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Advisors Disclose Unofficial Grades On November 13

The mid-semester grades will be available no later than Monday, November 13, according to Dr. Elmer Rasmussen, Registrar. The grades of the freshmen will be sent to their parents.

Students are to be reminded that these grades are not official and they will not be permanently recorded. They are merely an indication of the progress made by each student.

Watch for a further announcement as to when you may definitely receive your grades. They will be available from your advisor.

Knudsen Scheduled At S.A.M. Meeting

S.A.M. has tentatively scheduled its next meeting for Wednesday, November 15. It is hoped that Mr. Keith Knudsen from the Western Power and Gas Company of Lincoln will be the guest speaker, but since he has charge of his company's tax accounts, Mr. Knudsen is often engaged in various conferences and business trips throughout the country.

The qualifications needed and the problems facing a college business manager were presented to the S.A.M. members by Mr. A. J. Snowbeck at their October meeting. Mr. Snowbeck, Dana business manager, also pointed out some of the many areas of college management available to graduates.

Library Hit with 'Growing Pains'

Dana's college library has so called "growing-pains" and shortly will need expansion room. The library book donors the past several months have been Dr. Elmer Rasmussen in the field of education; Dr. Jerome Tweton in biography and history; the Lutheran Children's Home, Elkhorn, Iowa, in social welfare; the National Book Foundation, mostly in economics; Dr. William C. Smith, former faculty member, in the fields of sociology and anthropology; and a number of individual donors.

The library is growing in other areas, too. Four legal size steel files have been placed in the reading room back of the card catalogue and it is planned that the pamphlet material presently housed in boxes on Tier II will be filed in folders and behind guide cards in these files. This change-over will take time but eventually will make the pamphlet material more accessible to the student.

Tier IV's display case has had a number of additions in brass and china presented by Miss Helen Hansen of Sacramento, California, and Dr. Elmer Rasmussen. This case is always of great interest to visitors and students alike, as is also the collection of old and rare books. The freshman students who have been on library tours during the first few weeks of school found the collections on Tier IV of great interest.

Korshoj Firm Awarded Science Hall Contract Building Expected To Cost \$525,000

Korshoj Construction Company received the go ahead to build the new Charles A. Dana Hall of Science on the basis of its bid submitted to the Dana College Board of Regents at its meeting last week. This brought the latest tabulation of the total cost to \$525,000.

Contract price of the building itself was disclosed to be \$406,400. Laboratory furniture will account for an additional \$65,000. The manifold other costs total \$36,000, to bring the cost up to the above figure.

Board of Regents officers elected for the coming year are Lawrence E. Thorngren, Omaha, Nebraska, chairman; James Hanson, Cedar Falls, Iowa, vice-chairman; and A. M. Vig, Albert Lea, Minnesota, secretary.

Hoidahl To Attend St. Paul Convention

Monday, November 13, Miss Agot D. Hoidahl, Dana College librarian, will be attending a meeting of college and seminary librarians of the American Lutheran Church, which is to be held at Luther Seminary, St. Paul, Minnesota.

This meeting's main speaker will be Mr. Robert M. Brown of the Minnesota State Archive and Record Service. Mr. Brown will speak on the general subject of the "identification, selection and preservation of essential documents with particular reference to institutional or church collections."

In addition to this main topic, library statistics and other problems of mutual colleges will be discussed and arrangements will be made for future meetings.

Board Approves Pool Effort

Dana students were commended, in a resolution passed by the Board, for their efforts in raising loans and gifts totaling to date \$91,000 of the \$100,000 goal in the swimming pool project.

Monday morning's session was given over to an address by Dr. Sidney Rand, Executive Secretary for College Education in The A.L.C. Greater participation of administration and faculty in the long-range planning of the school and better communication between the board and the college were his main points of emphasis.

Three days, instead of the customary two, will be devoted to the spring meeting in order to carry out Dr. Rand's recommendations.

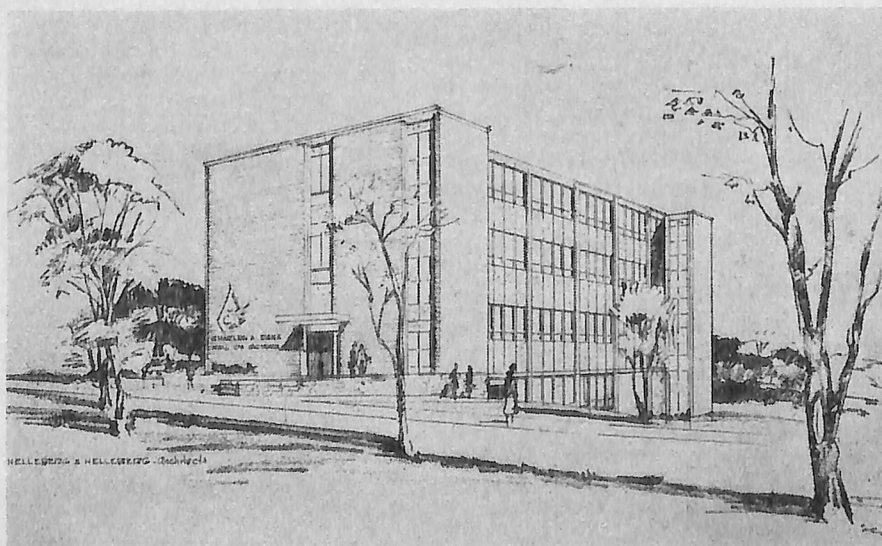
Nine Dana Seniors Make 'Who's Who'

Senior students chosen to be included in the 1961-62 volume of *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges* were notified of their nomination yesterday. The nine seniors chosen are Kathleen Bliese, Lonnie Hayne, Kenneth Jensen, Ellen Larsen, Donna Layton, Paul Petersen, Peter Petersen, Nena Wegener and Larry West.

These seniors were chosen on the basis of scholarship, contribution to the college in general and leadership in campus activities.

Being listed in this publication is one of the important honors that can be conferred upon seniors. Each senior will have a biographical sketch included in the volume.

Pictured to the left is an artist's sketch of the Charles A. Dana Hall of Science. Ground breaking ceremonies were conducted yesterday morning at which time President C. C. Madsen initially broke the earth. Immediately afterwards construction crews began work. Completion is scheduled for September 1, 1962.



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Trinidad Student Plans Medical Career in India

From the small island Trinidad off the coast of British Guiana comes another of Dana's foreign students, Ivan Suphal. Ivan is a senior here and is studying pre-medicine. He has a burning desire to become a medical missionary to India.

Seven years ago Ivan left home and went to India to preach the Gospel because he knew he had a mission to the Hindu, his people. He spent two years preaching and teaching God's word to all parts of the country. Then in 1956 he came to the United States and began his evangelizing mission journeys throughout all of North America from Montreal, Canada, to Mexico and Puerto Rico.

During the summers Ivan would preach wherever people opened their hearts to his message and during the school year he attended college. On one of his mission trips in Wisconsin this summer, he was offered by the Milltown Lutheran Church to be sponsored to Dana. Before he came here, however, he spent one year each at Sheldon College, New Jersey, Taylor University, Indiana, and Marion College, Indiana.

In 1960 Ivan was ordained to the ministry by the Crescent Ministerial Association Inc. of Colorado, an interfaith committee. When Billy Graham was in New York, Ivan worked with him four weeks during his crusade. From there Ivan returned to Trinidad so that he could prepare a schedule for Billy Graham in his own country.

Recently Ivan organized the World Evangelizing Mission, a group of college students concerned with evangelism. His whole life is centered about using his talents to bring others to the fold of Christ. He is truly a part of "the light from the hill."



Ivan Suphal

Editor's Mailbag In Answer to the Activated Student

Thanks to "An Activated Student" for some stimulating comments in the article on page two of the October 28, 1961, issue of **Hermes**. The basic point of view can be supported by experience; it is directed at a minority on campus who have been taking the course lightly. Actually, only seven of about 520 students registered for the course have not attended a class this year; almost all of this group will be found equally low in their other courses and certainly do not give the impression of being good examples for other students to imitate.

One correction, please; the credits **DO** transfer and have been accepted by other colleges at full value. Not only do other colleges take the course seriously but it is taken seriously in this office, especially since sound statistical evidence indicates it is a fairly accurate measure of what we can call the scholarly attitude, or desire to learn, as well as of general development intellectually. It has been the course that kept one student off the honor roll one year; it can also cause a probation student to be dropped from college if the other courses are just at the borderline. Further, it is given real consideration when students apply for scholarships, grants, or campus employment.

Really, the "loneliest crowd" is made up of those who don't take the Liberal Arts Reading Program seriously!

Dana Registrar

Elmer M. Rasmussen

(Re: "Why not join 'the Crowd'?" **Hermes**, Oct. 28, 1961.)

S.A.M. Says - - Thanks

On behalf of S.A.M., I would like to publicly thank all those people who offered to help rebuild our display Saturday morning after it was burnt. There were quite a few non-members who offered to help and we sincerely thank them. The job of collecting damages is now in the hands of the Dean of the college.

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Editorial . . .

'Old Glory' Badly Mistreated!

Not long ago during a severe wind and rain storm our nation's flag could be seen atop the flagpole by Pioneer Memorial being whipped to and fro in the driving wind and being soaked with rain.

This incident is only one of many that prompts the writing of this editorial. Often times the flag flown by Pioneer Memorial, which is by now quite tattered, is left out all night to be battered in the wind and exposed to the damp night air.

Perhaps it would be well to take a look at the first two rules for displaying "Old Glory." Rule one states that "the flag should be displayed from sunrise to sunset." This rule implies quite obviously that the flag should not be left out at night.

Rule two says that "the flag should not be flown in rainy or stormy weather." The implications of this rule are also obvious.

When one considers the many lives given for our flag and what it really stands for, namely the many freedoms of our beloved land, it seems to show lack of patriotism and respect for our flag when it is allowed such exposure.

It would not even be thought of to allow the Dana College flag with the college seal impressed on the pure-white field to be exposed to all sorts of inclement weather. Why then should "Old Glory" be so disrespected?

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Brink Art Display Brightens Library

Perhaps you have noticed the paintings that have been on exhibit in the library for the past two weeks. They are the work of Dick Brink, an art major who graduated from Dana in 1959. He is now an art supervisor in the high schools in Omaha. This summer he did some graduate work at Colorado State College in Greeley.

The majority of the sketches on exhibit were made in Colorado while Dick was there this summer. Some are what Dick calls non-objective art, a contemporary art form. In these he uses a wide variety of materials such as sand, glue and paper. The rest are realistic water colors, which are rich in color and composition.

One interesting water color that is on display depicts a river scene. The general effect is one of peace and calm with three tree trunks visible on the near shore. Across the river a small town can be seen; however, the greatest area is taken by the blue river and sky.

Council Clips

By Bob Rademacher

Sioux Falls College of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, has extended an invitation to Dana College to present a talent show on its campus at one of the convocations. The Council voted to accept the invitation which will probably be filled on February 2, 1962, when we play basketball with the Braves on their own court. This talent presentation is similar to the exchange programs we have had in previous years with Midland College.

A four-member judiciary committee was formed to handle current constitutional problems of the student body's constitution and to decide whether it should or should not be revised. Members are Herb Knudsen, Hans Christensen, Tom Lange and Kay McGill.

Election responses by the student body in the last several elections have been very poor. Less than .50% of the student body voted at the last election. The election committee, headed by vice-president Hans Christensen, felt it would give students a better opportunity to vote if the ballot box were moved from outside the library door to the cafeteria during the noon hour.

After investigation into the possibility of having the library open extra hours it was found that it would be impossible to do so this year because of the limited library budget. Students who use the library to the best advantage during its regular hours find the time adequate.

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Sports Editor Recaps ---

Successful Gridiron Season

As the 1961 Dana College Football schedule came to a close with Midland College last Saturday afternoon, the Vikings walked off the gridiron completing one of their best seasons in spite of their loss to Midland.

Capturing second position in the conference standings was something duly earned by every squad member, and leaves a challenge in the minds of the players for next year. The season saw its victories and defeats. It saw Dana, stunned by Northwestern, come back and topple the then conference leader, Westmar. The Vikings rolled to victory over Tarkio, Sioux Falls, Concordia, and Yankton—Concordia and Westmar falling victims on their homecomings to the "spoilers" from Dana.

Girls' Organization Plans To Sponsor Nov. 15 Bake Sale

Members of Dana's Home Economics Club are planning a bake sale to be held Wednesday, November 15, from 10:30-11:30 a.m. in the college dining hall.

Each girl in the club is expected to donate one item, such as a batch of cookies, which can be sold. The Home Ec. Club urges the student body to take advantage of this opportunity to please the palate with food "baked like mother used to bake."

'Danians' Present Program at O'Neill

Several professors and a number of Dana students will journey to O'Neill, Nebraska, tomorrow night to present a short program.

Miss McCullough, education professor, will head the program as Mistress of Ceremonies. The Dana Folk Dancers, directed by Jack Hill, will present its full program. Mr. Norman Bansen, English professor, will give a brief talk.

Other events on the program are Irish folk songs with Modern Languages professor Roger Welsh and his guitar; a solo by alumnus Isaac Jenkins; and several numbers by the Quartet.

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Ken's Comments

Excitement was in the air as our boys in red helmets were outfought by a very highly spirited Warrior team last Saturday. This is the second time this year that we have been second to Midland. We also gave way in our Harrier meet the week end before for the cross-country Tri-State crown in spite of the fact that Viking John Seburg captured first place. We now leave it up to the basketball bouncers to even up the score with their explosive talents.

The "Revised Theses" that have recently appeared on the outside bulletin board have been of much controversy. Not only is the content interesting, but much work must have been put into the printing of the archaic penmanship. I understand that Dave Comstock did the painstaking work on this and he must be complimented.

Congratulations must be given the freshman class, S.A.M., and the History Club on their respective winning of homecoming display awards. The demolition of the S.A.M. float by vandals was a dark mark on our weekend festivities, but the willingness of some students to help the organization rebuild it Saturday morning shows some of the better school spirit that dwells on our campus.

There were no standout individuals on the team, but rather a unity was found in this year's squad that bound them together regardless of the mistakes and defeats. Competition for positions produced a better caliber of football.

Many unseen events happen within the depths of a football team. There are problems that must be solved before the next game—injuries to cope with, adjustments to be made, plays to be memorized, conditioning, and plenty of hard work. The grandstand quarterbacks miss these things that go on within the locker room and on the practice field.

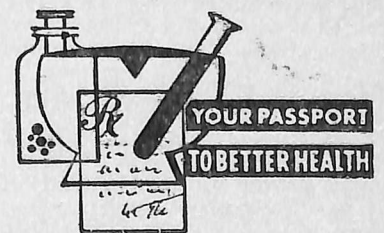
Putting a group of 40 individuals into one functioning unit and making it a success was the job of Keith Skogman, Paul Peterson, Harold Becker and Wilber Clements. The great turnover in Dana's gridiron success can be credited largely to our coaches.

After all the hard bruises and knocks are vanished, the real value of playing with a group of men and being a part of a common striving for a common goal can be seen and appreciated.

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Warriors Hand Vikings the Hatchet in Heap Big Win

Midland Snares Tri-State Conference Laurels

With the plunging temperature went the Viking hopes for their first Tri-State crown on the football field. The visiting Midland Warriors, under the passing and running attack of Jim Flynn, Gerry Keiser, Bob Frieze, and Ben Stindt, dropped the Dana squad 21-0 last Saturday.

The tide could be easily seen early in the game as the Viking offense could not seem to get off the ground. Roger Beck made his first appearance since the Westmar contest and was soon replaced by John Laughhunn in the quarterback slot when Roger's injured hand gave way in the stress of the contest.

The hard hitting defensive Vikings showed their worth as they caused the Warrior backs to fumble the ball seven times, but could not contain the talents of Jim Flynn as he passed fifteen times, connecting nine of those tries for 147 yards, and running for 43.

Midland scored touchdowns in each of the final three quarters. It was Ben Stindt who plunged over from the four early in the second period. Jim Flynn and Bob Frieze plunged over from the one respectively in culminating impressive Warrior moves down the gridiron.

This concluded the Red and White pigskin season for 1961. The team captured second in the conference with a 4-2 record and had a total season record of 5-3.

Midland	.....0	7	7	7-21
Dana	.....0	0	0	0-0
Statistics—		M	D	
First downs	.....	19	6	
Yards rushing	.....	183	118	
Yards passing	.....	147	29	
Total yards	.....	330	147	
Penalty yardage	....	35	25	
Passes attempted	... ..	15	10	
Passes completed	... ..	9	3	
Interceptions	.....	1	0	

Tigers Claw Dana Defense; Win 24-7

The Doane College Tigers of Crete, Nebraska, overpowered Dana in a non-conference game 24-7 on Viking field October 28th. The Vikings had trouble getting their offense started and could not seem to move the ball against a tight Doane defensive line.

Power-back Ron Barker seemed to create most of the Viking headaches as he skirted the ends for sizeable gains which set up Tiger touchdowns. Doane, which is a member of the Nebraska College Conference, used their multiple offense to great advantage both in passing and in running techniques. Possibly one of the better offensive teams in Nebraska, Doane found that they were in a ball game. The Viking defense gave grounds grudgingly to Tiger depth.

Phil Petersen scored Dana's only touchdown on an eighty-yard interception play during the early minutes of the game.

TRI-STATE STANDINGS

	W	L
Midland	..... 5	1
DANA	..... 4	2
Westmar	..... 4	2
Yankton	..... 3	3
Northwestern	..... 2	4
Concordia	..... 2	4
Sioux Falls	..... 1	5

Seberg Paces Harriers As Midland Claims Title

Battling strong, cold winds, Dana's little John Seberg ran to an undisputed victory in the Cross Country Championship meet held on Dana's cinders. Midland College took the Championship with less team points based on finishers in the upper brackets.

Viking runners were plagued with injuries and were not in top running order when they captured second.

Much credit can be given to each member of the squad for all of the hard work and time put in on the cinders. Dana's fine conference standing and season record give evidence of the fine material for our Cross Country and the potential for this year's track season and the 1962 harrier campaign.

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Floater 6	2
Stompers 4	4
Dukes 3	5
Karters 1	7
Nooners 1	7
Ants 1	7

*** Won Playoff

Scores:

Raiders	..18	Stompers	..12
Watusi's	.. 2	Dukes 0

Championship Playoff

Watusi's25	Raiders24
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Leading Scorers:

Bohlken (Floater) 114
Abariotes (Watusi's) 48
West (Dukes) 44
Nielsen (Dukes) 36
Peterson (Watusi's)	..... 32
Vasby (Stompers)	..... 30
Howard (Nooners)	..... 24
Rasmuss (Watusi's) 18
Decker (Watusi's) 18
Wallman (Raiders) 18

Intramural Bowling

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