

Carr, West, Hendricksen, and Knudsen to Head Respective Classes

The class meetings were held Fri., September 9, for the election of officers for the coming school year. Dick Carr, North Hollywood, California, was elected president of the senior class. Other officers elected were Lee Barney, Clara City, Minnesota, Vice-president; Jim Ihrig, Lodge Pole, Nebraska, Treasurer; Arla Siems, DeWitt, Nebraska, Secretary; and Gary "Geg" Danielson, King, Wisconsin, was elected to direct homecoming festivities.

President of the junior class is Larry "Bud" West, Herman, Nebraska; Phil Petersen, Wau-paca, Wisconsin, was elected Vice-president; Lonnie Hayne, Arlington, Nebraska, Treasurer; and Nena Wagener, Chicago, Illinois, was elected Secretary.

The sophomores elected Dean Hendricksen, St. Edward, Nebraska, as President; Hans Willadsen, Irwin, Iowa, Vice-president; Seva Hanson, Newman Grove, Nebraska, Secretary; and Janet Middendorf, Bruning, Nebraska, Treasurer.

Freshman Dan Knudsen of Lincoln, Nebraska, will head his class the coming year and Lynn Barnes, Mineola, Iowa, will represent his class on the student council. Howard Johnson, Minden, Nebraska, fills the Vice-president spot; Richard Jorgenson, Des Moines, Iowa, Treasurer; and Sally Cook, Lincoln, Nebraska, Secretary.

DANA CLASSES FILLED WITH RECORD ENROLLMENT

Registration is at an all time high this year at Dana. The Office of the Registrar reports that as of Monday, September 12, 442 students have registered for the fall semester. The Freshman Class is the largest with 186, followed by the Sophomores with 112. There are only 73 in the Junior Class and 60 in the Senior Class. Men students outnumber the women by 3 to 2.

Final figures are not available at the time this paper goes to press, but a complete report will be published in next week's issue of the HERMES.

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GREETINGS

From the President

For the past few years a frequent word on Dana's campus has been the greeting: "That noise you hear is Progress." Those of us who have lived on the campus during the summer have been living amid the sounds, sometimes a bit disturbing, but always thrilling, of builders' equipment, earth-moving machines, furniture vans and all the other instruments of busy preparation for your return.

We have looked forward eagerly to your coming, for we are sure you'll be pleased and excited by what you see in new buildings, facilities and beautified campus. More important, however, we look forward to sharing with you the fellowship of new teachers and students and deepening friendships among those we already know and love.

In the closing pages of the Bible our Lord says, "Behold I have set before you a door opened." The open door to our 1960-61 school year is rich in promise and opportunity. What the year holds for you will be largely dependent upon your own expectations and achievements. Our prayer is that it may be a year rich in spiritual maturing, in honorable academic accomplishment and in social fellowships that have abiding value.

—C. C. Madsen, President

From the City of Blair

To the Students and Faculty of Dana College:

Please accept these few words as an indication of the feelings of all the permanent residents of the City of Blair, for whom I am spokesman and for whom I can only try to express those feelings as I know them.

To those of you who are members of the faculty, let me say that we always think of you as permanent members of this city and welcome you to any and all functions of the city. More especially since the area including and surrounding Dana is now part of the city, and your presence at such affairs indicates your acceptance of such citizenship and its responsibilities.

To those of you who are students, either for the first time or continuing an education started at Dana previously, you are indeed welcome to Blair. We want you to think of it as your home town and carry good memories of it with you when you leave it after graduation. Such good memories are usually the result of mutual cooperation, consideration for and forgiveness of others, and a healthy respect for the rights of all.

You are entering into or continuing one of the most lucrative periods of your life. Some of you may remain here; most of you will return to your homes; and still some will travel to new cities and even countries in pursuit of your life's work when this period of your life is finished. The lessons you learn here and the work you do here will be the preparation for that future, so please take advantage of every opportunity that comes your way. Use every minute available, and know that if we in Blair can be of any help to you at all, we are all anxious to give that help.

Please accept this, our most sincere and hearty welcome to you from the people of Blair.

Don E. Schettler, Mayor

Toured Seven Nations at Cost of \$450

Our new German instructor varied interests include folk this year, Roger Lee Welsch, a music, geology, and sailing. He graduate student of the University of Nebraska with B.A. and M.A. degrees in German, is the age of twenty-three. His

ALL OUT FOR ACTIVITIES NIGHT

Friday night between 8 and 10 P.M. promises to be an evening of fun and pleasure for everyone. The program has been scheduled to acquaint us with the various student activities that are available for our enjoyment and participation. Each activity will be sponsoring a booth which can better demonstrate to us its functions and usefulness.

A special attraction will be the periodic shows during the evening introduced by Gary "Gig" Danielson. Included on the program are numbers by the Dana Folk Dancers, a presentation of presidential campaign issues by the debate squad, and a skit starring Myrv Christopher, Gary Danielson, Bobby Culver, and Marv Anderson. A style show by the Home Ec. Club climaxes the evening's events. Let's all turn out and become better acquainted with our college activities and with each other.

"Who is Your God?" Chosen Theme of Fall Retreat

The L.S.A. has chosen the theme "Who is your God?" for their annual fall retreat. The retreat will be held the weekend of September 23 through the 25 at the Y.W.C.A. camp near Omaha. This is the first activity of the L.S.A. this year and it presents a wonderful opportunity to start the year off on the right vein. The students who have gone to former retreats say they were very glad they went. It provides an opportunity to camp out, to experience a warm fellowship, and, most important, to come nearer to God.

The group will leave right after dinner Friday night and return in time for the noon meal on Sunday. The campus pastors, Rev. Becker, Rev. Refsell, and Rev. Thomsen, will be the speakers. Meals and covered sleeping areas will be provided.

Watch for more announcements or see Arden Dorn, who is in charge of registration. Let's all try to go. Remember, everyone belongs to the L.S.A.

France for the nominal sum of about \$450. On this trip he sang and learned many of his 200 folk songs. A great advocate of fun, Mr. Welsch hopes to continue his teaching career yet enjoy occasional sailing jaunts on the sailboat he built and geology excursions to the country. We the students at Dana welcome you, Mr. Welsch, and hope your stay is enjoyable.

The Hermes DEATH OF A FRESHMAN

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Introducing

Professor Mike Fallgatter from Waupaca, Wisconsin, is teaching chemistry high on top of Old Main this year as he fills in for Prof. Paul V. Hansen, Jr. who is completing his studies for his doctorate in physical chemistry at Nebraska University. Mr. Fallgatter is a graduate of Lawrence College, Appleton, Wisconsin, and will obtain his doctor's degree from Northwestern University by next August for his research in radiation chemistry.

Impressions to Mickelsen Hall

It wasn't until I sprawled flat on my belly that I realized it. Perhaps that was the first chance I had had to pause and think. But at that moment everything all suddenly came to me . . . I was on the ground because I had fallen. I had fallen due to either a hole in the campus lawn, as unusual as that may seem, or because my Freshman coordination had not matured yet.

At any rate, there I was, lying on the wet weeds, looking up at the magnificent new girls' dorm. You know, actually outside of the fact that you have to sink and slop through the mud "short cut" to get to the holey lawn, to finally pant up the steps to get to your fourth floor room, the dorm is really quite nice.

And just think, it won't be too many centuries before there is a new gym and science building, plus more dorms on which to use up our expounding energy. Those poor students for the next many years! The only solution that I can think of is to reverse our whole educational system. Six-year-olds would go to college as the exploited Freshmen, and we would take our rightful place in enlarged first grade desks.

At least we will be able to tell our great, great grandchildren that we helped pack the dirt so the grass couldn't grow, and those "Little" size 13 footprints on the cement sidewalks belong to us! It is few people who can say that they have made such a big impression on this campus!

Softly a door opens. Equally softly a shadow finds its way down the hallway . . . groping to successfully locate a door further down the long, narrow corridor. Suddenly a voice booms out, "ALL RIGHT YOU FRESHMAN, GET YOUR BEANIE ON!!"

It never fails! Can't a poor newcomer get away with anything? Eyes are watching you from everywhere, just waiting for you to make a mistake. Then quick as a road-runner your name gets gleefully added to a long list of other "criminals" who are already waiting their turn on death row.

But death does not come quickly, oh, no, you have committed too great a felony for that much mercy. Instead, you wait. You wait for one of the executioners to tap you on the shoulder. The time of your punishment is here, and you are almost glad. Anything is better than the suspense. You know that inevitably during the next six weeks your turn will come . . . but WHEN?

A few of your best friends shed polite tears as you are led off. (There is no need to drag you like a dog, because you are a BRAVE Freshman.) Your last request? No, I'm sorry you may not take a Sophomore with you.

Swiftly your hands and ankles are grabbed. (At least they carry you the last mile of the way.) Then you are soaring through the air. Your heart stops until it is jolted into action again as your tailbone cracks the bottom of the concrete fishpond.

From that day on you loyally follow your once executioner constantly. You are one of the fortunate ones. Most of the condemned do not get off so easily . . .

Economics is Major of Student from Abroad

This year Dana is privileged to have Ndewirwa Kitomari (Ned), a student from Tanganyika, Africa, studying with us. A freshman, Ned has plans of majoring in economics so he can teach high school or junior college in Africa. His previous education includes four years each of primary school, middle school, and secondary school. Ned passed highly competitive tests after each four years so he could continue his education, and was sent here by a coffee-growing society of the Meru tribe of which his family is a member. This society set aside a small amount of money made from each pound of coffee sold until his round-trip passage and first year at Dana were paid for.

Ned, who is twenty years old, is the oldest of six sisters and one brother. He and his family attend a Lutheran mission church in their area. Ned was told of Dana by one of his missionary teachers at the secondary school. He has been here about three months and stayed with sophomore Arden Dorn and his family in Pickrell, Nebraska before school opened. In East Africa, where his home is, he was a member of the Boy Scouts from the mission school, which he attended. Ned's impression of Dana? —"I like Dana because of the Christian fellowship we have and the friendly atmosphere."

At Dana we have a wonderful opportunity to share and exchange love and Christian ideals with another friend, Ned.

Charley Weaver Makes Personal Appearance Here

Two new teachers displayed their talent in a short program at the faculty reception last Thursday night. Mr. Lynn Roberts, part time music instructor, played two solos on flute and clarinet. Mr. Roger Welsch, language teacher, sang three folk songs. They were helped by Charley (Mr. Tweton) Weaver and the faculty singing group.

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Dana Gridders Open Season Against Tarkio Saturday Afternoon

Game Considered Tossup

Saturday afternoon the Dana College Football Team takes to the gridiron to do battle with the Tarkio College Owls from Tarkio, Missouri.

According to our coach, Mr. Zimmerman, the game should be rated a tossup and Dana is to be only slightly favored if the spirit of the team is high when the game starts. This can easily be accomplished if the student body turns out to cheer the Vikings on to victory.

This year's edition of the Vikings is one that will gain the respect of all its opponents. It is made up of seasoned veterans with a sprinkling of good freshmen talent.

Prospects for a good season, one which everyone can be proud of, are very good. Although the Vikings are not rated as the top team in the Tri-State Conference they can very well be considered a strong darkhorse to win the championship. Midland and Concordia are considered by many to be slight favorites to capture the crown while Dana, Westmar, and Yankton are the darkhorses.

This year's team is made up of forty candidates who are fighting it out for the first thirty-three positions. Among these forty prospects are nineteen lettermen. The team has already lost the services of Phil Petersen for the entire season due to a head injury. Phil will be missed greatly since he was counted on to be part of the starting defensive unit.

1960 Dana College Football Team

Name	Hometown	Ht.	Wt.	Pos.	Age	Yr.
Adkins, Addie	Bowling Green, Ohio	6-0	190	G	20	Jr.
Anderson, Emory	Evan, Minn.	6-1	200	T	21	Sr.
Barnes, Lynn	Mineola, Iowa	5-11	165	E	18	Fr.
Bartle, Phillip	Bellevue, Nebr.	6-0	180	FB	18	Fr.
Beck, Roger	Exira, Iowa	6-3	180	QB	19	Fr.
Bock, Norman	Shelby, Iowa	5-10	175	HB	20	Jr.
Bohlken, Bill	Brock, Nebr.	5-8	165	HB	20	Jr.
Bondo, Mark	Racine, Wisc.	5-11	180	T	18	Fr.
Brekke, Sig	Audubon, Iowa	6-1	180	FB	18	Fr.
Christensen, Hans	Omaha, Nebr.	6-2	230	T	21	Jr.
Coltvet, Charles	Eagle Grove, Iowa	6-0	190	E	18	Fr.
Cupp, Stan	Eagle Grove, Iowa	5-9	155	HB	21	Sr.
Erlandsen, Stan	Chicago, Ill.	6-1	208	T	19	So.
Farmer, Jerry	Minden, Nebr.	6-2	215	T	16	Fr.
Frank, Tom	Milwaukee, Wisc.	6-3	210	C	20	So.
Heiser, William	Wahoo, Nebr.	6-1	228	T	21	Sr.
Hirst, Ellis	Missouri Valley, Iowa	5-10	175	G	19	Fr.
Jackson, Tom	Omaha, Nebr.	6-2	210	C	19	Fr.
Jensen, Byron	Audubon, Iowa	6-1	175	E	19	So.
Justice, Dick	Manilla, Iowa	5-10	165	HB	19	So.
Kaminski, Tony	Perth Amboy, N. J.	5-10	180	E	27	Sr.
Knudsen, Herb	Lincoln, Nebr.	5-7	160	C	19	So.
Kruse, Dave	Omaha, Nebr.	6-6	220	C	18	Fr.
Kubik, Gary	Pender, Nebr.	5-7	170	HB	19	Jr.
Laughhunn, John	Kansas City, Mo.	6-1	165	QB	18	Fr.
McKay, Jim	Farmington, Minn.	5-9	150	HB	20	So.
Morrow, Larry	Council Bluffs, Iowa	6-0	190	QB	20	Jr.
Nielsen, Daloy	Creighton, Nebr.	5-9	195	FB	18	So.
Olson, Bryce	Northfield, Minn.	5-8	165	HB	17	Fr.
Petersen, Everitt	Scranton, Iowa	6-2	205	T	18	So.
Petersen, Roger	Botna, Iowa	6-0	180	E	21	Sr.
Rasmussen, Paul	Blair, Nebr.	6-0	195	T	22	Sr.
Rholl, Darryl	Lexington, Nebr.	6-0	165	QB	18	Fr.
Saathof, Keith	Plainview, Iowa	6-0	190	T	18	Fr.
Schoening, Gary	Glenwood, Iowa	6-0	190	G	18	Fr.
Sinclair, Dave	Westbrook, Maine	5-8	155	HB	21	Sr.
Stegmaier, Bob	Farmington, Minn.	6-3	230	T	19	So.
Swanson, Larry	Wahoo, Nebr.	6-0	190	FB	20	Sr.
Templeton, John	Blair, Nebr.	5-11	201	G	20	Jr.
Tuttle, Barry	Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	6-0	170	E	17	Fr.

The following players will make up the probable starting lineup for the Tarkio game:

L.E. Roger Petersen

L.T. Mark Bondo or Bob Stegmaier

L.G. John Templeton

C. Tom Frank

R.G. Addie Adkins

R.T. Emory Anderson

R.E. Charles Coltvet

Q.B. Roger Beck

L.H. Stan Cupp or Darryl Rholl

R.H. Bryce Olson or Gary Kubik

F.B. Larry Swanson

Upperclassmen who are expected to see heavy duty in the Tarkio game are Stan Erlandsen, tackle; Bill Heiser, tackle; Bryon Jensen, end; Larry Morrow, quarterback; Everitt Petersen, guard; Bill Bohlken, halfback; Dave Sinclair, halfback; Daloy Nielsen, fullback; Norm Bock, halfback; and Paul Rasmussen, tackle.

Some promising freshmen to watch for are Barry Tuttle, end; John Laughhunn, quarterback; Darryl Rholl, halfback; Bryce Olson, halfback; Gary Schoening, guard; Lynn Barnes, end; Dave Kruse, center; Tom Jackson, center; Sig Brekke, fullback, and Keith Saathof, at tackle.

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Flag Football Will Open This Year's Intramural Program

This coming Sunday afternoon the Dana Intramural program for men will have its start. The first sport for this year will be six-man flag football. All men on campus, except the varsity football players, are eligible to participate. This year Lee Barney will be in charge of the Intramural program.

Information as to time of games will be posted during the week.

Tea to be Held Sunday SORRY, NO FELLOWS

Here is your chance to get acquainted with your "big" or "little" sister. The Big-Sister Little-Sister Tea will be held next Sunday, September 18, in the Michelsen Hall Lounge from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. This amount of time has been allotted so that all will not have to come at one time.

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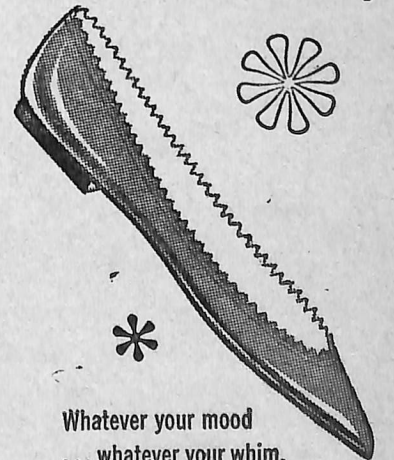
Entering a candy store, a small boy put six cents on the counter for his five-cent lollipop, but refused to take the penny back. He told the clerk: "Keep it, you can't buy anything with it any more anyway."

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