

YR Delegates Tell Highlights of Trip

Seniors Peter Smith and Harry Landbo returned early Monday morning from the Young Republican Training Conference held in Washington, D. C. January 27-31.

Among the speakers at the week-long training session were Vice-President Richard M. Nixon; Secretary of Agriculture Benson; Secretary of the Interior Seaton; Secretary of Labor Mitchell; Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare Folsom, and Senator Goldwater from Arizona.

White House Visit

Two highlights of the conference were a visit to the White House where the delegates personally met Mrs. Eisenhower, and the opportunity for them to meet Vice-President Nixon.

Tuesday morning the Nebraska delegates had breakfast in the senate section of the Capitol with the six senators and representatives from Nebraska.

Secretary of the Interior Seaton, whose home is in Hastings, Nebraska, invited all the delegates from Nebraska to his office for coffee Thursday morning.

250 At Conference

The Young Republican organization includes in its membership all interested persons up to 35 years of age.

In addition to one delegate each from Hawaii and Alaska, the young people came from every state in the union.

A total of 250 YR's attended the conference, about 100 of which were college students.

Campus Calendar

Tonight

"Cry, the Beloved Country," film sponsored by Fine Arts Club, PM chapel, 7:30 p.m.

Tomorrow

Basketball. Midland here.

Sunday, Feb. 9

Dana Open House for Blair community, 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 11

Basketball. Wesleyan here.

Lutheran Students At Regional Confo.

Representatives of Dana's LSA will attend the LSAA Midwinter Training Conference which is being held this weekend at Bethany College, Lindsborg, Kansas.

Theme of the annual conference is "Christ Confronts the Campus."

The Rev. Verlyn O. Smith, college pastor at Augustana College, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, will be the keynote speaker.

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Our Blairite Neighbors Will Tour Dana Campus Sunday

Dana will hold Open House for the Blair community Sunday afternoon from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m.

The program will include a tour of the campus, musical numbers by the Dana band and a group of singers from the madrigal organization, and dances by the costumed Danish folk dancers.

Purpose of the Open House is

Deputation Group Travels to Kansas

Leaving for Kansas City tomorrow is a Dana deputation team. The group will present a program at Westwood Lutheran Church, The Rev. Clarence Paulsen, pastor.

Members of the team include the speaker, Jim Rasmussen, and accompanist Pat Andersen.

Students singing in the quartet are Sharol Crandall, Carol Petersen, Everett Johnson, and Elliott Nielsen.

Board Member Is Author of Article

"Humor and the Christian," an article by Dana Board of Trustees member Byron J. Langenfeld, appears in the February issue of *One* magazine.

In addition to his work as executive at Racine Hydraulics and Machinery, Inc., Mr. Langenfeld writes gags for cartoonists of national fame.

One of the cartoon features for which Mr. Langenfeld provides ideas is "Dennis the Menace" by Hank Ketcham.

A graduate of Dana, Mr. Langenfeld was editor-in-chief of the *Hermes* during his student years. His son Tom, a 1957 graduate, was sports editor on the *Hermes* staff and also served as editor-in-chief.

Making campus newspaper work a family tradition is Janet Langenfeld, a Dana sophomore who is national advertising manager on the *Hermes* staff this year.

A copy of *One* magazine in which Mr. Langenfeld's article is featured is available in the library.

to give residents of Blair the opportunity to view the improvements that have been made on the Dana campus within recent years and to invite their interest and support in the Dana Development campaign.

Refreshments will be served to the visitors at the close of the program.

Fine Arts Club To Show Film Tonigh'

"Cry, the Beloved Country," a movie based on a novel by Alan Paton, will be shown this evening at 7:30 in PM chapel.

Sponsor of the showing is the Fine Arts Club.

A review in *Time* magazine hails the movie as "little less than brilliant." The picture is Alan Paton's own screen translation of his poignant novel of Negro-white collisions in South Africa.

The power of the movie lies in the relationship established between the Negro minister, whose son is to be hanged for murder, and the white father of the murdered boy.

Stars in the film are Canada Lee, Charles Carson, and Sidney Poitier.

Admission charge for the evening is 50 cents, which will go toward meeting the cost for rental of the film.

Dr. Howard V. Hong Is Speaker During Spiritual Emphasis Week

Guest lecturer for the Spiritual Emphasis meetings held this week was Dr. Howard V. Hong, chairman of the philosophy department of St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota.

Dr. Hong is a graduate of St. Olaf and received his Ph.D. from the University of Minnesota. He has also done graduate work at the University of Copenhagen and at the British Museum.

Kierkegaard Enthusiast

An author and translator, Dr. Hong has written *The Boy Who Fought With Kings, Muskego Boy, and This World and the Church*. He has translated Soren Kierkegaard's *For Self Examination and Selections*.

In 1953, Dr. Hong received the J. A. O. Preus Award for Humanitarian service.

Lecture Topics

Topics which Dr. Hong used during the three-day session were "Who Am I?", "Conformity or Non-Conformity," "Expediency or Obedience," and "Occupation or Vocation."

Special music was a part of all the services, and there were student-led devotions each evening.

26 Danians Rank As Honor Students

Listed on the honor roll for the first semester of 1957-58 are 26 students.

Don Jorgensen ranks highest on the list with an average of 8.68. Placing a close second is Jim Thomsen with an 8.67 average. Richard Jorgensen is in third place with an average of 8.34.

Others on the honor roll are Dorothy Schultz, Delores Petersen, Sharon Petersen, William Himmler, Joanne West, Arlyce Fuchs, Emory Anderson, Keith Elliott, Janet Langenfeld.

James Nymann, Janet Nielsen, Charlotte Sorensen, Mary Jo Andrews, Marlene Pedersen, Janice Plath, Margaret Nielsen, Gerald Martin, Joan Coffey, Jeanette Paulsen, Nina King, Brenda Francis, Marvyn Olson, and Joyce Stitt.

A student must maintain an average of 7.50 or over for the semester in order to be eligible for the honor roll. Any grade of 3 or less makes him ineligible.

Hanson Will Steer Wartburg Philosophy

Former Dana instructor Dr. Clifford T. Hanson has been named head of the philosophy department at Wartburg College, Waverly, Iowa.

Dr. Hanson will begin his duties at Wartburg in the fall of 1958.

Instructor at Dana from 1949 to 1956, Dr. Hanson is at present head of the philosophy department at Willamette University, Salem, Oregon.

Dr. Hanson is an ordained minister in the UELC and served the Underwood, Iowa parish for five years.

Take No Thought For The Morrow . . . Now Is the Accepted Time

There are two days in every week about which we should not worry—two days which should be kept free from any fear or apprehension. One of these days is yesterday, with its mistakes and cares, its aches and pains, its faults and blunders.

Yesterday has passed forever beyond our control. All the money in the world cannot bring it back; we cannot undo a single act we performed; we cannot erase a single word we said; we cannot correct a single mistake. It has passed forever beyond recall.

The other day we should not worry about is tomorrow, with its possible adversities, its burdens, its large promise and poor performance. Tomorrow also is beyond our immediate control. Tomorrow's sun will rise either in splendor or behind a mass of clouds, but it will rise. Until it does, it is as yet unborn.

That leaves us but one day—today! Man can fight the battles of just one day.

Yesterday and tomorrow are futile worries. We cannot change yesterday nor begin tomorrow until it is here. So it is left for us to make every day, the today, the best that can be.

It's A Dog's Life, Says Odin

Oh dear! Who do you suppose that can be? If it's that boy again . . . if I get hauled down to that gym again . . . if I have to sit and listen to all those crazy people yelling again . . . Oh no!

Here he comes and he's got that white outfit on again. There's that chain.

Trip, trip, trip, trip, trip . . . pause . . . trip, trip, trip, trip . . . pause . . . trip, trip.

"Oh, I wish there weren't so many trees between here and the gym." Come now, Worm, I'm really not that bad.

Now I'll get herded into the

gym and then all I'll hear will be, "Sit, Odin. Stay, Odin. Sit down, Odin."

I wish those crazy people didn't have to clap so much and whistle right in my ear. Oh, there goes that band again.

Why don't those people find a seat and sit down in it? Sit down, man. Stay, man. Sit still, man. They just get settled and then up they jump, walk all over me, just to be back in a minute and start all over. And they tell me to sit still.

Oh boy! Here come the fellows out onto the floor. Good enough, now we'll see some action.

Boy, that one there. Not much meat on him but it looks like he's got some mighty tasty bones. Ummm.

There goes that confounded whistle. I s'pose I'll have to listen to that all night, too.

Hey, what's all the excitement? What happened? What? We won? Ohh boy, we won, we won! Guess it was worth it after all. I can hardly wait for the next game.

What? Yah, I'm ready. Let's go.

Noted Scholar Reveals How To Take Concise Class Notes

How To Take Notes: The Prof Says:

The class Friday will probably be the most important of the year since we will throw it open to discussion of the main problems which we have met throughout the course. Roll will not be called."

Chapter VI is not required reading, but the student will find it of inestimable worth in better understanding the field and in stimulating his interest along those lines.

Probably the greatest quality of the poetry of John Milton, who was born in 1608, is the combination of beauty and power. Few have excelled him in the use of the English language or in the lucidity of verse form. Many say "Paradise Lost" is the greatest poem ever written.

Monday there will be a list of questions on the board. You will have 30 minutes to answer them. The remainder of the period will be spent in discussing the problems. The quiz will not be graded; it will serve only as an indication of how you are coming along in the course.

The examination will be essay type and you may use your books and notes.

You Write:

No class Friday.

Omit Chapter VI

Milt—1608.

No class Monday.

No crib.

—Adapted from *Compact Magazine*

Timely Reflections From Pen Of Our First Hermes Editor

Virility is a rare quality. Two thousand years ago, the noted philosopher walked in 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 it. The man, who is a man, is not in every respect governed by the prevalent 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.

EDITOR'S NOTE: This month, *Hermes* is 40 years old. As part of the observance of this anniversary, we are re-printing the "Reflections" that appeared in the first issue of the *Hermes* in February, 1918.

The author of these Reflections, who was also co-editor of the first *Hermes*, is Anders Jorgensen. The Rev. Jorgensen is now a retired minister living in Denmark.

The other parent of the *Hermes* is Dr. C. B. Larsen, a former Trinity Seminary professor who resides in Blair.

"Reflections" is the first of a series of four which will be published during this anniversary month.

A special six-page anniversary issue will be printed in the spring.

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If more students are interested in bowling, they may sign up as substitutes by getting in touch with Milt Jensen.

Bowling Teams

The Holy Rollers

Tom Nielsen, capt.
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Terry's Terrors

Terry Hess, capt.
Joanne West
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Dave R. Larsen

Dana Drops Game With Peru Bobcats

Dana Vikings went down to their ninth conference defeat at the hands of the Peru State Bobcats 71-46.

The Bobcats completely controlled the first half. Holding a 16-9 first quarter lead, Peru pulled to a 35-18 lead at half time.

Peru Leads

With the opening of the second half, the Vikings led by Mark Thompson moved within 12 points of Peru. However, the stronger Peru club managed to cool off Dana, and held a 53-39 third quarter score.

The fourth quarter saw most of the same tactics, as Peru continued to rebound and shoot for a 71-46 score.

Mark Thompson led Dana with 16 points, followed by Ron Huston and Bill Davis each scoring 8 points.

High point men for Peru were Ron Witt with 17 points and Jon Applegat with 14 points.

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Victory For Vikes In Westmar Game

Dana Vikings broke a three game losing streak by defeating Westmar 77-72 in a five minute overtime period.

Westmar took an early 11-5 lead, with Dana slowly trying to close the margin. The Vikings managed mid-way through the first half to go ahead 20-19 on a tip-in by Dick Jensen. Field marshal Bill Davis then scored two quick shots, giving Dana its widest margin of points, 24-19.

Trailing at Half

The Vikings weren't able to keep this lead and had to settle for a 37-36 half-time score in favor of Westmar.

Dana led throughout most of the second half, spotting a 65-61 advantage with less than 30 seconds remaining. However, Westmar came back to score, making it 65-63. Capitalizing on a bad, out-of-bounds play, Wayne DeJager scored the tying basket.

Victory in Overtime

During the five minute overtime, Davis and Mark Thompson each scored four points, with Ron Huston and Bob Hannon each scoring two. The Vikings then stalled their way to a 77-72 victory.

Davis finished the game with 26 points, followed by Jensen with 21. High scorer for Westmar was DeJager with 24 points.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

By Dick Bibler



"YES I KNOW YOU HAVE THE SAME ANSWERS AS SMITH - YOUR ANSWERS ARE WRONG BECAUSE YOU TOOK A DIFFERENT TEST."

Remaining Schedule

- Feb. 8 Midland — Here
- 11 Wesleyan — Here
- 14 Midland — There
- 21 Hastings — There
- 22 Kearney — There
- 28 Wayne — Here
- March 1 Kearney — Here

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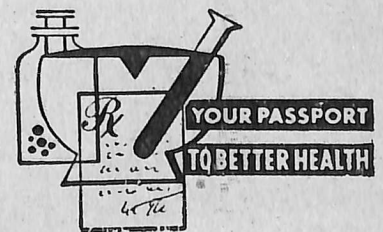
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Figures Indicate Enrollment Is Climbing Since Last Year

Enrollment figures for the second semester at Dana, according to information released last week, place the total at 272 students.

Compared with the first semester, this is a drop of about 10%, or slightly higher than the normal drop for the second semester. This enrollment is an increase of 27 students, or about 11% over the second semester of last year.

Policies Followed Through

This increase over last year is in spite of stricter policies in admitting and retaining students. More students were denied first admission than in previous years.

In addition, at the beginning of the second semester, six students were not able to return because of grades below required standards of the stricter policy. Five others were not permitted to register for the second semester because of undesirable behavior and attitudes.

There were also six students who would have been on academic probation had they returned, and who decided not to continue.

Some Drop Out, Others Enter

Others, including those who dropped out during the semester, left for various reasons. Six students completed degree requirements at the end of the first semester and one completed requirements for a teacher's certificate.

Four students transferred to other colleges near home largely for financial reasons; two transferred for other reasons. Eight did not continue because of financial needs and are working. Seven who did not register again were adults taking courses on a part time basis. Several left because of lack of interest in college.

To complete the enrollment picture, 18 new students, those not included in the fall registration, are included among the students for this second semester. Of these, five are former students returning for further work, four are transfer students from other colleges, and the other nine are enrolling in college for the first time.

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