

# The Hermes

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## Langenfeld Resigns Hermes Job; New Editor is Sought

The Hermes is looking for a new editor today as a result of action taken by Tom Langenfeld yesterday. In a note given student body president Jim Clemon, Langenfeld announced his resignation from the newspaper staff.

He explained that an unexpected poor grade in one course made the resignation necessary, but declined to enlarge upon this saying: "I'm afraid many people would misunderstand the position of the faculty member involved if I was to explain the situation from my point of view. At this time I do not know definitely what my final grades will be or what their effect will be on my participation in extracurricular activities, but one thing is plain even now, something has to give. This time I'm afraid it will have to be the Hermes."

Langenfeld went on to say that by resigning he felt he "would be saving the administration a lot of red tape."

## Campus Calendar

Friday, Jan. 27

Fine Arts Club movie, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 28

Benefit game for Wayne Armer. Dana vs. Nebraska-Iowa Officials Association team, 8 p.m.

## Student Union Plans Made; Costs Estimated

Rough drawings of the proposed student union area in the gym basement have been completed and estimates on building materials have been received it was reported at a Student Council meeting last Monday evening.

President Jim Clemon said that sketches of the area would be posted to give students some idea of what is to be done. Jon Petersen reported the quantity of knotty pine paneling necessary for construction would cost about \$150.

## Fine Arts Club To Show Movie Tonite

"The Devil and Daniel Webster" will be shown this evening at 7:30 in PM chapel, sponsored by the Fine Arts Club. Admission is 25 cents.

A staff meeting will be held immediately to decide on re-organization procedures. Langenfeld has suggested an editorial board to carry on the publication of the paper and has recommended Marilyn Ward, Barbara Peterson, Margaret Meyer, Milan Johnson and Pete Smith for positions on the board.

## Pep Club Wants New Members Now

Red sweaters with white collars have been purchased by the Pep Club, and worn for the first time at the Dana-Midland game Tuesday.

Students wishing to join the club are invited to do so within the next two weeks. The club currently lists about 25 members.

## Smith, Kaldahl Will Argue In Midland Debate Meet Today

Dana debaters Paul Kaldahl and Peter Smith will try for the fourth time to participate in their first debate of the year as they travel to a Midland invitational speech tournament Friday. Three previous debates have been curtailed or cancelled.

More than twenty colleges from Nebraska, Minnesota, South Dakota and Iowa will compete at Midland for top recognition in both debate and extemporaneous speaking.

Kaldahl and Smith will argue alternately affirmative and negative on the 1956 national debate topic, "Resolved: that the non-agricultural industries of the United States should guarantee their employees an annual wage."

Last November plans to participate in a Wayne State College speech contest were cancelled because of hazardous driving conditions. Then, shortly before the Christmas holidays an Omaha University debate meet, in which the Dana debate squad was involved, was cut short by the mysterious murder of an Omaha debater.

Earlier this month a tentative match with Westmar College was called off.

## Men With White Canes Hold Benefit For Armer

Tomorrow night at 8 p.m. members of the Nebraska-Iowa Officials Association will invade the Dana campus when a picked association cage team will attempt to give the Dana varsity a few lessons in basketball, and at the same time extend a generous hand to Dana coach Wayne Armer.

Armer, sidelined by polio shortly before the first football game last fall, is making an inspiring recovery from the disease which temporarily paralyzed him.

## William Christensen Named History Prof.

Mr. William Christensen has been appointed instructor in history at Dana College for the second semester. He will teach the courses that were offered by the late Dr. H. F. Swansen.

A native of Columbus, Nebr., Christensen last year held a teaching assistantship at the University of Nebraska, where he received the M.A. degree in history in 1955. He holds the B.A. degree from Midland College.

During the summer of 1950 he was in Europe for special study in the field of international relations. Christensen travelled extensively in the Caribbean area during the last of two tours of duty with the Navy.

Phil Pagel has been entered in a special competition involving the presentation of original orations.

## Spiritual Emphasis Topics Announced

Dr. C. C. Madsen has announced the daily Spiritual Emphasis Topics to be given by Pastor Clarence J. Carlsen of Minneapolis, Minnesota, beginning Sunday, Feb. 5.

Sunday morning Pastor Carlsen will speak on "Truth In the Inward Being," and on Sunday evening, "He Came Anyway."

During the week morning topics will be: Monday, "Great Little People," Tuesday, "The Cross In Fear and Tension," and Wednesday, "The Megaphones of God." Evening messages scheduled are: Monday, "Spiritual Chain Reaction," Tuesday, "Youth With Commonplace of Christ."

All meetings, except the Sunday morning services, are in PM chapel. The morning sessions begin at the regular chapel time, 9:50, and the evening services at 7:30.

Blair newspaper man, promoter and former Dana coach, Rufus Olsen suggested the benefit contest and figures it's a good way for Armer's many friends to do something for the young mentor.

Armer has resumed his duties as instructor of physical education, and owns big plans for his track squad, hoping to coax the cindermen to another conference championship this spring.

## Armer Determined

He has made remarkable progress toward rehabilitating himself, being able to walk without assistance after being helped to a standing position. However, the same drive and determination which has made Armer's encouraging recovery possible, may have been part of the reason his attack was as severe as it was.

Instead of easing up when he first felt ill, passing up his symptoms as sore muscles or flu, Armer taught classes, coached football and attended a local football game the day before he was taken to Omaha for observation.

Doctors have told him that if his fever had continued even a matter of minutes longer, during the crisis of the disease, the muscles of his right side would have been permanently paralyzed. Armer is gradually building up the amount of weight he is able to use in exercising his weakened right arm.

## Officials Have Stars

Representing the officials tomorrow night will be former court stars who have since retired to coaching and officiating. Association members will pay their way into the game and will provide referees for the contest.

Tickets sell for one dollar.

## Exchange Program Used By Seminary

Dr. Edward J. Mattson, professor at Central Seminary of Fremont, will lecture to the Trinity students and faculty Wednesday at 10:20 a. m.

The lecture is part of an exchange program being carried out between the two seminaries. Dr. C. C. Madsen lectured at Central twice during the past two months.

The Rev. Mr. Mattson will deliver a second lecture in the latter part of February and will also speak in morning chapel at that time.

# Individuals Are Building Blocks in Making Peace

Romans 12:16-18 live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; never be concited. Repay no one evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If possible, so far as it depends upon you, live peaceably with all.

This advice written to the church at Rome by St. Paul has enduring value. It is as true for us today as it was for the people of his own day.

A harmony in human relationships requires social cooperation. The principles and actions which contribute to harmony and peacefulness must be practiced by everyone. If all men would think and act in a spirit of humility and consideration, leaving all judgment and condemnation to God, there would be more peace in the world than there is today.

### First Individual Peace

There would be more peace on a personal level. Individual lives would be more satisfying and less upset by fear, distrust, envy and malice. Peace on the individual level would build peace on a national and international level.

The important building blocks are individuals. Only when people as individuals learn to be humble and live in harmony with their neighbor will society and nations realize any degree of harmony, for they are made up of individuals.

Some of us have been quite blessed with talents and friends and possessions, but we must remember not to judge others by merely superficial standards. Among the people of the earth the poor and the lowly have much worth, especially in the eyes of their maker. Who are we, the more fortunate to look down upon them or be proud?

### Only One Way

Our own righteousness is as filthy rags before the Lord. We, as well as all mankind, face the same dilemma when it comes to our standing before that Lord. There is but One Way for both the proud and the humble, and this way is much harder found by the proud.

As a man thinks, so he is. If we are constantly concerned with righting the wrongs done to us by others, our lives will become selfish and shallow. That we will at times be treated shabbily and perhaps cruelly by others is inevitable. But if we submit these trials and burdens unto the Lord and devote ourselves to what is right and good and beautiful, we will find that peace which passes all human understanding.

A little self control and self-understanding would help us con-happiness and the happiness of tribute so much more to our own others. How many irresponsible things we say or do hurt other

people and cause them unhappiness. Many could be avoided. Sometimes events will happen that we can do nothing about. Others may say or do things un-thoughtfully, causing unrest and unhappiness. All that lies for us to do is to live in peace with all as far as that depends on us.

Barbara Peterson

# Snooping Around Other Campuses

### Phone-A-Date

Kalamazoo, Mich. — (ACP)— Men at a Western Michigan College dormitory recently came up with a plan to increase dating on campus. Hearing that a large number of girls went home on weekends because they didn't have dates, they arranged dates for any girl who called during the weekend.

The dormitory men expected some replies, but nothing like the reaction they got. The offer appeared in the school paper and calls started coming in soon after it had been distributed. In all, 147 girls called and 95 dates were arranged.

As a matter of fact, Walwood Hall ran out of available men and had to send out an S.O.S. to other men's dormitories. Some men were even brought in from off-campus.

### The Padding Technique

Emory, Va. — (ACP) — The White Topper of Emory and Henry Colleges has given a few hints on "How to Pass a Course Without Studying."

Laugh at the professor's jokes. This is practically S.O.P. for students, and the art of laughing at old jokes should be a pre-requisite to college courses. Instruction for the best laughing techniques are:

A. Pretend not to catch on at first.

B. Look thoughtful for a moment.

C. Break into a healthy chuckle, followed by a loud guffaw if you deem it necessary

If you must nap in class, do not do it behind an open textbook, as this strategy is too old and too often used. Instead use paper eyes which are available for this purpose and which can

# Letter to the Editor

Lately there has been some discussion as to rules of intramural basketball. On November 16, of last year a meeting of all captains and managers or coaches was called. At this meeting it was agreed that (1) after November 20 no more players could be added to the rosters; (2) eight players was the absolute limit; (3) games would be played in 20 minute halves with the clock running continuously until the last run as in a regulation game.

At the end of the regular season another meeting will be called to discuss tournament plans.

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# Midland Outlasts Vikings In Thriller Here Tuesday

Dana's hoopsters turned a miserable first half into a thriller but lost in the end anyway, 74-72, to a visiting Midland squad Tuesday.

Dana backers were hopeful early in the game when Warrior big gun Marshall Farley picked up his third foul with the score a scant 10-8 in Midland's favor. But the 6'3" senior from Misouri Valley, Iowa managed to hand on well into the second half scoring 21 points to pace the Fremonters.

Dana's offense stalled noticeably in the first half and the Vikes trailed Midland, 42-30, at intermission, despite Bill Davis' late eight point spurt.

Mark Thompson, held to two free throws during the first half, had no trouble at all hitting in the second period. Bob Jensen managed to foul out Farley and picked up a few points of his own in the process.

Midland held a lead that fluctuated between 6 and 12 points with three minutes left to play for most of the first half, and the Warriors held a 10 point advantage.

Trying a partial stall, the visitors lost six quick points to the Vikes and with two minutes to play the Vikes found themselves within one point of Midland, 70-69.

A foul and a technical foul charged against Dana iced the final Viking three point surge contest for the Warriors and a left the score at 74-72.

Jensen was the evening's top scorer with 22 points. Davis had 18 and Thompson 15 for Dana.

## Cage Schedule

### HOME

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## Mark Thompson Peps Solid Dana Victory

Paced by former all-stater Mark Thompson, Dana cancelled a December defeat as they up-ended Buena Vista last Friday, 93-72, heer. Thompson, in his first appearance with the varsity, lived up to advance notice sinking a 20 foot jump shot on his first offensive effort mid-way in the first half, and going on to score 31 points before retiring late in the final period.

Buena Vista couldn't muster much of an attack all evening and its defense was shattered by the confident Vikes. For once Dana held an overall height advantage and made use of it under the boards.

Backing up Thompson was Bill Davis with 18, Bob Jensen 13 and Larrie Stone with 11. Coach Paul Peterson used everyone before the contest was over as the Vikings produced their most convincing victory of the season.

## Tired Vikes Slip To Sterling Quint

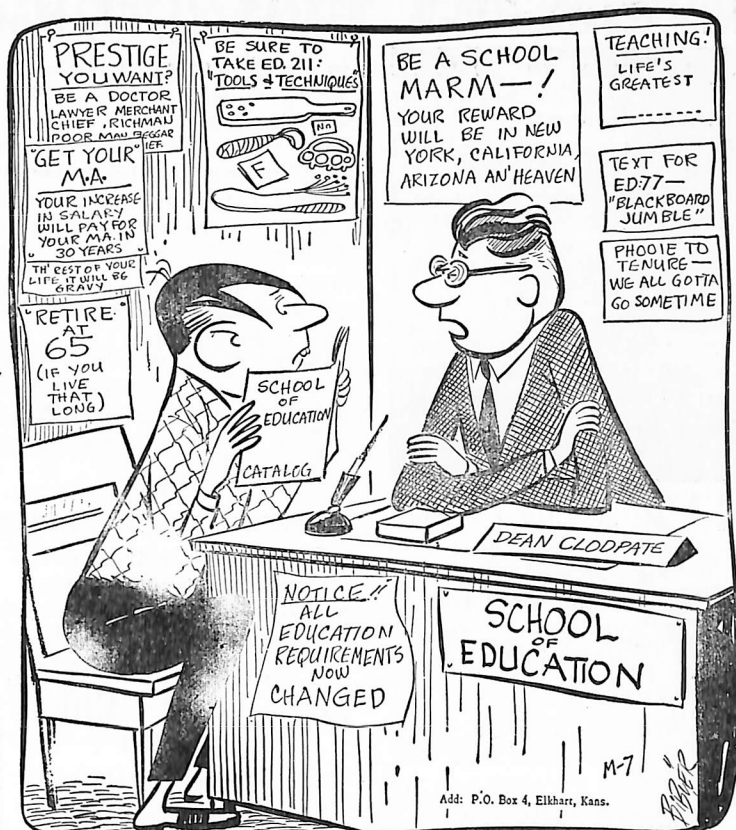
Dana's cagers had their win-loss record cut to six and five Saturday when they were upset by a surprising Sterling, Kansas, quint, 74-72, on a basket in the final 10 seconds of play.

The Red and White, perhaps a little weary from action the previous evening and the long trip south, came up with a fouling spree that may have cost them their seventh win. Officials called over twice as many fouls on the Vikes as on the host Kansans. With ten seconds left a Sterling player managed a lay-up which s-un undecidedly on the rim for a couple of precious seconds before dropping through. Dana had time only for a length of the floor desperation shot which bounced off the back board.

For the second night in a row Mark Thompson topped Viking scoring this time with 19 markers. Bob Jensen and Fritz Youra each contributed 14.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

by Dick Bibler



"YOU LEARN TEACHING TH' FIRST YEAR THEN YOU STUDY VOCATIONS THREE YEARS TO QUALIFY YOU FOR THAT EXTRA JOB TO MAKE A LIVING."

## In Intramurals

Following Wednesday night's games the intramural standings looked something like this:

| Team             | Wins | Losses | Pct.  |
|------------------|------|--------|-------|
| Milt's Maniacs   | 4    | 0      | 1.000 |
| Firehouse Five   | 4    | 1      | .800  |
| George's Rackers | 2    | 2      | .500  |
| Vikingettes      | 2    | 1      | .500  |
| Worms            | 2    | 2      | .500  |
| Kool Kats        | 2    | 2      | .500  |
| Hornets          | 1    | 1      | .500  |
| Scumbags         | 1    | 2      | .333  |
| Seminary         | 0    | 3      | .000  |
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Accompanied by a Marine Sergeant, a Navy Medical Officer, and a Navy Chief, the Major will discuss the several Marine officer programs available to eligible college students.

Students interested in obtaining commissioned rank in the Marine Corps after graduation from college are encouraged to contact the team while they are on campus.

Information and literature may be obtained either from the Dean's office or the college librarian prior to the team's visit. If they so desire, students may write directly to the Marine Officer US Court House, 811 Grand Ave-Procurement Office, Room 420, nue, Kansas City, Missouri, for complete details.

### Students Give Up Thumbing; Fly Now

Burbank, Calif.—An estimated nine per cent of the nation's record-breaking air coach passenger traffic last year was composed of college and university students, it was disclosed recently in a survey by North American Airlines

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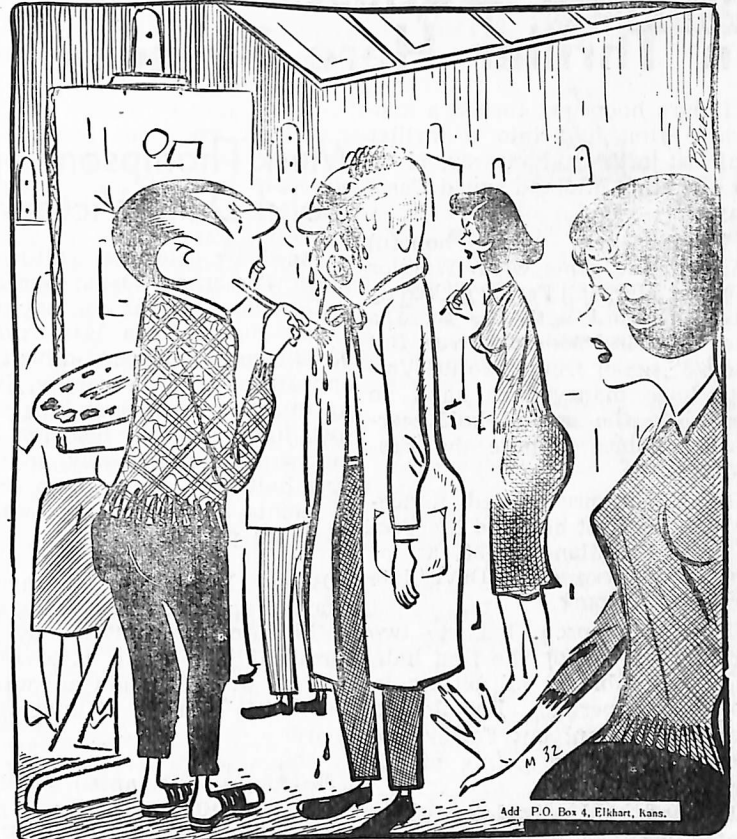
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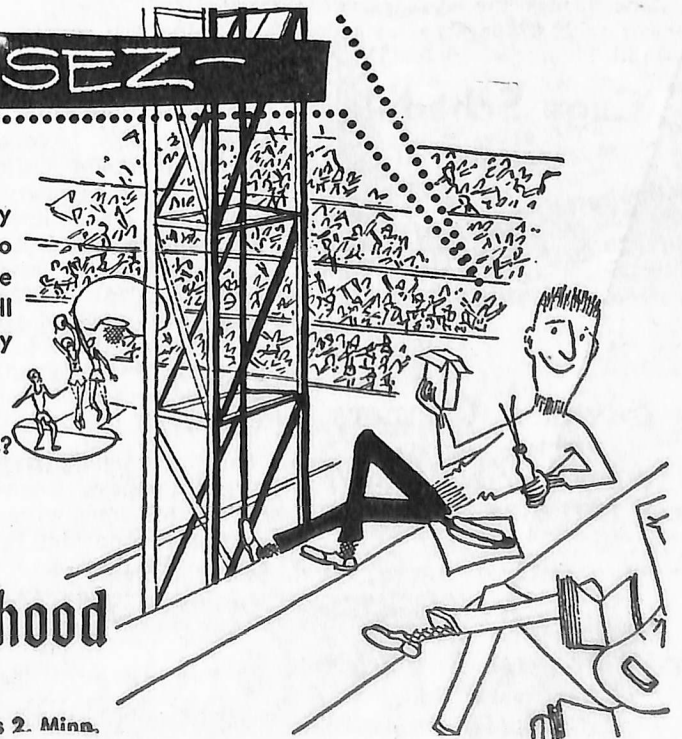
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