

Dana Observes Annual May Festival



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Lilac Time Festivities To Be Centered About "Deep Purple"

Traditional Lilac Time festivities held each year during the first weekend in May at Dana College will be centered about the color of the theme flower, "deep purple," during 1949's celebration, May 7 and 8.

Jeppesen Succeeds Nielsen as Editor Of HERMES

Advancing from associate editor to editor of the HERMES is Paul Jeppesen from Ord, Nebraska. In his junior year, Paul is seeking a liberal arts degree. Outside of his associate editorial duties, Paul has also been active in LSA, LSF, and has been vice president of his class.

James Hansen, a junior from Cedar Falls, Iowa, was elected president of the United Student Body of Dana College and Trinity Seminary in the final election held Tuesday. Jim has been an active participant in college affairs all three of his years at Dana. L.S.A., Choir, "D" Club, Fine Arts Club, Dramatics Club, Intercollegiate and Intramural sports have claimed the talents of the new president during these years. Jim is a psychology major and will graduate from Dana next year.

The secretary chosen was Elsie Jensen from Long Beach, California. She has served the second half of this year as secretary to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Elizabeth Solevad. Elsie is an education and psychology student in her third year at Dana. She has been a leader in W.A.A., secretary of L.S.A. and a member of various other clubs.

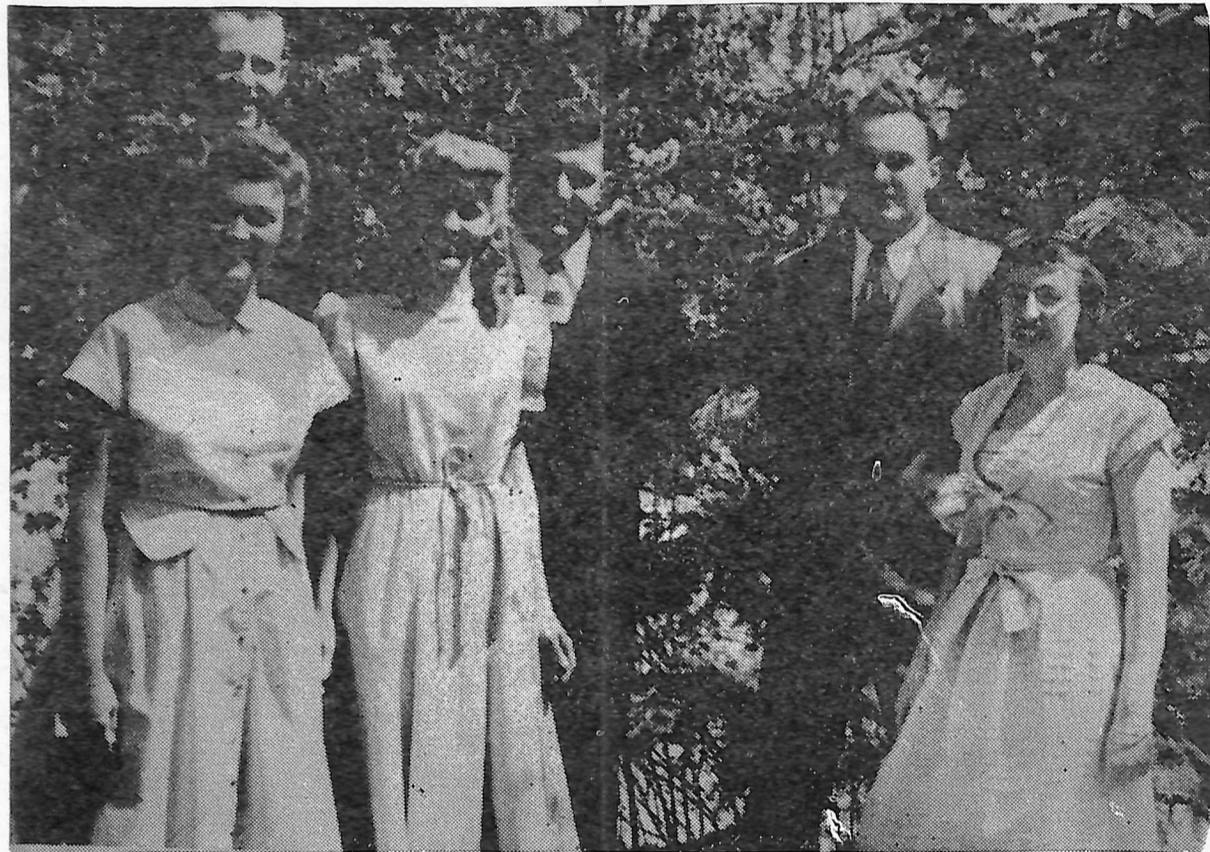
Another junior, Lyle Morgenstern, a business administration major, was reelected to the position of student body treasurer. Lyle was an asset to the college basketball team until he became injured this year. His home is in McNabb, Illinois.

The Sower will be under the editorship of John Beck next year. A sophomore from nearby Fremont, Nebr., John is working for a liberal arts degree. He has done some summer school work here. During the two years he has attended Dana, John has sung in the Choir, participated in athletics, and served this year as co-editor of the HERMES sports page.

Weaver, Hatt, Johnson, and Coffey To Begin Graduate Study in Fall

Plans for graduate study for the coming school year have been made by four Dana students. Kenneth Weaver, who will receive his bachelor of arts degree in June, has been awarded a \$900 graduate fellowship on the basis of scholarship in mathematics to the Oklahoma Agriculture and Mechanical Arts College at Stillwater, Oklahoma, for the next school year starting September 1. Kenny will receive his master's degree in mathematics a year from now, after which he hopes to teach mathematics in some college.

Gerald Hatt and Willard Johnson, who will receive their bachelor of arts degrees this year, have been accepted to the Eastman School of Music at Roches-



The annual May Festival "Lilac Time" will be held in the Dana College Auditorium Saturday night, May 7 at 8:00 p.m. At that time the Coronation of Lilac Time royalty will take place. Pictured above are the candidates for the honor. Left to right, Elsie Mae Jensen, Esther Eriksen, Lois Girtz, back row, Jim Youmans, Earl Pace and Ray Weckmuller. Courtesy Enterprise

"Let Christ Be Lord" Used as Central Theme of Synodical Luther League Convention

Traveling by bus to the convention city of Albert Lea, Dana students met with Luther Leaguers last weekend, April 28-May 1, to consider the theme, "Let Christ Be Lord," in planning League work for the next two years.

Delos Lind, Edith Skobo, Ruth Larseh, and Mortimer Nielsen were delegates of the college to the business sessions where a new League constitution was adopted and two Dana students were elected officers.

The synodical League executive committee now is Pastor M. C. Hagedorn, Detroit, president; Art Sorensen, vice president; Juanita Petersen, Des Moines,

Iowa, secretary; and Ray Johnsen, treasurer. Pastor Edward Hansen, Lutheran Bible Institute, Brooklyn, New York, was approved as the new youth director.

The men's glee club directed by Don Poh appeared on religious and secular programs at the convention, Albert Lea Rotary Club, radio station KATE, and Sunday morning worship at Geneva, Minn. The Lutheran Student Association and College sent the glee club as musical representatives of the school. Musical solos were presented by other students.

Norman Bansen and President R. E. Morton accompanied the forty-three students to the convention.

Choir to Sing Three Concerts Before Completing '49 Series

Several weeks have now passed since the choir returned from its trip to the West Coast, but it still goes merrily on its way to sing more concerts. The choir sang to a small but appreciative audience Sunday afternoon, April 24, at Underwood and again in the evening at Council Bluffs where a record crowd was present. Another concert was presented in Omaha, Tuesday evening, May 3. Concerts will be sung at Fremont, Sunday evening, May 15; Audubon and Moorhead, Sunday, May 29; and the home concert at Dana on Sunday, May 8.

Prof. Madsen Receives Th.D. from Central Baptist Seminary

C. C. Madsen received his doctor of theology degree yesterday from the graduate school of Central Baptist Theological Seminary at Kansas City, Kansas. Dr. Madsen has studied over a period of years for his doctorate beginning his residence work in Kansas City, Kansas. Interrupted by service as a chaplain during the war, he came back and by special concession was allowed to complete residence work by correspondence.

With a major in New Testament interpretation and minors in Old Testament and psychology of religion, he wrote his thesis entitling it, "The Doctrinal Dynamics of Christian Psychotherapy."

Dr. Madsen holds the chair of professor of practical theology at Trinity Seminary and serves as director of Christian activities at Dana College.

DP Student Fund Is Benefited by Sale of Corsages

Giving everyone an opportunity to contribute to the fund for Dana's D. P. student, the W. A. A. and D Club are sponsoring the sale of corsages for the May Festival.

Violet Degrave, Alberta Madsen, and Genevieve Jorgenson are the committee in charge of making and selling the carnation corsages at \$1.50. The Blair Greenhouse is cooperating to make possible a profit from the sale of the flowers.

May Festival on Saturday evening will feature the crowning of May queen and king. Candidates for the crowns were chosen by the student body on the basis of Christian character, scholastic standing and past extra-curricular activities.

Esther Eriksen, Denver, Colo.; Lois Girtz, Albert Lea, Minn.; Elsie Mae Jensen, Long Beach, Calif.; Earl Pace, Herman; Ray Weckmuller, Troy, N. Y.; and Jim Youmans, Falmouth, Me., will compose the royal court. Sue Hengeveld and David Snowbeck will present the crowns to Paul Peterson, coach, for the coronation.

Philip Christiansen, Omaha, will sing "Deep Purple" to correlate the theme and the musical program which will be presented by the college students.

Carol Mengers, Blair, and Augie Stricker, Gowen, Mich., are co-chairmen of the event with assistants in Paul Johnsen, Fremont, program; Jim Youmans, Falmouth, Me. and Glennis DeVasure, Tekamah, decorations; Delores Nielsen, Minden, refreshments; John Beck, Fremont, publicity and tickets; and John Bradley, Omaha, cleanup.

Interested alumni and friends as well as students are invited to purchase tickets.

Dana Students Hear Rev. Funke During Hebron L.S.A. Meet

The Midwest Regional LSAA held its Little Ashram on the campus of Hebron Lutheran College in Hebron, Nebraska, April 29, 30, and May 1, the theme of the "corporate spiritual quest" was "Thy Kingdom Come."

The speakers for the Ashram included men from within the region, as well as the National LSAA and other branches of the Lutheran church. Rev. Alex Funke, who visited the Dana campus last week, was the main speaker. On Friday evening, Pastor Funke spoke on "God's Kingdom on the Campus," and for the Communion service Sunday morning he spoke on "God's Kingdom in My Personal Life." At the banquet on Saturday night Pastor Funke gave us some interesting comparisons between the Lutheran Student Association in America and the Studentengemeinde of Germany, of which he is the traveling secretary.

Other speakers were Pastor C. C. Madsen, Dana's student pastor, and Regional LSAA advisor. Pastor Eklund of Bethany College spoke to the group on Saturday morning, and Pastor Richard Syre from Western Theological Seminary in Fremont in the afternoon.

The main feature of the Ashram were the Bible study discussions. Pastor Alvin Petersen prepared outlines which focused the thinking around the Word of God.

Three delegates from the region were selected for the National Ashram at Interlochen August 25 to 31. Kenneth Hartzheim from Midland College, Winton Hoog from Bethany College, and Wayne Bartels from Kansas State were selected.

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Faculty Sketches

--- Augie Stricker

Impressed by the friendly atmosphere that he found when he came to Dana, Professor Ranheim has endeavored to extend this, "interplay and exchange of ideas between students and faculty members."

"The increasing emphasis on overall guidance as a personalized problem and giving personal attention to more specific phases of student problems," he says, will "help train the student to approach life with a scholarly attitude. These characteristics



Professor Ranheim

along with efforts in other directions will undoubtedly contribute to the schools attempt for North Central accreditation."

Prof. Ranheim, head of the department of Education, came to Dana to serve in this capacity in the fall of 1947. During the current school year he directed freshman orientation. He came to Dana after filling positions as teacher and superintendent at high schools in Chandler and Rapidon, Minnesota. Prior to this he served as principal and coach at Gibbon, Minnesota, and also at Ruthtown, Minnesota, his home town.

He was born in Hills, a typical rural community in Minnesota. After attending a country school for his first few years he transferred to Ruthtown where he finished the grades and was graduated from high school in 1923. During the summer months he was kept busy with chores on his father's farm. For two years after high school he farmed with his brother and in 1925 he matriculated at St. Olaf College at Northfield, Minnesota. In 1929 he graduated with a major in history and a minor in science.

He then began his teaching career. In 1947 after attending the summer sessions at the University of Minnesota, he received his master's degree with a major in Education Administration and minors in Psychology and Curriculum Instruction.

In 1937 Mr. Ranheim married Louise Baumann, whose home was New Ulm, Minnesota. Mrs. Ranheim also has had experience in the teaching field. Their two children, Sonja, 10, and David, 6, are as familiar as students on Dana's campus—or at least around the Men's Hall where the Ranheims make their residence.

Old Mainliners

--- Knud Warschauer

The longer I work at this column the more I am convinced that the so-called "old news" of past editions of this paper contains much that the pensive reader of today would consider NEW USEFUL news. Such news as this contains fresh material—material that you and I could well afford to literally chew a while and digest thoroughly as Professor Ranheim so carefully expressed one hot day last September in my Orientation class.

Read the following quoted article and see if you don't wholeheartedly agree with me that the "meat" of this article could well be digested by the materialistic, mechanical being that man is today. I am indebted to C. B. Larsen, co-editor of the 1918 HERMES for the following lines: "Verility is a rare quality. Two thousand years ago the noted philosopher walked down the streets of Athens with a lantern in his hand by daylight, and when asked what he was looking for, cried out that he was looking for a man. The streets of Athens were full of people, but there were no men there. I trust that the conditions have improved since that time, and yet I sometimes wonder if one still needs a lantern to find a man. If you want to be a man you must face the world with the convictions of your soul. You must stand alone if circumstances demand. The man who is a man is not in every respect governed by the prevailing opinion. He does not follow the demagogue. This does not mean that one has to be stubborn in order to be a man. The true man yields when he sees that he is mistaken. By acquiescing and following the crowd one can avoid much unpleasantness; and it is the sure road to popularity, but that should not be the aim in life. The man should follow the convictions of his heart in spite of opposition and prevalent opinion."

News of the Other Day

--- Peter Thorslev

The proud walls of Nanking, late capital of the Chinese Nationalists, finally capitulated to the red flood from the North. The first communists to enter the city were a group of army officers riding in an American army jeep. It was a small part of the large amount of war equipment which the communists have received of the two billion worth which we sent for the Nationalists to use against them.

The communists, in their hurried jump across the Yangtze, weren't too careful where they landed, and some landed right on John Bull's toes. With loud vociferations and losing of much-needed face, the British finally decided to rush reinforcements to their Shanghai fleet. But the day when John Bull's clenched fist could make all Asia tremble has passed. Meanwhile the American Navy pulled hastily out of Shanghai ahead of schedule, to avoid any such embarrassing incidents.

On the American scene, after a warning to Senate Republicans from Taft that they would have to let some social welfare legislation through if they ever hoped to be elected again, the fair deal in public housing passed easily. The fair deal for health will have rougher sledding, and its chances for this session of congress are admittedly rather poor. Amid shouts for economy, however, it is well to look carefully to discern just what is economical. Although their names are practically synonymous with economy (and not much else), merely because legislation bears Taft's or Wherry's approval does not necessarily mean that it's economical for the people as a whole. The Truman health bill would cost about six billion dollars a year, and it would cover 85% of the population. At present the entire population spends eight billion dollars a year for medical care. (Figure it out yourself.) The increase in medical facilities, especially in rural areas, would be tremendous under the Truman bill. As it is, some 45,000 people die yearly for lack of medical care, especially in rural areas, and in Mississippi, for example, there is one doctor for every 19,000 negroes. But speaking of economy, it is interesting to note that the A.M.A. is raising three and a half million to fight the bill.

It appears that the most irritating part of the Iron Curtain is finally about to rise on the first act of the new Soviet peace offensive. Drew Pearson, while crowing jubilantly that he had predicted it ten days previous to open talks, adds lugubriously that the new drama on the Berlin stage may be only a subtle decoy to detract the attention of congress from the North Atlantic Pact. Celebrating cautiously, the West waits and hopes.

CAMPUS PERSONALITIES

--- Ardis Gramps



Elsie Jensen

Elsie Jensen, Dana junior, was born in Sidney, Montana, but now claims Long Beach, California, as her home. After graduating from Poly Tech High School there in 1946, she came to Dana and began a four-year teacher-training course. She is majoring in psychology, minoring in English and education.

Her first year activities at Dana included LSA and WAA work. She also helped with costumes for the Dramatic Club's presentation of Dickens' "Christmas Carol," and served on the Women's Dormitory Council.

During her second year Elsie served as secretary for the LSA. In addition to WAA she was also a member of the Fine Arts and Home Economics clubs, and was clean-up chairman on the Homecoming committee.

This year she assumed the duties of Student Council secretary, and has once again been active in LSA and in WAA as recording secretary. She worked as one of the decorations chairmen for the WAA Christmas banquet.

Elsie likes to swim and to play tennis when she's at home. She also finds time to listen to music—symphony preferred, and collects spoons and wooden trick puzzles. Her ambition is to teach, but first she plans to return to Dana for her last year.

For them a new day...

It has been heartening to hear of the progress made in raising the six hundred dollars for the purpose of bringing a foreign student to the campus this fall. This is quite a sizeable fund for our student body to raise on comparatively short notice, but it is expected to have passed the six-hundred dollar mark before the close of the school year. Of course this does not mean that we can relax our efforts, and we are not implying that efforts have been relaxed. Would it be too much to pray for the receipt of funds which would enable us to bring over two of our unfortunate fellow men from Europe, China, India, or wherever our prospective student's 'home' might be?

There was much heated discussion concerning this project—with some students in opposition to the idea of bringing a foreigner to our campus. Those of us who saw the L.W.A. film, "Answer for Anne," were definitely convinced that it is imperative that we do our utmost in bringing Displaced Persons to our land of plenty, helping them to see that the world has not lost its heart in spite of the fact that we have just emerged from a worldwide struggle of the forces of good over evil. In bringing these D.P. families to the United States to take up permanent residence, and D.P. students for the purpose of a year or more of study in our colleges and universities we are thereby helping to stem the tide of materialism and communism which have engulfed a great portion of the world, because the people have no other alternative but to accept communism if they wish to keep their jobs, or get their daily bread; they accept materialism because that doctrine in its consideration of material well-being of the individual, rules in determining conduct. The church in many European countries has been suppressed for many years and the younger generation has been reared according to this doctrine. Once inculcated, these doctrines are not easily erased and the seeds of truth sown. In bringing a foreign student to Dana we may also find satisfaction in knowing that he will someday return to his homeland—a potential leader—trained in a Christian college—and that our efforts have made this possible. Perhaps the finest admonition that we can find to spur us on in our endeavors toward this end is found in Matthew 25:31-40. It is well to remember that "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

Mission Minded

--- Paul Johnsen

Another year is drawing to a close. Graduation will be upon us before we know it. Degrees and certificates representing from one to seven years of study will be conferred upon students. These young people prepared for a service. There will be new pastors, teachers, parish workers, and secretaries going out to serve—in this country. Are there any that will look to the countries beyond, to Africa, India, South America, or to Japan?

Pastor N. B. Hansen, our Sudan Mission representative has just returned from Africa. He comes back with a plea for teachers. Teachers are resperately needed on the fields immediately. Notice this! Not Pastors, but teachers. When we think of missionaries we are inclined to think only of Pastors. Pastors are important but teachers and other laymen are also needed proportionately.

Pastor Hansen will be on the campus for a day's visit soon. When he comes, talk to him. Become familiar with the foreign missions. God uses workers of all walks of life, and He can use YOU.

How wonderful it would be if at least one or two people in each graduating class would go out to serve as a foreign missionary. We speak of projects here at Dana. What better project could we have than a mission minded student body. A Mission minded body is a growing body.

Sideline Slants

By Jens and Johnny

Golf and Tennis...

For those of you who don't particularly enjoy watching some poor fish running like there was a herd of wild elephants after him, the Vikes' Golf and Tennis teams will also see action today. This meet will also take place at Norfolk.

Conference Track...

With the Viking thin-clads journeying to Norfolk today for the Conference Track meet, this might be a good time to outline our chances for the Track Crown. Thus far the Vikes have met Norfolk, Concordia, Fairbury, Midland and Luther. In a triangular meet with Concordia and Fairbury, Dana took the meet by a slim 13 points over Fairbury's 52 points. Concordia trailed with 43 tallies. Then, in a dual meet with Norfolk, the Vikes tripped the Vikes tripped the Blackhawks 59-39. At the All-Lutheran meet at Midland, Dana copped a second. Midland took first place. So up to now the Vikings are undefeated in Conference competition and have met all schools but McCook and Nebraska Central. We aren't too sure what will come of this meet, but we will stick our necks out and say that all of you who can possibly make it had better take off and see it. Dana has an excellent track and field team this year, and there could be another trophy in the offing.

What Next???

We had just become accustomed to women wearing pants and flannel shirts when news came of the advent of football to the fairer sex. Then we had just gotten used to the idea that perhaps that girl we were taking to May Fest might happen to be more of a threat on the gridiron than we could ever hope to be when we happened to glance at the bulletin board in the girls' dorm. Now it's track. Isn't man safe anywhere? It used to be that a fellow could be pretty sure of himself. If you were chasing a girl, you could be fairly sure that you could catch her any time you felt like it. And you could be fairly sure that she knew it. Now you can't be sure of anything... except that you're very, very confused, and that women are very, very confusing.

Vikes Smash Luther 15-2 in Baseball Opener

The Viking baseball team opened its season last Saturday with a decisive 15-2 win over the Luther nine. The Vikings opened the game with a big five run first inning and coasted the rest of the way to win the game easy.

Bob Nelson was the big gun for the Vikings; he collected a homer and a single in four trips to the plate. Bud Robinson and Earl Pace each collected a couple of hits to aid the Viking cause. Robinson got two doubles in three trips to the plate, and Pace got two singles in four times at bat.

Luther's two lone tallies came in the second inning, when Lanick sent one of Bob Meyer's pitches into the center field corner for a homer. Johnson, who had reached first on a fielder's choice scored ahead of Lanick to give Luther their only runs of the game.

Bob Meyer, who was given credit for the victory, pitched good ball for five innings; allowed only three hits, walked two men, and struck out seven men. Cal Jorgensen, who pitched the last two innings allowed only one hit, walked two, and struck out three men.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	T.
Dana	5	0	0	7	3	0	0	15
Luther	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2

DANA

	ab.	r.	h.	o.	a.
Christensen ss	3	2	1	1	2
Kniep ss	1	0	0	0	0
Young 2b	1	2	1	2	1
Petersen 2b	2	0	1	0	0
Clements 1f	3	1	0	0	0
Jackson 3b	3	1	0	0	0
Conklin 3b	0	1	0	0	0
Madsen c	4	2	1	10	1
Robinson rf	3	2	2	0	0
Pace 1st b	1	0	0	0	0
Nelson cf	4	2	2	7	2
Meyer p	3	0	1	0	1
Jorgensen p	1	0	0	0	2
Totals	32	15	11	21	9

LUTHER

	ab.	r.	h.	o.	a.
Johnson	3	0	0	2	0
Onitka	3	0	1	2	1
Boquist	2	0	0	2	0
Tack	3	0	0	2	0
Benson	2	0	2	2	1
Englehardt	2	0	0	2	0
Westernberg	2	0	0	0	0
Johnsen	3	1	0	6	0
Lanick	3	1	1	0	0
Totals	23	2	4	18	2

E: Jorgensen, Tack, Benson, Johnson 2. RBI: Nelson 3, Madsen 2, Robinson 2, Clements, Jackson, Pace, Lanick 2. HR: Nelson, Lanick. 3b: Young. 2b: Robinson 2, Meyer. SB: Benson, Young, Nelson, Christensen, Jackson. HP: Clements. PB: Johnson 2. WP: Onitka 2. LB: Dana 4, Luther 2. DP: Jorgensen to Christensen to Pace. HO: Lanick 3, Onitka 8, Meyer 3, Jorgensen 1. SO: Lanick 1, Onitka 6, Meyer 7, Jorgensen 3. BB: Lanick 2, Onitka 3, Meyer 2, Jorgensen 2. Winning Pitcher Meyer. Losing Pitcher Lanick.

On the Wrong Track Or-Coed Confusion

By John Bradley

"Minerva," called the coy, demure, little 240 pound Dana coed as she emerged from hiding behind a pole vault stick which was at the Midland track meet, "What is this stick used for?" "I dunno," called Minerva, as she watched Edwin Hansen round the fifth lap of the two mile run. "Maybe those handsome trackmen carry it around so their big, bulging muscles will become even more developed."

"Isn't that Dudley Collier strong though. I wonder what he is doing with that little round ball?"

"I dunno," replied Minerva. "I think they call that the javelin."

"Say, Minerva—look at Paul Laursen jump. I'll bet he is the best broad jumper in the world. Look how high in the air he goes. What's that, Minerva, you say that Walt Kirkegaard set a shotput record with his throw of 6 feet ten inches. He must be awfully good. No, Minerva, don't ask Art Sorensen for a date. He's too busy playing with that thing he's carrying. What's that, Minerva, it's a Tom Mix secret capsule, no wonder those other men are trying to catch him. What's that, Minerva, you want to go because this is all so silly? I guess you're right. I hate to see that big powerful Jim Hansen get scared and run away like that. Let's go and have a malt."

Vikings Place Second In All-Lutheran Meet

Midland Takes Meet with 15 Point Edge; Athletes Smash Ten Marks

Dana's tracksters took a second place in all-Lutheran track meet at Fremont last Thursday afternoon. The Vikings were competing against athletes from Midland, Luther, and Concordia. The final score was: Midland 70, Dana 55, Concordia 42, and Luther 9.

Ten new records were set at this quadrangular meet. John Hansen broke the 100 and 220 yard dash records. His winning times were 10.4 seconds in the 100, and 23. seconds in the 220. The Danes mile relay team, composed of Wilbur Layman, Maynard Andersen, Paul Laursen, and Art Sorensen, broke the old meet record of 3:54.2, with a winning time of 3:46.3.

Other records broken included: Hank Nissen of Midland with a :15.4 in the 120 yard high hurdles and a :26.2 in the 220 yard low hurdles; Waak of Concordia with a 4:55 effort in the mile run; Bungee of Concordia with a leap of 20 feet 4 1/2 inches in the broad jump; Guenther of Concordia with a throw of 130 feet 10 inches in the discus; and Bales of Midland and Wilbert of Concordia with a jump of 6 feet in the high jump.

TRACK EVENTS

100 yd. dash—Won by John Hansen, Dana; second, Brenner, Midland; third, Hess, Midland; fourth, Hendricks, Concordia. Time 10.4 (New record)

220 yd. dash—Won by John Hansen, Dana; second, Laursen, Dana; third, Jim Hansen, Dana; fourth, Hendricks, Concordia. Time 23.6 (New record)

440 yd. dash—Won by Sturtevant, Midland; second, Sorensen, Dana; third, Laursen, Dana; fourth, Firnhaber, Concordia. Time 53.7

880 yd. run—Won by Hess, Midland; second, Hult, Luther; third, Waak, Concordia; fourth, Mengers, Dana. Time 2:08

1 mile run—Won by Waak, Concordia; second, Coffey, Dana; third, Pickney, Midland; fourth, Kneppel, Concordia. Time 4:55.1 (New record)

2 mile run—Won by Coffey, Dana; second, Sturtevant, Midland; third, Darr, Midland; fourth, Pickney, Midland. Time 11:13

220 yd. low hurdles—Won by Nissen, Midland; second, Bungee, Concordia; third, Stricker, Dana; fourth, Christensen, Dana. Time 26.2 (New record)

120 yd. high hurdles—Won by Nissen, Midland; second, Eaton, Midland; third, Bungee, Concordia; fourth, Robinson, Dana. Time 15.4 (New record)

Mile relay—Won by Dana (Layman, Andersen, Laursen, Sorensen); second, Midland; third, Concordia; fourth, Luther. Time 3:46.3 (New record)

880 relay—Won by Midland (Nissen, Lusche, Rathkamp, Brenner); second, Dana; third, Concordia; fourth, Luther. Time 1:38.4

FIELD EVENTS

Shotput—Won by Allen, Dana; second, Papstein, Midland; third, Sucha, Midland; fourth, Everts, Concordia. Distance 39 1/2" (New record)

Discus—Won by Guenther, Concordia; second, Allen, Dana; third, Berkley, Midland; fourth, Einsphar, Concordia. Distance 130'10" (New record)

Javelin—Won by Bachmann, Concordia; second, Nissen, Midland; third, Albright, Midland; fourth, Berkley, Midland. Distance 149'10"

Broad jump—Won by Bungee, Concordia; second, Robinson, Dana; third, Nissen, Midland; fourth, Jacobs, Concordia. Distance 20'4 3/4" (New record)

Pole vault—Tie for first between Crofoot, Midland, and Johnson, Luther; tie for third between Laursen, Dana, and Darr, Midland. Height 10'4"

High jump—Tie for first between cordia; tie for third between Robinson, Bales, Midland, and Wilbert, Conson, Dana, and Nissen, Dana. Height 6' (New record)

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Indian Relics Discovered By Robert R. Jones

Work in the study of the unwritten record that the Indians left behind them is again being opened under the auspices of Dana College. Robert R. Jones, a former State Archaeologist of Pennsylvania, who joined the Dana faculty last fall as professor of Sociology, is directing the work, aided by Dana students.

Some years ago there was some worthwhile archaeological work carried on in Washington County. This was under the direction of Dr. A. T. Hill, the director of the State Historical Museum. Rich finds of pottery and of unusual and elaborate ceremonial pipes, as well as other Indian materials were found in sites less than five miles from the Blair city limits. These relics are now among the featured exhibits at the museum.

On recent field trips, Mr. Jones, accompanied by several Dana students, examined some of the sites that had been previously excavated by Dr. Hill. The group, with the aid of Mr. H. E. Custer, who has collected materials in this area for several years investigated exposed faces of river banks for evidences of village or camp sites. One such site was found at a depth of over eleven feet. Pieces of animal bone and flakes of stone indicating manufacture of stone tools were found. Another site which has a very promising mound with a village site nearby is less than a mile from the campus.

Added encouragement were the leads and information supplied by Mr. Reed O'Hanlon, Jr., editor of Blair's Pilot Tribune, Mr. Edward Vlcek of Omaha, Mr. Lippincott of Blair, and many other local enthusiasts. The cooperation of others interested in the work and information supplied by them is making excellent prospects for a good start this spring. The work is then to be continued next fall.

Every Day is Mother's Day

--- Phyllis Hanson

One Sunday in May is set aside for mother's day, and perhaps that is a good idea. It brings to us a formal recognition of mother. Yet, it is difficult to have a true mother's day. Too often it becomes some sentimental outward expression that is not of value and does not really help anyone to remember what a wonderful and important person a mother is. It is an occasion to send a card or perhaps write one of the too infrequent letters that we mail home. Aside from that it is just another Sunday.

It is repetition of a very old idea to say that it should be Mother's day every day. However, we should keep that idea in mind. It is well to be considerate of Mother every day. It is the little things that make a mother's day. A thank you for dinner, a compliment on a cake, a little extra help or cheerful help with her work, all of those help to make a true mother's day.

I'm for a "treat your mother as a person" day. Too often, mother is not an individual at all, but just someone that is around and is quite handy to have there. She does a lot for us, and in the back of our mind we know it, but it seems that everyone else is entitled to the first consideration. That can't be done only one Sunday a year. It can't be done by a card or a letter. It can't even be done by remembering all the little things and being grateful. It's a Mother's Day that makes Mother feel like she is someone that matters. This "treat your mother as a person" day might make Mother's day a true one. It might even extend throughout the year. At any rate, it's worth trying.

Glee Club Musically Represents College



Men's Glee Club, Don Poh, Director

Group Directed by Poh Well Received

Seventeen members of the Dana College Glee Club, directed by Don Poh, appeared on the program "WOW Calling" during the 12:00-1:00 p.m. Omaha radio show Saturday, April 23.

This appearance climaxed a busy week during which the songsters presented nine concerts in Iowa and Nebraska.

On Thursday, April 21, concerts were given before Iowa high school students at Missouri Valley, Logan, Woodbine and Dow City. That evening a fifth concert was given in the Harlan Lutheran Church, the Rev. S. S. Kaldahl, pastor.

Tuesday, April 19, concerts were given before Nebraska high school students at Decatur, Tekamah, Lyons and Oakland. Approximately 1000 students heard the programs, a part of the college public relations plan.

Following each high school appearance, the singers found themselves the object of enthused "bobby soxers" who clamored for autographs and smiles from the college men.

Vocal solos by Paul Johnsen and trumpet solos by Allen Nygaard, accompanied by Jim Sorensen, and piano solos by student director Don Poh were highlights of the programs.

Norman C. Bansen, public relations director, and Professors A. J. Snowbeck and Arthur Ranheim spoke briefly before the audiences.

The National Luther League convention at Albert Lea last weekend was the scene of one of the latest glee club concerts. Director Poh and his organization accepted an invitation from the student body to musically represent the college at the convention. Students voted \$45 to help defray travel expenses of the singing group.

Don Poh, who organized the glee club during the spring 1948, has skillfully blended the voices, taking full advantage of the high spirit and heartiness of the group to present programs which songfully express fresh robust male voices in songs of vigor and of sentiment.

Don has received application papers for admission to the Fred Waring Music Workshop, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Penn., an opportunity which he hopes to make use of during the summer.

Tom and Ruth Blanchard Present Original Program at Last Lyceum Of 48-49 Season

Tom and Ruth Blanchard, well known local artists, presented a program April 25 which marked the end of the 1948-49 lyceum series. The program, which was perhaps the closest we of the present Dana generation will ever get to vaudeville, was a mixture of concert singing, characterizations, readings and romantic duets.

The musical highlight of the evening was afforded by a group of songs presented by Mrs. Blanchard. Her opening selection was a modern work entitled "Revelation." Among this group, Mrs. Blanchard's rendition of "I Was the Tree," proved so moving and artistically beautiful that it seemed almost out of place in the otherwise light and secular program.

Many humorous characterizations proved that the Blanchards were artists off the stage as well as of

the musical world. The small Dana audience called for several encores of these humorous presentations. Mr. Blanchard's portrayal of a Main hotel keeper and a New York salesman showed his mastery of dialogue and showmanship. The program was concluded with the romantic "Blue Room" sung in duet by the entertainers.

Two Danians Will Serve on Youth Board of L. L.

The creation of a lay-leaguer serving as Vice President of the synodical Luther League saw Art Sorensen elected to the office.

Art, a pre-seminary student, has a long record in Luther League work, as well as an active member of L.S.A. on the Dana campus. He was elected to succeed Rev. Aster Neve and will assume his new duties immediately.

Ray Johnson will be entrusted with the finances of the organization to succeed Archie Madsen. Ray is also a long time member of the Luther League having served in various capacities.

In addition to the specified duties of the newly elected, they will function as members of the Synodical Youth Board which will administer the course of action of the League for the coming four years.

Spring Music Festival To Be Sunday Night

Two of Dana's newest musical organizations, the Chorus and the Band, will combine to present the annual spring music festival Sunday evening at 8 o'clock in the college auditorium. Prof. Melvin J. Widman will direct the Dana College Chorus, which has sung concerts in several Nebraska communities this year and is scheduled to appear in Omaha this month. The program consists of both sacred and secular music.

The director of the chorus is professor of voice at Dana and is an experienced and recognized choral conductor and a concert and oratorio tenor who sings with artistry and authority.

Brilliant marches and Tschai-kowsky's Andante Cantabile from Symphony Number 5 will be featured in the portion of the music festival to be presented by the Dana College Band. Prof. Paul E. Neve, who organized this group last fall, will direct. A brass sextette will play two selections.

Solo numbers will be sung by DeNee McBride, soprano, Kenmare, N.Dak., and John Lassen, tenor, Brush, Colo.

Science Workshop To Benefit from Graduating Students

Traditionally, students receiving degrees and certificates from Dana College and Trinity Seminary give a gift to the school. This year, instead of one individual gift, money will be given to the new science department workshop.

Four year graduates will each give ten dollars while one and two year certificate holders will contribute five dollars each. The total amount between four and five hundred dollars will make possible the beginning of this proposed workshop.

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