

Faculty Decision Leaves Hermes Fate In Doubt

POSSIBILITY OF FACULTY CENSORSHIP IN PAPER IRKS STUDENT BODY

There has been some little opposition recently between the faculty and the student body over the matter of editing the *Hermes*. It began on May 4, when the faculty secretary posted the following resolutions of the faculty body: "Resolved,

1. that the faculty advisor of the *Hermes* and the president of the student body nominate candi-

Coming Events

- May 26—Senior-Junior Breakfast.
 - Alpha Sigma Phi Steak Fry.
- May 28—Planting of the Ivy.
 - Commencement Exercises.
- May 31—Choir leaves on Summer Tour.
- Sept. 6—College opens.

Some time ago, Mr. Goldbeck planned to give his NYA boys an observation lesson in working by taking them down the road to watch the PWA. But he has changed his mind.

Thirty-five NYA Students Earn \$4,590 This Year

UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGE STUDENTS IN STATE EARN \$278,000

With all 23 colleges in Nebraska participating in the National Youth Administration's student aid program, more than 2,350 college students earned approximately \$278,000 during the 1936-37 school year through their work on projects, arranged and supervised by the faculties of the individual schools.

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STUDENT BODY ELECTIONS MAY 21

Editor-in-Chief, Elmer Rasmussen.

Business Manager, David Simonsen.

Homecoming committee for 1937-38: Carl Wildrick, Irving Tange, Bob Hemphill, Elizabeth Christensen, Helen M. Jacobsen.

All five amendments to the constitution met the approval of the students.

The election committee reports that only 39 per cent of the students voted.

Commencement Speaker To Be Dr. E. E. Chinlund

DR. M. J. LAURE DELIVERS BACCALAUREATE TALK AT FIRST LUTHERAN

Dr. E. E. Chinlund, superintendent of Immanuel Lutheran Hospital in Omaha, will speak at the Commencement exercises in the College auditorium Friday, May 28, at 3 p.m. His subject will be "Education Limitations."

Classes will be presented by the president of the seminary, Dr. J. P. Nielsen, and the president of the college, Dr. C. X. Hansen. Mr. N. T. Lund, secretary of the school board, will confer the diplomas to the graduates. During the exercises Dr. Hansen will also read the honor roll of the college and announce the scholarships.

Last evening, Sunday, May 23, Baccalaureate services were held in the First Lutheran church of Blair. Dr. J. P. Nielsen read the liturgy. The speaker of the evening was Dr. M. J. Laure, pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church in Oakland, Nebraska. His subject was "Beyond the Horizons." The A Cappella choir rendered "O Be Joyful" and "Beautiful Savior."

While Commencement day plans were being made last week, Dr. Hansen announced that over thirty seniors will receive honors this year. Two groups of seniors, the four and two year students, will appear at Commencement exercises. One year commercial graduates will receive certificates of award.

Five students have earned A.B.
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DANA COLLEGE CHOIR WILL MAKE SUMMER TOUR



—Nonparell Engraving.

The Dana College A Cappella choir is laying final plans for its summer tour, which will begin May 31. It will sing in the following cities in Minnesota: Sleepy Eye, Tyler, Hutchinson, Osakis, Askov, Farmington and Northfield and at Luck, Wis. The last concert will be at Medicine Lake, Minn., where they will remain for the annual convention of the United Danish Lutheran church. Members of the choir are: Left to right, first row, Ruth Madsen, Elizabeth Christensen, Leona Johansen, Evelyn Coulter, Shirley Larson, Inga Nielsen, Evelyn Sorensen, Anita Nielsen, Esther Carlsen, Inger Jensen, Helen Jacobsen and Marjorie Boyer. Second row: Ferne Lantefield, Agnes Nielsen, Berdette Ericksen, Frances Kronberg, Mrs. Malmin, Ingrid Nielsen, Harriet Larsen, Astrid Jensen, Martha Rasmussen, Amy Petersen, Jean Larson, Louise Thorslev, Clarice Jensen. Third row: Wendell Johnson, Jesse Smith, Ivan Johansen, Richard Petersen, John Poucher, Prof. G. J. Malmin, director, Ernest Thurber, Thomas Larson, Lester Hartsock, Clarence Petersen, Carl Wildrick. Fourth row: Peter Christensen, Adolph Kloth, Stanley Bach, Earl Laursen, Arthur Norgaard, Emiel Wahling, Sherwood Laustsen, Donald Hansen, Howard Mikkelsen, George Petersen, Aster Neve. Fifth row: Sven Bach, Thorvald Hansen, James Olsen, Olaf Hansen, Ethan Svendsen, Leland Hansen and Edward Hansen.

dates for the editor-in-chief of that publication.

2. that the faculty of Dana College in view of its personal responsibility for the *Hermes* hereby orders that every item intended for publication be presented to a faculty censorship committee of two members."

Editor-in-chief Byron Langenfeld immediately posted his resignation, since Resolution No. 2 was directly contrary to his contract. Then a petition was duly signed and presented to Edward Hansen, acting president of the student body, calling for a meeting of the student body the evening of May 5, which meeting was called. Resolution No. 1 was accepted as reasonable and no objection was recorded against it. In the meantime the faculty representatives

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Hilltop Bits

Belated reports tell us that Mr. M. P. Moeller, manufacturer of pipe organs, died April 13, at his home in Hagerstown, Maryland. Mr. Moeller will be remembered for his kind interest in our synod and college, having given the \$4200 college pipe organ at half price. He attended the dedication of the organ during the synodical convention here in 1931.

We send best wishes for a pleasant and profitable summer with Professor and Mrs. H. F. Swanson when they leave our campus next Saturday, May 29, for a tour of northern and possibly southern Europe. During the summer, Dr. Swanson intends to do some research work in Norway in preparation for the publication

of his doctor's thesis, "The Norse in Iowa."

Weather permitting, the junior class plans to fete the senior class at a breakfast up on the hill, Wednesday, May 26 at 6 a.m. May the sun shine, and don't burn the toast!

Clarence Jensen, who is graduating from the seminary, announces his wedding to Miss Esther Hansen of Northfield, Minnesota, on June 7, at Northfield. Miss Hansen is now the surgical supervisor at the Community Hospital in Hutchinson. After a church wedding, the newlyweds plan to travel by auto to California. May God bless both of you in your wedded life and in the work you plan to do.

Prof. P. C. Nyholm plans to

leave Blair, May 25, on a tour eastward, making stops in Boston and Washington, D.C. From there he will sail to Denmark where he will visit relatives and join his wife and children who will return with him in time for school next year.

Leaguers' Rally Is Successful

The Luther League held its annual Rally Day, Sunday, May 9. Nearly 200 people were served at dinner and over twice that many at a picnic supper on the campus.

The day's program began with the morning service in the local church. The sermon was given by Rev. P. L. Thorslev on "Getting It", following the theme for the day which was "Life in His

Name." The guests and students returned to the college for a banquet dinner, which was followed by a short program.

Before the afternoon session, many gathered around the door of the auditorium as Jack Randall of Fremont played a few numbers on an unusual instrument and explained how he had made it. Mr. Erhardt Nielsen spoke at this second meeting on "Growing It." Music was furnished by the choir, and Hillerup Rasmussen of Fremont offered a vocal solo. It was at this time that a song written by Louise Thorslev and Helen M. Jacobsen especially for the occasion was introduced and learned by the group.

After the picnic supper, the group met on the campus for an impressive twilight service led by Rev. Silas Larsen, speaking on "Giving It."

Many of the guests stayed for the Home Concert of the choir in the evening. Between the songs, Rev. Edwin Petrusen of Neola gave the last talk of the series on "Glory Ahead."

At dinner a showing hands revealed that six visitors had come from Racine, Wis., a truckload of 35 or more from Jacksonville, Ia., and varying numbers from Luther Leagues all over Iowa and Nebraska. All in all, this was the most successful rally held here in many years.

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ADIEU AND BEST WISHES

May we, in this paragraph of our last editorial, depart from the usual policy of editorial writers when they employ the so-called "editorial we", representing the opinions of the paper? It happened some time ago that, for reasons not unknown, to some of you, we were not present at the student body meeting in which we were chosen to steer this paper throughout the remainder of the year. Let us assure you that that election would not have taken place if we had been present. Last year we said, "This is the last time we edit the *Hermes*." But here we are again; and, now that most of the work is completed, we must admit that, in spite of all the headaches and the sleepless eyes, we got a "kick" out of doing it once more.

At this point we want to apologize to our subscribers and advertisers for not producing the last regular issue of the *Hermes*.

To our last editor, Mr. Langenfeld, we offer our compliments for the fine job he has done. It will be long before *Hermes* finds better wings than "Butts" has provided. We also wish to thank the staff for its contributions during the year, hoping that it may have learned something about college journalism and a little more about life.

And now to the future, we hope that next year's staff may be gifted with live writers who can produce what the editor requests, and that quickly, accurately and in a neat condition. May next year's editor be equal to the task which he assumes and quickly learn to appreciate and enjoy the many benefits which go with his position.
 —G. A. P.

LIFE

It is said that life is a continual adjustment, that it can never stand still but must either develop or degenerate. Looking around, we see that this is true everywhere, whether in physical life, mental life, moral life, or institutional life. True, there are apparently cases in which a plant or an institution seems to be merely maintaining itself; but even granting that there may be exceptions, they are admittedly rare. Now growth implies change, change that is in most instances visible to one who knows where to look. A living thing cannot exist day after day, year after year, by merely trying to maintain itself in the degree of development it has already attained. A tree or a plant does not merely maintain itself; it strives for greater growth or greater strength or perfection to the greatest extent possible to its nature and its surroundings, and it is only thus that it fills its appointed place. A living mind is never content with its present knowledge; if it were, it would immediately lose its life. Friendship and love must grow broader and deeper, or it must dwindle and die. So also with an institution. Now it is true that not all change means improvement; degeneration is also a change. And one must be very blind if he can not see that some individual plants that should produce fruit according to nature's plan develop all foliage instead; that is growth it is true, but it is growth that is useless, life that is turned in a wrong direction. Minds also grow in the wrong direction when they are used to bolster prejudice or in useless argumentation. Love can expand senselessly when it is spent on trifles. And an institution can develop perfect organization and smooth running machinery without serving its purpose.

These things can be applied to that which is dear to the hearts of all serious people, whether young or old, students or instructors—the college. We study it to find out in what way it can be improved. Now this necessitates looking for the weak points as well as the strong. Do not doctors, when they wish to help one to improve his health, look for what is wrong and correct that rather than looking for the perfect and stressing that. This is extremely necessary in colleges as well. And not only is an interested faculty necessary, but also an interested student body, and what better evidence can we have of a live student body than that it examines and considers the problems of its alma mater? To say that they must consider only the good is foolish; a doctor knows that sores must be recognized and examined before they are treated, only harm results from refusing to recognize them. Of course if one wants to keep the sore, then it is just as well to keep it hidden, but who would be so simple as to wish that? Students can go to extremes and become radical; then they are as harmful as the original sore. The best situation is where the doctor and the patient, or, in this case, the faculty and the student body, cooperate. Students should have some means of expressing themselves, not only for their own growth but that the college may be kept growing. Our students are mainly Christians and can be trusted to be fair. If improvement is needed, that fact should not be concealed, but brought to light for the future good of the college. Dana college and its students can and should cooperate to that end.
 —E. M. R.

Hermes, Whence and Whither

by Carl Wildrick

"The students of Dana college and Trinity seminary need a paper!" This was the cry of the student body twenty-nine years ago. In response to this call, Dr. C. B. Larsen and Rev. Anders Jorgensen, who were then students, took it upon themselves to publish the first *Hermes*, a Messenger from Dana College, in February 1918. This was not an official publication but entirely a private undertaking. There were 750 copies printed and distributed among the students and sent to the Dana boys who fought in the World War. The aim of the publication was stated in the first editorial as follows: "In preparing this paper it has been our desire to avoid making it an organ of current tattle and the discussion of politics. It has been our aim to give vent to intellectual forces and assist in developing latent possibilities."

The idea of a paper was lost sight of for the next two years until the student body petitioned for a permanent student publication. John C. Romer became the first editor-in-chief. Einer Romer took up the work the following year. When Christian Justesen became editor in 1921, it was decided to print a Souvenir Issue containing mostly pictures. This idea was carried on by the next editor, Anders Steensen; for it was felt that this would aid *Hermes* in fulfilling its mission of telling what was happening at Dana.

Hermes first came out four times a year in booklet form. Later it became a monthly publication. Then it began to take on the form of a newspaper, as it is today, and it has continued to grow and prosper until it is now a semi-monthly publication and holds a second class rating in the Associated Collegiate press.

Dana says, "Hats off," to the editors and their staffs who have worked courageously through thick and thin to give the students and alumni of Dana a real newspaper which has tried to live up to its motto, "A Messenger from Dana," and also to the mottoes of our college, "Truth Conquers."

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The Luther League held a "Ladies Night" on May 12. The speakers were: Doris Dahl, who spoke on "Mary, the Thought-reader;" Irene Andersen on "Miriam, the Genius;" and Marjorie Boyer on "Ruth, the Decided." Leona Johansen and Marjorie Boyer sang a vocal duet and scripture was read by Louise Thorslev.

A Ladies Chorus and a Male Chorus were the high lights of the Luther League meeting, May 19. Eric Christensen, the speaker of the evening, talked on the "Surrendered Life" and Howard Nielsen read Scripture and led in prayer.

A business meeting followed and the League decided to spend \$10 of the the treasury for devotional books for the college library and \$25 to be distributed among five missions, the Japanese, Indian, Sudan, Home and Santal.

A LIVING CHRIST

To whom he also showed himself alive after his passion by many proofs, appearing unto them by the space of forty days, and speaking the things concerning the kingdom of God. Acts: 1:3.

"I was dead," Jesus said to John (Rev. I:18). He repeatedly foretold His death and all the New Testament writers testify that "Christ died for our sins" and that "He died for all."

But He Himself also declares, "And behold, I am alive forevermore." "Death no more hath dominion over him." "It was not possible that he should be holden of it." "He arose again the third day according to the Scriptures." He is "declared to be the Son of God with power... by the resurrection from the dead."

His Resurrection proves that He is indeed the Son of God and a living Christ; that His obedience unto the death of the cross met all the requirements of the Law and of divine righteousness; that every word He spoke is eternal truth; and that because He lives those who believe in Him shall live with Him forever.

It also means that the doubting Thomas was right in his confession of faith in a risen and living Lord and God. It means that while without Him we can do nothing, with Him we can do all things in the power of His victory. Those who "go afishing" on their own account must enter

in their log, "That night they took nothing," while those who obey the risen Lord and follow His directions fill their nets.

The Resurrection means more-over that we may proceed with all confidence to obey His command to gather in the "other sheep," assured that He is with us always and speeds the efforts we put forth to bring them into the fold. He is seated on the right hand of the Majesty on high and from His exalted throne He exercises all power in Heaven and on earth to bless the extension of His kingdom.

At the consummation of the age the ever-living and Almighty Lord shall judge the quick and the dead. He will come with power and great glory to separate the believers and the impenitent, with a "come" to the former and a "depart" to the latter, as an echo to their own words and deeds here on earth. The final issue will be the glories of heaven to those who have prepared themselves to receive this reward of grace, and "the darkness outside" to those who have invited it by leaving Christ out of their lives and fitted themselves by a life in persevering sin for exclusion from His presence and for "the weeping and the gnashing of teeth."

"Therefore be ye also ready" that we may not be "ashamed before him at his coming."

—C. J. Sodergren.

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LITERARY CORNER

Brevity is very good, when we are or are not understood.

—Butler.

Perhaps a gentleman is a rarer man than some of us think. For which of us can point out many such in his circle: men whose aims are generous; whose truth is constant—and not only constant in its kind, but elevated in its degree; whose want of meanness makes them simple; who can look the world in the face with an equal manly sympathy for the great and the small? We all know a hundred whose coats are well made, and a score who have excellent manners, and one or two happy beings who are in what they call the "inner circles," and have shot into the very bull's eye of fashion; but of gentlemen, how many? Let us take a little scrap of paper, and each make out his list.
 Thackeray.

Kindness in woman, nor her beauteous looks, shall win my love.
 —Shakespeare.

A woman who pretends to laugh at love is like the child who sings at night when he is afraid.

—Rousseau.

I never have any respect for a man who does his chosen job badly. There is seldom any excuse for him. He could improve it if he would work hard.

—H. L. Mencken.

The wise man knows his own imperfections. But the fool peeps into the shallow stream of his own mind and is pleased with the pebbles which he sees at the bottom; he brings them up, and shows them as pearls, and the applause of other fools delights him.
 —Dandemis.

Certain is the vengeance of the young upon monotony; nothing more certain.—George Meredith.

I do not believe that civilized life is possible under a democracy.—H. L. Mencken.

Wisdom is oft-times nearer when we stoop than when we soar.
 —Wordsworth.

Music Director Son of Vikings

Gunnar J. Malmin was born at Thompson, Iowa, on April 9, 1903. At this place he lived for a number of years and received his grade school training. Following this period he entered Luther College at Decorah, Iowa, where he received both his college preparatory and college work, graduating in the spring of 1923 with an A. B. degree.

Upon graduation Mr. Malmin was awarded a fellowship in the field of history by the American-Scandinavian Foundation. The year 1923-1924 was therefore spent in research work in Norway, Sweden, and Denmark, and in touring Germany, Italy, Switzerland, France, and England. He has since published some of his findings, among them being a three hundred page book "America in the Forties" published by the Norwegian-American Historical Society, and a series of twenty articles on Norwegian emigration to America which appeared in the Decorah-Posten.

The year 1924-1925 was spent at St. Olaf College from which institution he received the B. M. degree. Two years of public school teaching followed: one at Story City, Iowa, and one at Ironwood, Michigan. The summer of 1926 was spent at University of Minnesota.

In the fall of 1927 Mr. Malmin enrolled at the Northwestern University for a semester of graduate work. The second semester of that school year was spent in private study of music and in preparing his book "America in the Forties" for publication.

From the fall of 1928 until 1930 Mr. Malmin was on the teaching staff at Drake University at Des Moines, at which place he taught public school music and served as director of the band and the male chorus. On July 1, 1929 he was married to Miss Dorothy Brann.

Since 1930 Mr. Malmin has been teaching music at Dana College. Under his direction the Dana College a cappella choir made a trip to Denmark in 1935 and toured the West Coast in 1936, in addition to making annual trips throughout Nebraska and the neighboring states.

In collaboration with Mrs. Malmin, Prof. Malmin has published two musical works, "Songs and Hymns for Treble Voices," and "Songs and Anthems for Treble Voices." He has also composed and published an anthem for male voices, "Thee, God We Praise." In the spring of 1937 he

published the first three numbers of the Dana Choir Series, a collection of songs sung by the college choir. Mr. Malmin served as musical editor of the Sunday school hymnals of both the Norwegian and the Danish Lutheran churches and is at present a member of the committee which is revising the Hymnal for Church and Home.

Mr. Malmin plans to spend the summer at the University of Michigan in working for his Master of Music degree.

Hermes Fate Is In Doubt

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had met and ad withdrawn their second resolution as far as the remainder of the school term was concerned; but it was still to be effective in the coming school term. The student body opposed resolution No. 2, and after some discussion the following resolution was made regarding it: "Resolved, that the Faculty and Administration be requested to select one of the two following courses of action with respect to the future administration of the Hermes: (1) either the Faculty and Administration assume all duties in connection with the editing and publication of the Hermes, or (2) that the student body have direct control of the Hermes subject to suggestion and criticism by a Faculty advisor or by the Administration, but that in no case the student body be subject to censorship or dictation in connection with its publication of the Hermes." Then the student body adjourned to meet again at a later time. This meeting opened again on the morning of May 12. Since the faculty resolution No. 2 had been withdrawn for this term, the student body was still responsible for the editing of two issues of the Hermes. Former editor-in-chief Langenfeld was asked to take charge but refused since he did not feel that matters had been sufficiently settled. Then George Pallesen was elected to fill the position. The student body stood firm on the resolution of May 5, but they elected a committee, consisting of Edward Hansen, Byron Langenfeld, and Carl Wildrick, to confer with the faculty committee on the situation. The meeting was then adjourned.

In the meantime, pending solution of the problem, the student body, under the leadership of George Pallesen, has continued the publication of the Hermes on the basis on which it has been published during the year.

At the last regular meeting of the student body, May 20, it was decided that, since the faculty and student body had as yet reached no agreement and since the faculty has tabled the question, the students proceed with the election of editor and business manager and await the new year.

Dr. E. E. Chinlund To Be Speaker

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degrees with the completion of this year's work. They are: Stanley M. Bach, who will attend medical school next year; Laurice DeLaurant, also a medical student; Shirley Larson, who plans to teach; Arthur Norgaard, who also plans to teach; Harold Qualsett, who has secured a position in the Kennard, Nebraska, high school. Emiel Wahling will complete work on his degree this summer.

Trinity Theological seminary graduates one student this year, Clarence Jensen, who has accepted the call of a congregation near Ord, Nebraska.

Those who have taken the two year teacher's course and plan to teach next year are: Irene Andersen, Marjorie Boyer, Margaret Foley, Evelyn Hofling, Lillian Larsen, Helen Olsen, Marjorie Seltz, Marjorie Smith, Evelyn Sorensen, Richard Petersen, Inger A. Jensen, Clarice Jensen and John Poucher. One year commercial students who will be given certificates are: Jean Ann Besst, Evelyn Coulter, Thelma J. Hoare, Astrid Jensen, Vita Kildebeck, Ferne Lantefield, Ben Miller, Anita Nielsen, Ingrid Nielsen, Phillip Petersen, Margaret Pearson, Marguerite Rathmann, Priscilla Wrich and Mary Warrick.

NYA Students Earn \$4,590

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Work performed by these students has varied from clerical tasks outside the regular routine of work involved in the operation of the college to construction of facilities and equipment designed to further and improve the educational and recreational activities on the campus.

Of particular merit has been the work which has produced benefits of value to the college, and entire student body and the communities in which the colleges are situated. It is also found in the work of the NYA students in developing additional educational resources through the performance of clerical tasks, which make

possible the availability of college facilities to many not in regular attendance.

The untimely ending of educational careers has been averted in many cases by the NYA part-time jobs, which have provided sufficient funds to make the difference between a student's attendance at college and his dropping out because of financial curtailment.

Thirty-five NYA student workers at Dana college earned approximately \$4,590 during the 1936-37 school year. Their work was arranged and supervised by the school's faculty. Chief among the benefits derived through the aid of the NYA program here is the construction of the Infirmary which has been greatly needed. This building has already seen service in housing contagious cases of illness, although it has been finished but a few months. Another factor of real worth has been the operation of the laundry by the NYA students. Considerable clerical work has been completed by various members, including the cutting of stencils for musical programs and classroom work. The campus has also been greatly beautified by the work of the NYA boys. One of the outstanding accomplishments of the NYA group is the fact that they have been called upon to perform in a great many emergencies, when other workers were not available, and have always been able to deliver. It is this one factor which the administration appreciates more than any other.

Thinking is the talking of the soul with itself. —Plato.

Learning without thought is labor lost; thought without learning is perilous. —Confucius.

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W.A.A. Members Awarded Honors

Sixteen Dana girls were honored last Tuesday evening, May 18, when they were presented with letters at the W.A.A. banquet in the Dining Hall. Coach Olson, toastmaster for the occasion, introduced the speakers of the evening. Miss Doris Dahl, girls' physical director, discussed the work done by her classes during the past year. The history of the W.A.A. was the subject of a talk by Miss Clarice Jensen, president of the organization. After an entertaining number by a girls' trio composed of Leona Johansen, Marjorie Boyer, and Helen Margaret Jacobsen accompanied by Elizabeth Christensen, Miss Wind commented on the work of the girls. Alice Traum presented a humorous reading. Letters and awards were then presented to the winners by Dr. C. X. Hansén.

In order to earn a "D" each girl must have earned a minimum of 1600 points through participation in various athletic activities. One hundred points were awarded to girls having perfect attendance in physical education class, and 100 honor points went to those who displayed outstanding sportsmanship, enthusiasm, and interest. Ten girls won attendance points; nine won honor points.

The following girls were presented with a "D": Jean Ann Besst, Edith Carlsen, Elizabeth Christensen, Helen Margaret Jacobsen, Marie Jensen, Rosa Jensen, Leona Johansen, Vita Kildebeck, Lillian Larsen, Ruth Madsen, Anite Nielsen, Helen Olsen, Marguerite Rathmann, Maxine Robbins, Clara Jo Sorensen, and Alice Traum.

Four special awards were given, Vita Kildebeck and Anita Nielsen received medals for sportsmanship; and Helen Olsen and Helen Margaret Jacobsen were given special scholarship medals.

The W.A.A. has completed a very successful year's work, and the girls are to be complimented on the interest and cooperation which they have displayed.

No teacher has sufficient sinister power to block intellectual desire if there is any vitality and independence in the desirer.

—William Ellery Leonard.

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Upper Class Men Shut Out Frosh In Close Meet

COMBINATION OF SPRING EVENTS MAKES FIRST FIELD DAY SUCCESS

Color and activity, predominant notes on Friday afternoon, May 7, helped to make Dana's adventure in field days a most successful and interesting event. The afternoon and evening was a combination of the annual school picnic, an intramural track meet and kittenball contest, and a box social. Under the able direction of Coach Olson, the day was packed with wholesome and healthy fun for everyone.

In the track meet the freshmen put in a stubborn bid for high honors, but were surpassed in the final events by their competitors, the upper classmen. In the first half of the meet, the freshmen were able to stay ahead. Then when the U.C.'s regained the lead the freshmen again forged ahead to make the score a tie with only the 220-yard relay left. Excitement was at a high pitch when the race started and the U.C.'s were behind. However the speed and freshness of the U.C.'s decided the race and the meet in their favor.

The first of the three kittenball games was won by the freshmen girls over the U.C. girls, 13-8. Peggy Pascoe and M. Robbins hit home runs for the frosh, while Millie Thomsen hit one over the fence for the U.C.'s. In the frosh versus U.C.'s boys' game the score of the above game was exactly reversed. The Frosh were defeated 13-8. Patrick and Poucher hit homers for the U.C.'s. Mickey's team of dorm students were sadly trounced by the faculty cohorts although there was some suspicion of a frame-up. The score was 27-9.

Not the least part of the afternoon were the W.A.A. events. These events were entered not for interclass competition but chiefly for the interest and the points which were earned toward W.A.A. letters.

While the field day was an experiment, it was so well received by the students and the faculty alike that it will probably be repeated in years to come.

Track Meet Results

Here are the summaries for the Frosh (F)—Upper Classmen (U.C.) field meet:

Javelin: Thurber (F) 145 ft.; R. Svendsen (F) 136 ft. 7 in.; L. DeLaurant (U.C.) 136 ft. 7 in.; Dyhrberg (U.C.) 131 ft. 4 in.

Discus: Dyhrberg (U.C.) 110 ft. 4 in.; Thurber (F) 108 ft. 9 in.; Ninegar (F) 104 ft. 7 in.; Mikkelsen (U.C.) 85 ft. 9 in.

Shot: Dyhrberg (U.C.) 36 ft. 7 in.; Thurber (F) 35 ft. 7 in.; Ninegar (F) 33 ft. 3 in.; L. Hansen (U.C.) 32 ft. 6 in.

High Jump: Ninegar (F) 5 ft. 2 in.; Fries (U.C.); Patrick (U.C.); R. Petersen (U.C.); Stan Bach (U.C.).

Broad Jump: Patrick (U.C.) 17 ft. 5 in.; Bixler (U.C.) 17 ft. 1 in.; Dyhrberg (U.C.) 16 ft. 9 in.; Ninegar (F) 16 ft. 5 in.

60-yard dash: first, DeLaurant (F); second, Bixler (U.C.); third, S. Petersen (F); fourth, Dyhrberg (F).

100-yard dash: first, Bixler (U.C.); second, S. Petersen (F); third, Meader (F); fourth, Mann (F).

220-yard dash: first, Mann (F); second, B. DeLaurant (F); third, S. Petersen (F); fourth, Qualsett (U.C.).

440-yard dash: first, D. Olsen (F); second, E. Nelsen (F); third, Qualsett (U.C.); fourth, S. Larsen (U.C.).

660-yard dash: first, Steen (U.C.); second, R. Petersen (U.C.); third, Ninegar (F); fourth, P. Petersen (F).

100-yard relay: winning team, L. Johansen, V. Kildebeck, E. Poppe, M. Thomsen.

Kittenball throw for distance: first, E. Poppe, 107 ft. 9 in.; second, M. Thomsen; third, E. Jackson; fourth, L. Johansen.

Kittenball throw for accuracy: first, E. Miller; second, E. Jackson; third, L. Johansen; fourth, C. Jensen.

Broad jump: first, E. Poppe second, V. Kildebeck; third, M. Mikkelsen; fourth, J. Best.

880-yard relay: Steen, Pechacek, T. Hansen, Fries (U.C.).
220-yard relay: Kloth, Dyhrberg, Patrick, Bixler (U.C.).

Results in Girs' Meet

Summary of girls' events in the Annual Dana Field Meet:

30-yard dash: first, Vita Kildebeck; second, Rosa Jensen; third, E. Poppe; fourth, E. Carlsen.

60-yard dash: first, E. Poppe; second, V. Kildebeck; third, Rosa Jensen; fourth, Edith Carlsen.

70-yard dash: first, E. Poppe;

Sport Chips

Dyhrberg threw the shot 36 ft. 7 in. It is rather loudly, and maybe fallaciously, rumored that we have a man on the campus who tossed the pill 55 ft., a world's record of two years ago.

Poppe, Kildebeck, Carlsen, and Rosa Jensen seemed to take turns at the honors in the 30, 60, and 70-yard dashes.

The time on some of the races of our track meet do not compare unfavorably with the time of intercollegiate meets. With the poor track and limited coaching we must have some speedy men among our athletes.

When the last lap of the last relay turns the points in favor of a team, that makes for an exciting meet.

Do we not all agree that we would enjoy another field day next year?

second, V. Kildebeck; third, Rosa Jensen.

Football relay: winning team, V. Kildebeck, L. Johansen, E. Christensen.

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Central Net Stars Annihilate Danes

The Central College Tennis team journeyed to Dana on April 30 and handed the Vikings a defeat in the Danes' one and only tennis match of the season. The match was previously postponed but the Quakers failed to learn of the postponement. The match had to be played with the Danes having little or no practice which proved to be noticeable in the Viking's erratic game.

In the singles Cox beat Patrick, 6-1, 6-0; Reuben defeated Fries, 6-2, 6-1; Harris beat Lund, 6-1, 6-0; and Cowgill beat Smith, 6-3, 6-1.

In the doubles Harris and Cowgill beat Patrick and Lund, 6-3, 6-3; Reuben and Cox beat Smith and D. Hansen, 6-3, 6-3.

Although the Vikings were decisively defeated, they showed signs and ability of developing into a very formidable tennis team should more matches be arranged.

Barnyard Golfers Finish Tourney

Ringing the stake like Major Bowes's gong, Robert Taylor captured four out of seven games from Earl Nelson to take the title in the annual horseshoe tournament. The finals were held last Wednesday.

In all the preliminary matches three out of five games decided the winner; in the finals four out of seven games.

Thurber, C. Petersen, Taylor, Simonsen, E. Nelson, and Vammen won out in the first round. R. Jensen and Dyhrberg drew byes. In the second series Thurber, Taylor, Dyhrberg and E. Nelson won out over R. Jensen, C. Petersen, Simonsen, and Vammen, respectively. The third round left Taylor and E. Nelson to battle in the finals. Taylor proved superior after close games.

In the doubles engagement, a Taylor-Nelson combination defeated the Simonsen-Dyhrberg team, winning four out of five games.

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INDIVIDUAL POINT STANDINGS FROM FIELD MEET

Dyhrberg	15 1/4
Patrick	14
Bixler	13 1/2
Thurber	12 1/4
Ninegar	12
Bern DeLaurant	10
Del Olsen	9
Mann	7 1/4
S. Petersen	7
Steen	6 1/4
Qualsett	5 1/4
Poucher	5
C. Petersen	4 1/4
Fries	3 3/4
R. Petersen	3 1/2
Red Svendsen	3
Earl Nelson	3
Kloth	2 1/2
Pechacek	2 1/4
Boe	2
L. DeLaurant	2
Meader	2
Gil Jensen	1 1/4
Ted Hansen	1 1/4
Mikkelsen	1
Lee Hansen	1
Stan Larsen	1
P. Petersen	1
Stan Bach	1/2

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