After a week of intensive campaigning, neither candidate for the student body presidency was able to muster the necessary two-thirds of the student vote at the polls last Friday. Of the 134 votes cast, Harold Qualsett received 75, and Ethan Svendsen polled 59. Another ballot will be taken on Friday of this week, unless the election committee makes an announcement to the contrary.

Results of the election of other officers were as follows: for first vice-president, Edward Hansen received 96 votes to Elmer Rasmussen's 38; for second vice-president, Marjorie Boyer defeated Agnes Nielsen in a close race, 73 to 61; Elizabeth Christensen was the victor over Esther Carlsen, 71 to 63, in a spirited race for the position of secretary; and George Pallesen was elected treasurer by a 109 to 25 decision over Gilbert Jensen. A two-thirds vote is not required to elect to these offices.

The increase in the number of voters in the final election over the primaries was about 45. There are, however, quite a number who have not visited the polls in either of these elections. Both committees are planning to canvass the non-voters during the coming week.

EXTRA! EXTRA!

Alpha Sigma Phi Sponsors Contest

Not only has the Alpha Sigma Phi taken a new lease on life, but it has planned an additional flourish in celebration of the event. Word has just reached us that the organization will sponsor a speech contest with three divisions—oratorical, dramatic and humorous.

Prizes of \$5, \$3, and \$1 will be awarded in each of the three divisions. All students are eligible for entry in this contest, but the rules of the contest provide that at least four entries must be filed in each division.

Entries must be announced to Dolliver Thorgersen not later than Tuesday, February 23. The contest will be held on April 5. An outside judge will be procured to decide the prize winners. The speeches may be original, but the rules of the contest do not demand this. Entries may select their own coaches. Now is the time to enter!

Miss Johnson Is Injured In Fall

Miss Caroline Johnson was unable to meet her classes on Thursday and Friday as the result of a fall on an icy walk last Wednesday. She received a severely wrenched back, but is reported to be improving rapidly.

Mr. K. V. Hansen Speaks Thursday

Veteran members of the choir are looking forward eagerly to the visit of Mr. K. V. Hansen on February 18. Mr. Hansen, who is connected with the BERLINGSKE TIDENDE, Denmark's largest daily newspaper, and who is secretary of the Berlingske Tidende Club at Copenhagen, will be remembered for the many courtesies which he extended to the members of our choir while they were on tour in Denmark, two years ago.

Mr. Hansen met the choir in Norway, a 19-hour trip from Copenhagen, escorted the singers to the Danish capital, made them acquainted with many prominent personages of the city and looked to their comfort in many other ways.

The purpose of Mr. Hansen's present tour of the United States has not yet been learned, but it is known that he will lecture here on Denmark. His address will be accompanied by moving pictures in color. Since arriving in this country on his present tour, Mr. Hansen has twice interviewed President Roosevelt.

Juniors, seniors and alumni will remember that Mr. Hansen spoke here two years ago.

League To Hold Special Meeting

In the hope of promoting fellowship and the fine art of conversation, the Luther League has planned a special meeting for the evening of February 27. It is to be held in the reception room of the girls' dormitory and all students are cordially invited to attend.

A feature of the meeting will be the singing of old favorite songs, secular and religious. Byron Langenfeld will speak on "Dana Spirit," and Clarence Petersen will conduct a brief period of devotion. Refreshments will be served, followed by a social hour during which conversationalists will have an opportunity to "carry the ball."

Along with the information concerning this meeting comes the announcement that the Rev. F. G. Rasmussen of Fremont is to be the speaker at both the chapel services and the League meeting of February 24.

ALPHA SIGMA PHI ELECTS OFFICERS

The Alpha Sigma Phi, our long-dormant forensic society, held a meeting on February 11 for the purpose of electing new officers and discussing a prize contest project, announcement of which is made in an article elsewhere on this page.

The following officers were named: Carl Wildrick, president; David Simonsen, vice-president; and Dolliver Thorgersen, secretary-treasurer.

Bach Again Wins Top Ranking In College Grades

HONOR ROLL AT DANA INCLUDES 15 PERCENT OF STUDENT BODY

Sven Bach, freshman pre-med student from Kumamoto, Japan, repeated his performance of the first quarter by earning the highest average grade among the student body, it was learned last week. Bach averaged 95 in his 18-hour course.

Eloise Morris, now attending Nebraska University, pressed Bach closely for honors with the same average grade, 95, but over a 17-hour course, one hour less than Bach. Miss Morris was a town student.

In third position came Elmer Rasmussen, Clifton, Illinois, with 94.6. Rasmussen, a sophomore, carried a 19-hour pre-seminary course. Helen M. Jacobsen, a freshman music student from Racine, Wisconsin, had 94.3 to place fourth. Fifth in line was Stanley Bach, senior pre-med student and brother of Sven, who scored an even 94 over 18 hours.

When the ratings were announced, Paul Hansen, college bursar, said that about 15 per cent of the grades averaged above 90. This is better than the usual

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Hilltop Bits

The faculty and students contributed \$30.00 to the Red Cross flood relief fund.

The Rev. Cornelius Hansen of Minneapolis spoke at the chapel service February 3.

About 50 Red and White rooters attended the Dana-Midland fray at the Fremont court; Midland turned out a like number for the return contest on the local floor.

Coach Olson reports that 38 students are now employed in N. Y. A. work. Government figures show that 10 per cent of all the college students in the nation now have work under that project.

This year's student body president election campaign has been the most exciting in years. Unfortunately, some followers of both camps have been guilty of overstepping the bounds of propriety.

We learn that the chickens at the farm have become very finicky in the matter of diet; they are now being coddled with cod liver oil.

About 40 students have purchased copies of the Bible Study Guide which was recently placed on sale. Copies are still available at the original low price of 2c each.

A new activity at Dana is the Bible class which meets every Sunday except the first in the month, at 9:15 a. m. in the chapel. This class is open to all students.

Coming Events

- Feb. 17-21—Bible Week.
- Feb. 18—K. V. Hansen Speaks
- Feb. 23—Deadline for Alpha Sigma Phi contest entries.
- Feb. 27—Special Luther League Get-Together
- March 1—Next Issue of Hermes

Choir Outlines Definite Plans

Professor Malmin has just released definite plans covering the spring activity of the choir. In addition to week-end engagements, the organization plans to make two tours, one in April and the other in May and June.

On February 28 the choir is scheduled to sing in Oakland and Tekamah, Nebraska. Other week-end concerts include: Lincoln, March 7; Falls City and Auburn, March 14; and Council Bluffs, April 4.

A spring tour will be made through Iowa and Minnesota, beginning on April 9 and ending on April 18. A summer tour, from May 29 to June 13, will include stops in South Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin. Complete itineraries will be published as soon as they are released by the music department.

Professor Malmin reports splendid progress in the preparation for the Easter oratorio, Stainer's "Crucifixion." About 100 voices are included in the chorus which is working on the presentation. Solo parts have not yet been assigned, but college students will be selected for these parts.

Debate Activity Gets Under Way

After many delays and false starts the class in debate is now engaged in a study of the question for the year. Instructor Verner Carlsen announces that no intercollegiate debates are being scheduled because of the late start, but we shall perhaps have some interesting verbal combats between various teams of our own students.

At present there are six students in the class: Laurice DeLaurant, Clarence Paulsen, Howard Nielsen, Inger Jensen, Russell Lund and Andrew Pechacek.

PROF. L. K. JOHANSEN IS PROUD FATHER

A daughter, Donita Mae, was born to Prof. and Mrs. L. K. Johansen at 6 a. m., Friday, February 12. The little lady, who weighed nine pounds at birth, and Mrs. Johansen are reported to be doing well.

Professor Johansen was seen later in the morning, strutting about the Ad building in a new suit. It is believed the vest of his usual attire is no longer ample.

Jacob Texiere's Readings Delight Large Audience

FAMOUS INTERPRETER OF H. C. ANDERSEN TALES APPEARS AT DANA

Before an audience which crowded the chapel to the doors, Hr. Jacob Texiere, world's foremost interpreter of H. C. Andersen, held the rapt attention of his listeners for the space of more than two hours on the evening of February 11 as he recited and dramatized several of the famous Danish author's tales.

Beginning with a short sketch on H. C. Andersen's life, Hr. Texiere interpreted six of his best-known stories, four in the Danish language: THE DARNING NEEDLE, THE UGLY DUCKLING, BORNESNAK and KLODS HANS; and two in English: IT IS QUITE TRUE and THE TEAPOT. These were chosen from an extensive repertoire which Hr. Texiere has memorized. In all, he has committed to memory 60 stories in Danish, 40 in German and two in English.

Hr. Texiere's renditions were so profusely accompanied by sounds, gestures and facial expressions, that even those un-

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Bible Lectures Begin Tomorrow

In accordance with an annual custom, a series of Bible studies is to be conducted this week over a five-day period, February 17-21. The morning chapel period will be extended to accommodate one study period while the other period will be in the evening. This plan will operate for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. On Sunday, February 21, the services will be held, morning and evening, in the local church.

The Rev. Ethan Mengers of Denver, Colorado, has been secured as speaker for this series of meetings. Pastor Mengers, who is among our younger ministers, graduated from Trinity Seminary in 1926, a member of the class to which Professor Nyholm belonged. The Rev. Mr. Mengers served our church at Kenmare, North Dakota until 1930, at which time he accepted a call to the Denver charge, where he has served since. He is editor of the Little Lutheran, and has been especially active in the Bible camp projects at Estes Park in Colorado.

Dana Herd Gets Excellent Care

Professor Johansen, instructor in agriculture and manager of the Dana farm, states that one of the important causes leading to the steady high records our herd is making is the careful and consistent care which they receive. Skill and a high degree of regularity and steady application are necessary. This speaks well for

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STUDENTS WILL THINK!—NO APOLOGY NEEDED!

The January copy of the Hermes has just arrived. I notice with much interest the editorial and students comment on the subject raised in the December issue of the Hermes under the caption: "Election Should Provoke Thought." It appears to me that there is some confusion as to the responsibility of the Ansgar Lutheran editor and the school board. What the editor says is, of course, his responsibility. The school board has not expressed itself on the policy of the Hermes in this matter.

Naturally the students are very much interested in the election of a president of our school. That they will express themselves is both natural and wholesome. I want to compliment the Hermes on the fine spirit of its editorial on this subject in its January issue. I am certain too that a college paper like Hermes will feel its responsibility in a matter of this great importance so that student opinion does not develop into school and church politics.

Incidentally, has Hermes put the correct interpretation upon the comments in The Ansgar Lutheran? I have been thinking that the WHY in that statement was to direct our thinking in another direction. Perhaps I am wrong.

THEO. M. HANSEN,
Chairman of Board of Trustees.

SOONER OR LATER

A recent newspaper article predicted the complete union of the Methodist Church within a very short time; nearly all of the groups of that organization have voted for unity.

This brings to mind the indications of a like movement among the Lutherans. This is a time of mergers. We are familiar with the American Lutheran Conference, but this seems to be but a beginning. If there has been one merger like this, there is every possibility that there will be more.

Such uniting must eventually affect our schools as well as our churches. There are about 20 Lutheran colleges and junior colleges in the states of Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota, Iowa, and Minnesota. It is hardly possible that all of these institutions will maintain their identity in the face of this trend. Sooner or later there is bound to be some grouping, for there is some unnecessary duplication at the present time—one of the ills which mergers cure.

It appears as though the question of educational unity will be up about the time we take places of administrative responsibility in the church. As to what shall be the disposition of this question we cannot say, but there cannot be a truly wise handling of this matter unless we prepare for it some time in advance. The merging of educational interests within the Lutheran Church is not an ephemeral dream; it is a fact which will soon be making demands for our consideration. And we cannot afford to risk grave consequences by neglecting this matter in our thought. There will not be too much time to think about it.

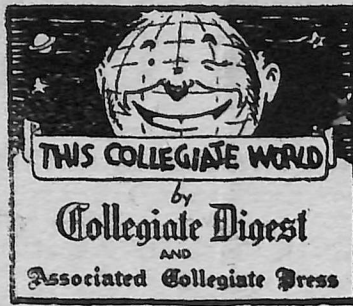
TAKE A BOW, FANS!

Although many consider the subject of sportsmanship too threadbare for mention in an editorial column, we should like to borrow the term just once more in order that we may rightly characterize the attitude of this year's Dana sport crowds.

In spite of the fact that our teams have lost quite a number of games, many of them by narrow margins, there has been a refreshing absence of whining and excuses. Losses have been taken standing up, and "crying" about mistakes and failures has become a frowned-upon pastime.

This is a healthy sign. Victory, not only in sports but in any phase of life, rightfully belongs only to those who have learned to accept defeat as one of the occasional necessities of life. Those who have failed to learn and accept this are contemptible as winners.

—B. J. L.



Spelling bees are "coming in" again at the University of Baltimore. Prizes are being awarded to the winner and two runners-up in the contest sponsored by the Student Activities Association.

To prevent future deaths in coal mine cave-ins, Dr. Helmut Landsberg assistant professor of geophysics at Pennsylvania State College, has contrived a simplified seismograph to predict otherwise imperceptible movements of the ground long before the crash.

A figure-finder at Northwestern University has discovered that rain—carbon dioxide and water, as it strikes the limestone buildings on the campus will dissolve the structures in 72,000 years.

The John and Josephine Geniuses of the high-school classroom go right on staring in college, says a professor at the University of Cincinnati. Of the 24 freshmen who received state scholarships last fall, 23 have done above average work in their first university semester.

"I do" and "stork showers" are ordinary compared with the one thrown for Texas A. and M. College by the members of the Kingsville, Texas, Music Club. It was a plant shower to beautify and "green up" the grounds around the dormitories.

"Just a Gigolo, but we make the dough," is the theme song of the five men students at the University of Oklahoma who have organized a society and escort dateless coeds for 25 cents an hour plus expenses.

Walter O. Briggs, Detroit industrialist who never attended Michigan State Normal College, has presented that institution \$150,000 to be used in the building of a new athletic field.

Says Henry Schriver, member of the championship apple judging team at Ohio State University: "Judging an apple is like judging a beautiful woman; if they are wrinkled or if they do not have the right color they are no good for show purposes."

Definition of a "snap course": A course in which the professor does not check the roll, make assignments, give failing grades, and which is non-existent.

TODAY

- One day to live—to try anew, To do the things I've said I'd do.
- One day to live, one day to bear With cheerfulness my worldly care.
- One day to rectify mistakes Of yesterday' needless heart-aches.
- One day to help a brother rise, And overlook the 'wheres' and 'whys.'
- One day to sow—some day to reap; So now's no time to waste in sleep.

—Richard M. Petersen.

FALLING PLASTER

Well, something should be said about grades, but most folks say: "Don't mention them," so we'll keep the statistics a secret. . . . Japan, jr., is busy again,—he thinks 'Poppy' is the national flower. . . . It's rumored that Herr Nygaard is casting a friendly eye in the direction of Marjoria's roommate. . . . And this one actually happened—Prof. Swansen: "What specimens did Alexander the Great send back to his teacher, Aristotle?"—Mickey the Gopher: "Criminals" . . . Boe would like to know who had that song dedicated to him over the radio recently; well, we know, Dick. . . . Another one off the record: professor advising Thurber on the matter of selecting a wife. . . . the campaign signs have given expression to some dormant talent, some of which is still very dormant. . . . Bob Reese, ex-Danian, has been finding Esther Miller delightful company. . . . The Girl's Drum and Bugle Corp did right well the

other evening, and did you notice the drum major? . . . that game almost ended on a Boe-tie; at least, Dick was practically in knots at the finish. . . . And which couple came close to catastrophe over a comic valentine. . . . Hemphill's secret ambition: to drop two dozen empty, gallon cans in the library. . . . and speaking of the library, did you notice the ice under the radiators about two weeks ago; perhaps we could flood the whole thing and use it for an indoor rink. . . . And at this red," or is it—we mean that bulb of contention atop the gentlemen's hostelry. . . . And of this time we'll join in the chorus of the P.F. theme song:

Our teachers may rave and may rant and may roar, While we sit a-wondering what they're here for, Do we need knowledge? Why certainly not! We have that! We want what we haven't got!

MAGAZINE ARTICLES OF INTEREST

- The American Scholar, Winter, 1937—
- The Girl Who Shared Keats' Fate.**
- Erasmus, Enemy of Pedantry.**
- Forum and Century, Febr. 1937—
- What Education is For.**
- School Arts, February, 1937—
- Casting Out Fear.**
- The Nation, January 30, 1937—
- Issues and Men: Germany and Ethics.**
- The Nation, January 23, 1937—
- Profile of General Motors.**
- Issues and Men: Glen Frank Case.**
- Literary Digest, Jan. 16, 1937—
- Making the Most of Incapacities.**
- Saturday Evening Post, January 23, 1937 —
- Paderewski's Life Story.**
- Missionary Review of the World, January, 1937—
- Marks of a Great Teacher.**
- Charles E. Vail, the Beloved Physician.**
- Atlantic, January, 1937—
- The State of the Language.**
- Hungry Children.**
- Yale Review, Winter, 1937—
- On Understanding the English.**
- Studying Savages in Melanesia.**
- Scribner's February, 1937—
- How Shall We Run Our Cities?**
- The Writer, February, 1937—
- Why A Woman?** (Should be read by every college woman, and man too, for that matter.
- Habits Make the Writer.**
- The Grammarian's Corner.**
- Cosmopolitan, February, 1937—
- Farewell to Sports.**

LITERARY CORNER

- Give me a good digestion, Lord; And also something to digest; Give me a healthy body, Lord, With sense to keep it at its best.
- Give me a healthy mind, Good Lord, To keep the good and pure in sight,
- Which seeing sin is not appalled But finds a way to set it right.
- Give me mind that is not bored, That does not whimper, whine or sigh;
- Don't let me worry over much About the fussy thing called "I."
- Give me a sense of humor, Lord. Give me the grace to see a joke, To get some pleasure out of life And pass it on to other folk.
- Old Prayer that has hung for many years on an outer wall of old Chester Cathedral, England.

QUOTABLE QUOTES!

- "The best which instructors at school can do is give you the best information you can obtain, but you have to picture for yourself what you will do in life, and with the use of this information given, struggle along these lines towards acquisition of specific knowledge." Mr. Charles Kettering, president of the General Motors Research Laboratories, suggests a specific line to struggle along.
- "One may sympathize with struggling youth," says Pres. Ray Lyman Wilbur of Stanford University in urging higher medical school standards, "but one should sympathize more with future patients."
- "Democracy must unquestionably give educational opportunity to all. But it must then protect itself by rational and courageous methods of selection against the needless exploitation of its generosity by the unfit." Yale University's Pres. James R. Angell asks democracy to be wise.
- "You may want to improve your mind by reading the paper, but I object to your accomplishing that worthy purpose in the middle of my lecture." New York University's Prof. Olinger protests mildly against printed competition.
- "We need more of the type of person who gives a dollar's worth of work, whether the dollar come from private sources or the public till. There is too much of the time-saving idea. Another thing we want to get away from is the philosophy of bigness, whereby every boy believes he is destined to become president of the United States."
- Dr. William Mather Lewis, president Lafayette College.

Career of Study Is Dr. Swansen's

Born in Boston, Massachusetts, Dr. H. F. Swansen had the advantage of starting life in America's foremost seat of culture. The years of his boyhood were spent in that city, where he attended the Dudley Grammar School and the Boston English High School, the latter having the distinction of being the oldest high school in the United States.

As a small boy Dr. Swansen, accompanied by two other lads, made a call upon the mayor of his native city. This call resulted in his being appointed Mayor of Boston, an honorary position without a definite term of office.

Upon the completion of his high school work, Dr. Swansen attended the Boston High School of Commerce, an institution conducted largely for high school graduates. To supplement the theoretical training offered by this school, he worked in a large importing house.

In 1910 Dr. Swansen enrolled at Luther College, Decorah, Iowa, from which school he received his A. B. degree in 1914. For the next four years he taught in the Luther Academy at Albert Lea, Minnesota.

In 1918 he returned to Decorah to engage in administrative work and the teaching of English in the preparatory department of Luther College. He remained two years in this work, during which time he married Beatrice Irene Teslan of Albert Lea, Minnesota.

After leaving Decorah in 1920 Dr. Swansen served five years as principal of Gale College, a Lutheran preparatory school at Galesville, Wisconsin. The school year of 1925-26 was spent at the University of Minnesota in study for a Master's degree. This degree was conferred upon Dr. Swansen in 1927.

The fall of 1926 found Dr. Swansen connected with the college department of Luther at Decorah. Here he remained until the spring of 1931, at which time he went to Iowa University to prepare for his Doctor's degree. He had been granted a fellowship in history by the University. The Ph. D. degree was gained by Dr. Swansen in July 1936.

Since 1932 Dana College has had the services of Dr. Swansen

as head of the history department.

When asked what he regarded as a prominent need at Dana, Dr. Swansen replied: "I really think that Dana must become accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges if it is to continue as a full-fledged liberal arts college."

Jacob Texiere Delights Crowd

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familiar with the Danish language were able to follow him quite well, and to understand the interpretations. Although Hr. Texiere has spent only four months studying the English language, his stories in our tongue were delivered almost faultlessly.

The study and interpretation of Hans Christian Andersen's works has been the occupation of Hr. Texiere for the past 30 years. During those years he has travelled widely, making his presentations in many parts of the world. His engagement at Dana is the first contact which he has made with a Danish school outside of his native land. He is now returning to Denmark, after having appeared in the United States from coast to coast.

The Dana Male Quartet sang two of H. C. Andersen's songs on the Texiere program, and the audience joined in singing "Datter en yndigt Land" and "I Danmark er jeg født, der har jeg Hjemme."

Dana Herd Gets Excellent Care

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Edwin B. Petersen of White River, South Dakota, who has been caring for them since the school year began. He leaves the campus every morning at four-thirty, as well as in the afternoon, to milk and care for the eight cows that now comprise the herd. He is taking an agricultural course in which he ranks high, and is doing the work to help meet his expenses. Good dairymen are needed; so we congratulate Edwin on his good work.

"Democracy is not finally a dogma but a way of life that is outgrowing old dogmas. Americanism is not a certain pattern of institutions but a national spirit ceaselessly remoulding its institutions to attain its ideals. Only as the schools are free can they perform their ultimate service, that of creating human beings thrillingly alive."

—Dr. Frank Kingdon, president of the University of Newark.

There is very little difference between doing what you like and liking what you do.

Rev. C. Hansen is League Speaker

This year the Luther League has endeavored to bring as many of our own pastors as possible to speak before the group. On February 3 the Rev. Cornelius Hansen of Minneapolis addressed the society. Thomas Larsen sang and Stanley Larsen led in scripture and prayer.

The speaker's text was "The Hour Cometh," from John, and he especially spoke of the second coming of Christ. That day will be filled with honor for Christ, joy for all those who believe, and judgment for those who have not accepted Him.

An open forum discussion was conducted at the Luther League meeting held February 10. Elmer Rasmussen introduced the first topic, "What is it to be a Christian?" He stated that a Christian is one who knows that others are precious, who makes no division between his beliefs and his life, who strives for perfection, and who is a thinking person.

The question, "How may I know that I am a Christian?" was led by Dolliver Thorgesen. We must answer for ourselves, but through prayer and meditation, reading and hearing God's Word, we will have assurance of faith.

The third topic, "Does it pay to be a Christian?" was discussed by Inger A. Jensen. It does, because we have friendship with Jesus and through Him we become heirs of eternal salvation. General discussion followed the speakers, and Theodore Hansen led in scripture and prayer.

Nordics Discuss Andersen's Tales

In preparation for the appearance of Jacob Texiere, the Nordic Reading Circle devoted its meeting of February 5 to the reading and discussion of the most popular of Hans Christian Andersen's fairy tales. This study brought to the members of the group a better understanding and appreciation of the stories dramatized by Mr. Texiere on February 11.

The readings and stories read were as follows: Edward Hansen,

THE UGLY DUCKLING and HANS CLODHOOPER; Alice Traum, THE REAL PRINCESS and THE DARNING NEEDLE; Richard Petersen, THE TEAPOT and THE SNOWMAN; and Doris Dahl, THE LITTLE MATCH GIRL and CHILDREN'S PRATTLE.

Mrs. Malmin contributed to the musical part of the program with two Danish solos. The meeting was held in the girls' reception room, Miss Wind acting as hostess.

MOLECULAR MEDITATIONS By ATOM

i have observed a queer cycle in human affairs a boy comes to the city from the country when he is twenty years old and works his nerves into tattered dishrags for forty years just to get money enough so that he can go and live in the country again and nurse his nervous breakdown or else he goes to college where parents send their kids in hopes that they can educate this new race of nincompoops so they can make more money than their dads and everybody rushes around cramming working for grades and wondering how many c's will total a degree in something but i do not kick against my fate i think that life is swell contentedly i sit and wait for the word to go--er well and if by some queer accident it goes the other way i ll try to face that strange event gamely day by day although privately i dont think its going anywhere in particular its just running around in circles chasing its tail like one of mehitibles fool kittens

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Bach Again Wins Honors

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median grade, he added. The following are the honor students for the first semester:

Student	Grade	Hours
Bach, Sven	95	18 *
Bach, Stanley	94	18
Christensen, Elizabeth	91.25	18½
Christensen, Eric	91.8	18
Christensen, Herluf	90.67	17½
Dahl, Doris	92.4	16
Hansen, Edward	91	16½
Hemphill, Bob	90.5	18
Hoare, Thelma Jane	90.3	17
Jacobsen, Helen		
Margaret	94.3	17 *
Jensen, Inger A.	92.7	17½
Jensen, Robert	91.1	18
Kronberg, Frances	91	18
Larsen, Shirley	91.8	16
Larsen, Stanley	93.7	15 *
Laursen, Earl	92.6	17½
Mikkelsen, Marie	91.5	17
Morris, Eloise	95	17 *
Murdock, Peggy	90	17
Nygaard, Marvin	90	18½
Olsen, Helen	91	16½
Pearson, Margaret	91.3	17
Poucher, John	91.25	18
Rasmussen, Elmer	94.6	19 *
Rasmussen, Martha	92.5	16½
Simonsen, David	90	17
Vammen, Adolph	90	18

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Dana Outpoints Hebron In Cage Thriller, 35-33

With the crowd on its feet amid a constant roar of enthusiasm, Coach Olsen's spasmodic basketeers resurrected a presumably lost game by nosing out a Hebron quint in the last two minutes by a count of 35-33. The game raged on the home hardwood, February 6.

At the toss-up, as if with the sudden release of long-pent energy, the Danians in three passes tallied the first two points and immediately followed them with a long shot. Then the Hebronites forged ahead to the score of 10-4. From here the game progressed in a rather conservative style, with the usual exchange of baskets until the score at the half stood at 20-13 in Hebrons favor.

The second period was by no means at tame as the first. The Hebron Knights threatened another scoring spree, but the home boys retaliated and furnished a thrilling chapter for Dana basketball history. The Danians started a 22-point parade that was spotted by only eight Hebron points.

The lead changed sides but twice during the course of the game. While the game was still young, the starting advantage of Dana was taken away by the Knights who advanced it to a 12-point difference and clug to it tenaciously until the final moments. The game was tied at the 31-mark, from which place Dana added two baskets and Hebron one to make the final score 35-33.

DANA (35)	FG	FT	PF
Patrick, f	6	1	2
Jensen, f	2	2	0
Fries, c	4	1	2
Qualsett, g	2	3	1
Bixler, g	0	0	2
Mann, g	0	0	0
Totals	14	7	7

HEBRON (33)	FG	FT	PF
S Loey, f	3	0	4
Wagner, f	2	1	2
Ellermeier, c	2	0	2
Dutcher, g	2	2	2
Bailey, g	6	0	0
Hards, f	0	0	2
Schmidt, g	0	0	0
Totals	15	3	12

Referees: Kroger, Vinckle.

W.U. Eagles Win Over Dana, 54-39

In a violently rough game the Western Union Eagles pounded out a 15-point victory over Coach Olsen's Viking last Friday night at LeMars, Iowa. The battle was characterized by a somewhat even first half, and a second period in which the Eagles steadily pulled ahead.

Starting out at a fast pace, the Vikings accumulated a small

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lead before the LeMars quint was able to contact the basket. Then the battle began in earnest, the lead changed several times, and the half ended, 32-20, Western Union.

The second period set the Eagles apart as a superior team. They increased their half margin of 12 to one of 15, ending the game, 54-39. Chief scorers were Patrick and Jensen for the Vikings; Dean and Deiters for the Eagles.

The Box Score:

Dana (39)	FG	FT	PF
Patrick	5	3	4
Jensen	4	1	2
Fries	2	0	2
Bixler	1	2	2
Qualsett	3	1	1
Mann	1	0	1
Petersen	0	0	0
Total	16	7	12

Western Union (54)	FG	FT	PF
Blackman	0	2	2
Voas	4	2	2
Dean	7	2	2
Deiters	6	1	0
Wickstrom	1	2	2
Fox	0	0	0
Britsman	1	0	0
Casky	2	1	3
Parks	1	0	2
Osterunder	0	0	0
Total	22	10	13

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Ramblers	4	2	.667
Town Boys	4	2	.667
Gophers	2	4	.333
Boeing Arrows	1	5	.166
Bow-wows	0	6	.000

Scoring:

D. Christensen	60
Earl Nelsen	51
Merrill	48
Carlson	44
Mickelsen	42
Tange	39
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Warriors Shade Vikings In Two Hectic Contests

In a pair of well-played, hard-fought games, the Midland Warriors of Fremont nosed out a capable Dana quintet on February 2, and 9, by margins of three points and one point, respectively. In both contests the lead changed hands frequently, neither team being able to build up a substantial margin.

The first contest, played at Midland, was featured by 40 minutes of thrill-packed basketball, with the Warriors finally emerging victorious, 45-42, over a scrappy and tenacious Dana five. Both quintets flashed a breath-taking fast-breaking offense which allowed little time for organized defense. The lead oscillated nine times and the score was tied on four different occasions. Fremont fans judged the conflict to be one of the fastest games ever played on the Midland hardwood.

In direct contrast, the second game was marked by the stubborn defense of both teams. Midland was held to 11 points for the first three quarters, but staged a hot comeback in the last ten minutes to nip the Vikings, 24-23.

Patrick, Fries, and Jensen accounted for all of Dana's scoring while P. DeFreese paced the Fremont cagers with six points. Augmented by a large delegation of Midland rooters, the crowd in the local gym was the largest of the season.

The Box Score at Midland, February 2:

DANA (42)	FG	FT	PF
Patrick	3	3	0
Jensen	5	0	0
Fries	5	0	2
Qualsett	6	1	3
Bixler	0	0	3
Mann	0	0	0
Totals	19	4	8

MIDLAND (45)	FG	FT	PF
Schultz	4	0	1
P DeFreese	5	1	0
K DeFreese	2	0	0
Smagacs	2	0	4
Brock	0	0	1
Christensen	7	2	1
Echtenkamp	1	0	0
Glissmann	0	0	1
Totals	21	3	8

Referee: Fred Dale.

The Box Score at Dana, February 9:

DANA (23)	FG	FT	PF
Patrick	5	1	2
Jensen	3	1	1
Fries	2	1	0
Qualsett	0	0	0
Bixler	0	0	1
Totals	10	3	4

MIDLAND (24)	FG	FT	PF
P. DeFreese	3	0	2
Schults	2	0	0
K. DeFreese	1	1	2
Smagacs	2	0	0
Brock	0	1	2
Echtenkamp	0	0	0
Christensen	1	0	2
Glissman	2	0	0
Totals	11	2	8

Referee: Duce Belford.

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Dana has won eight games and lost five. Three of the five were lost by three or less points.

Lewis Patrick stands high in scoring among the Vikings. He has made 53 field goals, 21 out of 40 free throws and a total of 127 points.

	FG	FT	TP
Qualsett	37	11-27	85
Jensen	28	11-21	67
Fries	20	11-18	51
Mann	11	3-9	25
Ninegar	7	6-10	20
Bixler	6	5-19	17

However, informed basketball fans will know that the above summary does not at all discount from the ability and splendid performance of men like Bixler and others who fill their jobs well in guarding and in getting the ball into scoring position.

Wildrick was the tops in aiding Poppe with the cheer leading. The organized cheering at the Midland game is to be commended.

1936-37 Cage Schedule

- Dec. 3—Harlem Globe Trotters 32; Dana 26.
- 7—American Business College, 23; Dana, 27.
- 10—Dana 35, York 32.
- 11—Dana 22, Concordia 18.
- 15—Nebr. "B" 39, Dana 27.
- Jan. 5—House of David, 30, Dana 22.
- 16—York 27, Dana 24.
- 21—Trinity 35, Dana 23.
- 23—Dana 38, Central 11.
- 25—Dana 36, Luther 31.
- 27—Dana 32, Omaha 25.
- Dana 37, Concordia 24.
- Feb. 2—Midland 45, Dana 42.
- 6—Hebron 33, Dana 35.
- 9—Midland 24, Dana 23.
- 12—Western Union, 54, Dana 39.
- 17—Nebraska B, there.
- 20—Grand View, there.
- 23—Luther, there.
- Mar. 2—Central, here.

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Girls' Tourney Reaches Finals

Following the elimination of the H. M. Jacobson's "Ever-Readies" and H. V. Olsen's "Warriors," the girls' basketball tournament has narrowed down to Poppe's "Poppies" and Ag Nielsen's "B.V.D.'s."

On January 27, the "B.V.D.'s" pounced on the "Ever-Readies" to the tune of 31-9, while the "Poppies" overcame the "Warriors" in a nip and tuck battle, 14-13, on February 10. High scorers thus far in the competition are Maxine Robbins, Helen Olsen and Vita Kilebeck.

The W.A.A. plans to continue basketball after the tournament for those who are interested in earning points in that sport toward a "D."



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