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Sioux 2d In Cage Standings

University of North Dakota's winter sports season closed on what might be termed a losing note but the overall picture shows one of the most successful records in recent years.

Coach Glenn Jarrett's Sioux basketball team was knocked out of a chance to tie for the North Central conference championship by losing two games to the NDAC Bison on the AC fieldhouse court.

Beat Bison Twice

However, the following week they scored two victories over their traditional rivals and wound up with a conference record of eight wins and four losses, good for second place one game back of the champion, Iowa Teachers.

With a chance to compete in the N. A. I. B. tournament at Kansas City, the Sioux lost out in their district tournament at Aberdeen, losing to University of South Dakota in the final.

The Sioux were undefeated in 12 games on their home floor and the past season has probably seen the end of North Central cage competition in the aged armory. It is expected that the new fieldhouse will be ready for use when the next court season opens.

Frosh Score Win

Giving Jarrett some added hope for future years, the Sioux freshmen cagers closed their campaign by thrashing the Baby Bison after losing to the A. C. yearlings at Fargo.

On the hockey scene, Coach Cliff Purpur's skaters have stowed away their gear for another year and while they had a good year as far as victories were concerned, Sioux fans were disappointed, along with the players, when they failed to be selected to play in the four-team N.C.A.A. championship tournament at Colorado Springs.

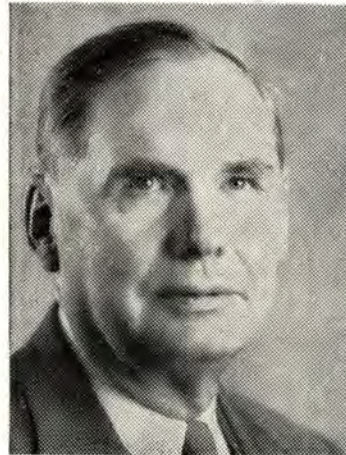
The last fans here saw of the Sioux, they were losing a two-game series to the Bran-

Dean J. V. Breitwieser Killed in Airliner Crash

Memorial services were held March 10 in the Federated church in Grand Forks for Dean Joseph V. Breitwieser, 65, of the University school of education who was killed March 7 when a Northwest Airlines plane crashed into a house in Minneapolis.

Dean Breitwieser had been on an eastern trip, attending a convention in Atlantic City and speaking at several Alumni club Founders Day dinners.

The airliner crash occurred after the plane had hit a flagpole near the Minneapolis Wold-Chamberlain airport. It was attempting a landing during a severe snowstorm, having been unable to make a scheduled stop at Rochester,



J. V. BREITWIESER

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Minn., because of weather conditions. Fifteen persons were killed in the crash.

Spoke in New York

After attending the convention in Atlantic City, Dean Breitwieser had addressed University alumni groups in New York and Washington.

Since the fall of 1927, when he came here from the University of California, Dean Breitwieser had been prominent in educational, social and business circles. He served as president of the North Dakota Education association from 1933 to 1935, and was president of the Grand Forks Rotary club in 1943. He was a frequent speaker at business and professional gatherings, and was an authority on business psychology and advertising.

Served Many Groups

Among other activities in the city outside of his profession of teaching, Dean Breitwieser was president of the Franklin club, and had served as president of the Fortnightly club, the Lake Agassiz council of the Boy Scouts, and the Laymen's fellowship of Plymouth Congregational church.

During practically all his time in Grand Forks, Dean Breitwieser served as district representative of Phi Delta Kappa, an honorary educational fraternity, in which he was a charter member, holding certificate No. 1 of the chapter at Columbia University in New York, where the organization originated.

Survivors Listed

In addition to Mrs. Breitwieser, he is survived by three sons, Charles J. of San Diego, Calif., Joseph V. Jr., of Flint, Mich., and Roland; two daughters, Mrs. Clyde S. Cook of San Mateo, Calif., and Mrs. George E. Lockard of Los Angeles, Calif., and two brothers, Thomas J. of East Stroudsburg, Pa., and O. E. Breitwieser of Elwood, Ind.

Born in Jasper, Ind., March
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1950 Commencement Scheduled May 30-31

By MISS M. BEATRICE
JOHNSTONE

Director, University Extension
Division

When a mother has been deeply grieved over recent bereavements, her sons and daughters hurry home to console her and give her of their strength and courage.

Our Alma Mater within the short period of several years has lost six stalwart men on whom she depended for counsel and advice. On this special occasion she is turning to the alumni. She feels sure you will

don Wheat Kings, western Canada junior champions.

Two Sioux skaters, however, continued playing after the University season was over. Buzz and Prince Johnson were selected on the United States team which competed in the world championship tournament in London.

be home for Commencement, May 30-31.

The alumni banquet is scheduled for May 30th and commencement exercises will be held on May 31.

Your journey home will be unselfish, but your visit will not be sad. Your classmates and fellow students of your day will pleasantly travel the paths of yesterday with you. The Alumni banquet will be an occasion of joy and renewal of friendships; the reunions and old timers breakfast are rich in reminiscence, where the years drop from the shoulders like a mantel while the Commencement program itself and the president's reception are worth the trip home. You will enjoy the beauty of the campus and the buildings in progress.

The classes of 1900 and 1925 will shine in gold and silver, respectively, while the other classes will join in the glorious opportunity to honor and encourage our Alma Mater.



Thirty-seven University alumni and friends attended the Williston Alumni club meeting February 28. Principal speaker was Professor Ben Gustafson of the University chemistry department. Arley Bjella, 1941, was toastmaster. Wesley Westrum, 1948, led the group in singing.

University Alumni Clubs Hold Meetings

Many University Alumni clubs met during recent weeks for their annual Founders Day observance and election of officers. The following stories of club meetings were reported to the alumni office:

Bismarck

Dean R. B. Witmer of the senior division at UND spoke at the annual meeting of the Bismarck-Mandan Alumni club February 22 in the Patterson hotel at Bismarck.

Dean Witmer told the 105 UND alumni and friends gathered for the occasion "the University cannot allow itself to rest on its laurels. The four million dollar building program under way at the University now is just taking up some of the slack of previous years when there was no construction."

Officers elected for the coming year were: president, William S. Moeller, 1928; and secretary, Miss Charlotte Logan, 1926. Retiring officers are Carl Person, 1936, president, and Miss Elanor Weber, 1937, secretary.

Also called on for short talks were John Fleck, 1920, William S. Murray, 1937, and Attorney General Wallace Warner, 1936.

New York

Fifty UND alumni and friends attended the New York Alumni club dinner in the Washington Square room of the Fifth Avenue hotel in New York February 21.

John Hancock, 1903, spoke briefly on atomic energy and the late Dean J. V. Breitwieser brought greetings from the University. Retiring president Glenn Geiger, 1948, acted as toastmaster and Dick Westberg, 1944, led the group in singing UND songs.

New officers elected were: president, Harold Thompson, 1943; treasurer, Oda Johnson, 1942; and secretary, Larry Aasen, 1947.

Members who desire pictures of the New York meeting may obtain them by writing Larry Aasen, 305 West 97th street, New York, N. Y.

The following were in attendance: John Hancock, 1903; H. A. Holmes, 1927; Mr. and Mrs. Mansell S. Richards, 1920 (Dorothy Blanding, 1922); Frederic H. Lawrence, 1941; Lee W. Stanton, 1947; Roy S. Towne, 1949; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Arndt, 1934 (Genevieve Adams, 1934); Laura Christianson, 1932.

Bob Smith, 1943; Oda Johnson, 1943; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Geiger, 1948; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Westberg, 1944 (Katherine Ann Coliton, 1944); Mr.

and Mrs. Arthur W. Kishpaugh, 1912; Kent Westley, 1941; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson, 1913; Warren Hedlin, 1942; Ethel M. McGruer, 1920; Harold Thomson, 1943; Frederick Lawrence, 1941; Dr. Wm. N. Spear, 1941.

A. M. Stephens, 1940; Major F. W. Patten, 1923; Mrs. Winship Fogary; Mr. and Mrs. Leon H. Moore, 1918; Florence Purdon, 1914; Clara Purdon; Neil Bennett, 1948; Alice Loe, 1933; Mr. and Mrs. Ed K. Thompson, 1927 (Marguerite Maxam); Alvin J. Kruchten, 1941; Laura Christianson, 1932; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dahl, 1941; Mr. and Mrs. John J. Dunn, 1941; M. James Robertson, 1949; Dean and Mrs. J. V. Breitwieser and Larry Aasen, 1947.

Williston

Thirty-seven University alumni and friends attended the Williston Alumni club meeting February 28. Nellie J. Hyde, 1901, was honored as the oldest alumnus attending.

Ben Gustafson, professor of chemistry at the University, represented the University at the meeting. He outlined the history of the University and told of improvements and installations which have been added to the educational facilities at UND. Arley Bjella, 1941, acted as toastmaster and Wes-

ley Westrum, 1948, led the group in singing UND songs.

The following is a list of those in attendance:

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Key, 1949 (Lorraine Anderson, 1949); Mr. and Mrs. Arley Bjella, 1941 (Beverley Heen, 1942); Robert Kaluza, 1948; Mr. and Mrs. Ben T. Nordell, 1935 (Luella G. Harrington, 1935); Dean Winkjer, 1945; Mr. and Mrs. P. I. Dahlen, 1920; Wesley T. Westrum, 1948; Mr. and Mrs. M. R. McIntee, 1943.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Havig, superintendent of schools in Williston; Mr. and Mrs. Myron Fahey, 1947 (Elaine E. Post, 1946); Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Halvorsen, 1936 (Eloise Johnson, 1939); Gail F. Hay, 1949; Mr. and Mrs. Telmar Rolfstad, 1943; Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Hagan, 1939; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. MacMaster, 1930 (Neva Hyde '29).

Nellie J. Hyde, 1901; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Olness (Lubell MacMaster, 1932); Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Byrne, 1944; Mr. and Mrs. Jack B. Prince (Grace E. Johnson, 1938); Dr. and Mrs. A. K. Johnson, 1942; and Mrs. Erling Ahlson (Lydia Jodack, 1927).

Los Angeles

Ann Miller, Hollywood starlet and the girl elected by Los Angeles area alumni as "The girl they would most like to be" (Continued on Page 3)

stranded in a blizzard with", opened the annual Founder's Day party for the Los Angeles area by throwing out snowballs in typical North Dakota fashion.

The party was held February 18 in Los Angeles.

Three hundred persons attended and enjoyed a buffet supper and dancing. Many old acquaintances were renewed and new friends made. Phil Poppler, 1939, led the group in singing.

Walter Burkman, 1924, head of the western division of the Jewel Tea company, was elected president for 1950-51. Gordon Martin, 1932, was elected vice-president and Allen Dragge, 1941, secretary. They are looking forward to an attendance of around 400 at next years meeting.

The publicity and arrangements for this year's party were handled by Edward J. O'Connor, 1933.

Minot

The Minot area Alumni club meeting held March 1 in the Gold room of the Clarence Parker hotel in Minot had an attendance of approximately 60 persons.

Alumni Director Lloyd Stone and Amos Martin, 1950, were to have represented the University at the meeting but were unable to reach Minot because of a snowstorm. In their absence, Professor Ben Gustafson of the University chemistry department was guest speaker. Gustafson spoke at the Williston alumni club meeting the night before.

He covered the building program, sports, fraternities, classes, new instructors, deceased instructors and the new lignite research laboratory under construction at the University.

Officers elected were: president, Gordon Miller, 1949; vice president, Vernon R. Pederson, 1947; and secretary, Jerald O. Paulson, 1949.

Those in attendance were: Dean A. Piper, 1934; Ben G. Gustafson, UND; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCutcheon, 1947 (June Hazelton, 1947); Anna M. Ackermann, 1933; Eleanor A. Schroeder, 1934; Mrs. Osborn Elliott (Gertrude Dana, 1918); Mrs. K. H. Swiggum (Alice Krick, 1926); Avice W. Hofto, 1914; Jake Bell, 1932; Vernon Pederson, 1947; Glenn W. Pederson, 1948; Gordon (Tom) Miller, 1949.

Rep. W. M. Smart; Rep. Brynhild Haugland; Rep. C. W. Baker; Mrs. Harley A. King

Grafton Alumni Club Meets



Here are the new officers and some members of the Grafton Alumni club. Left to right, Dr. C. Clinton Rand, 1929, president; Attorney William DePuy, 1926; Fridjon Thorleifson, 1924, secretary; Dr. Charles R. Tompkins, 1914; and Grafton Superintendent of Schools H. B. Ensrud, 1929.

(Gay Gidley, 1914); Mr. and Mrs. Fred (Nip) Felber, 1934 (Margaret M. Seed, 1932).

Dr. V. J. Fischer, 1935; Vincent N. Boeck, 1949; Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Mortenson, 1949; Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Storhaug, 1949; Donald M. Westrum, 1936; Elizabeth S. Robinson, 1949; Alton W. Hill, 1948; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Campbell, 1941; Mrs. Vernon E. McCurdy (Genevieve McClernan, 1923); Mrs. Sigurd T. Reishus (Evelyn Johnson, 1933); Mrs. Walter Welo (Ethlyn Rehmet, 1921); Mr. and Mrs. Jerald O. Paulson, 1949.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Gutstromson, 1949 (Ruth E. Swartz, 1947); Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Buttz, 1935; Reuben Vig, 1937; P. D. Norton, 1897; Halvor W. Halvorson, 1902; Edgar P. Vie, 1939; Ernest H. Kotchian, 1929; H. K. Skadeland, 1926; Caesar Murphy, 1917; Orvald J. Bjerken, 1927; Mrs. Gordon Westlie (Marilyn Weinhandl, 1947).

Merrie Beth Cooley, 1949; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald W. Wheeler, 1948 (Geraldine Stehjem, 1949); Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Halstead, 1949 (DeMaris Peterson, 1947); Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gross, 1928 (Marquerite Messinger, 1930); Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McClung, 1928 (Pearl M. Peterson, 1927); C. C. Swain, president of Minot State Teachers college; and Mrs. Dean Piper (Dell Scott, 1933).

Washington

Fifty-two persons attended the annual Washington Alumni club Founder's Day banquet at the National Press club in Washington, D. C., February 23. The late Dean J. V. Breit-

wieser of the school of education at the University made the principal talk. Mrs. Breitwieser and their son, Charles, 1931, were also present. Senator Langer addressed the group briefly. Miss Emma C. Crans, representing the class of 1896, gave a short talk.

The following were elected officers for 1950-51: president, Lt. Col. Donn Hart, 1935; vice president, Joseph Baker, 1927; and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Edna Froelich (Edna Peterson), 1936.

M. O. Ryan, 1925, retiring president of the group, handled arrangements for this year's get-together.

Grafton

Fifty-three UND alumni and friends from the Grafton area met February 23 at the Grafton city hall for their Founder's Day dinner and meeting.

Representing the University were J. Lloyd Stone, alumni director; E. W. Boe, alumni representative on the athletic board of control; Milton (Prince) Johnson, Sioux hockey star and member of the 1949 U.S. Olympic hockey team; and D. J. Robertson, assistant to the president.

Dr. C. Clinton Rand, 1929, was elected president of the club and Fridjon Thorleifson, 1924, of Park River, secretary-treasurer.

The following is a list of those attending:

Prince Johnson, 1951; Lloyd Stone, 1930; Genevieve Smith, 1949; Attorney W. T. DePuy, 1926; D. J. Robertson, 1933; Jim Hoesley, 1942; H. B. Ensrud, 1929; Jake Erlandson, 1949; Beth Reitan, 1949; Walter Dobler, 1942; W. M. Knutson,

1941; Anne Hollanitsch, 1949; Mrs. Ernest F. Zeh (Dorothy M. Colton), 1925, Nancy Zeh; Mrs. Wm. DePuy (Madelyn A. Colton), 1927; E. W. Boe, 1927; Mrs. O. T. Ellingson (Dagmar H. Olson), 1928.

Charles C. Rand, 1929; Mrs. Charles C. Rand (Ruth Vavrina), 1932; Albert Lundberg, 1932; Elmer L. Anderson, 1940; E. Heuchert, 1947; Nellie B. Hanson, 1926; Cora Lykken, 1906; Marilyn M. Olander, 1944; Anders H. Olander; Howard F. Hills, 1929; Mrs. H. F. Hills (Charlotte Gowran), 1930; Lynn G. Grimson, 1933; Mary Ann Grimson, 1936; F. Thorleifson, 1924; Mrs. F. Thorleifson, Mrs. Lawrence H. Nelson (Elaine Hansen), 1944; Lawrence Nelson; Mrs. James H. Maxwell (Olwen Rowland), 1930.

Mrs. Leslie Anderson (Virginia Lykken), 1946; John J. O'Brien, 1938; Mrs. John J. O'Brien (Mary Dunn), 1935; Mrs. H. B. Ensrud (Dorothea Sorenson), 1930; John Gorder, 1933, Mrs. John Gorder; Darlyn Simon, 1948; Mrs. Lloyd K. Everson (Ruth Fursteneau), 1940; Mrs. L. K. Everson; J. S. McGrath, Jr., 1949; Mrs. J. S. McGrath (Elaine Berger 1950); Mrs. Robert E. Dahl (Jean Midgarden), 1947; Robert E. Dahl, 1948; Dr. C. R. Tompkins, 1916; Dr. W. A. Tompkins, 1944; Gordon Brackett.

Attorney William DePuy acted as toastmaster and Supt. H. B. Ensrud arranged the meeting. The group was entertained by a trio of former Madrigal club members. They were Mrs. Olwen Rowland Maxwell, Mrs. Elaine Hansen Nelson and Mrs. Ruth Furste-

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T. A. Gustafson, 1911, taught until a few years ago when he chose the insurance field. He is now district agent for the Woodmen Accident, Central Assurance and Central Life Insurance company in St. Cloud, Minn.

Alfred Clynch, 1919, died February 28 in Seattle, where he had been living since 1920. Mr. Clynch served as attorney for the Great Northern railroad from 1920 until his death.

Frank V. Vyzralek, 1922, is general manager of the Fargo Motor Supply company in Fargo.

Edwin Guy Olmstead, 1944, is a resident physician in internal medicine at Milwaukee County hospital in Milwaukee, Wis. He is doing post-graduate work at the school of medicine, Marquette university.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. Swandby, 1948, (Anna Jean Elliott), 1948, recently moved from Minneapolis to Waynesboro, Va., where Swandby is employed by E. I. DuPont deNeMours & Co. They have a daughter, Sigrid Lynn, born August 13, 1949.

Lloyd M. Braff, 1936, is now located in Dallas, Texas, where he is traffic engineer for the city of Dallas.

Leonard D. Greenberg, 1941, left the Syracuse university chemical engineering faculty in 1947 and has been a group leader in one of the research and development divisions of the E. I. duPont deNeMours & Co. in Niagara Falls, N. Y. Greenberg writes that he enjoys receiving the ALUMNI REVIEW and reading what has happened to old classmates.

Adrian E. Lawler, 1949, is research laboratory technologist with the Minnesota mental health research program which was recently established. The laboratory headquarters are at Hastings, Minn.

Lloyd W. Dussell, 1949, is located in Beaumont, Texas, where he is a chemical engineer with the Pure Oil Company, Smith's Bluff Refinery.

Mrs. Victor L. Severson (Phyllis Grimsrud), former student 1947, lives in Milwaukee, Wis., and has two daughters, Pamela Kay and Deborah Ann. Mrs. Severson was a soloist with the Madrigal club while at the University.

Lloyd C. Peterson, former student 1922, is foreign auditor for the International Harvester



James E. Leo, 1938, is general chairman of the North Dakota department convention of the American Legion, to be held in Grand Forks, June 10-13.

company in Chicago. He lives in Arlington Heights, Ill.

Leonard C. Tharaldson, 1949, is employed at Cowlitz Heating company in Longview, Wash., as heating and air conditioning engineer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Stewart, 1920, (Vinnie Gjere), 1921, are back in New Ulm, Minn., after a trip to Cuba. On the way they also visited Hot Springs, Ark., New Orleans, La., St. Petersburg, St. Augustine and Natchez, Fla. Mrs. Stewart enjoyed painting some of the old plantation homes in the southern cities.

Mrs. Thomas Longmire (Rosemary Nostdal), former student 1936, represented the University of North Dakota at the inauguration of Dr. Dennis Hargrove Cooke as president of High Point college, High Point, N. C., February 23. Mrs. Longmire lives in Winston Salem, N. C., where her husband is finishing his last year at Bowman-Gray medical school. He will graduate June 5 and will intern at Saint Francis hospital in LaCrosse, Wis.

Capt. and Mrs. William Isham (Caroline Lipinski, 1946), are now living in Hawaii where Captain Isham is taking a residency in internal medicine at Tripler General Hospital. They have two sons, George, two, and Mark, seven months.

Dr. J. Duane Squires, 1925, Colby college, New London, N. H., is among persons who have long been interested in

world order and machinery for enduring peace—and are now assisting Dr. Hornell Hart of Duke university on a project, "Toward Concensus for World Law and Order." Among plans studied by this group are the United World Federalists, the American Association for the United Nations, the Atlantic Union Program, the Culbertson ABC plan and the Clearence Streit proposals.

Bill Misslin, 1948, sports editor of the Bismarck Tribune, has tied for second with 10 other sports writers in a \$1,000 contest to select a 25-year All-America football team. Misslin named 8 of the 12 players on the team correctly. The winner of the contest named nine of the players correctly.

Harry R. Arneson Jr., 1938, of the W. J. Lane company in Fargo, was named president of the Fargo board of realtors at their annual meeting.

Jack D. Mackenroth, 1939, is head football coach and advisor in the Hi-Line high school in Seattle, Wash. Mrs. Mackenroth is the former Phyllis Duckstad, 1939, of Grand Forks. They have two daughters.

Theodore J. Becker, 1950, is office manager at Lockwood Graders, Inc., in Grand Forks.

Donald W. Zelenka, 1950, is living in Jamestown, N. D., where he is employed by the J. C. Penney company.

Louise Sutton, former student 1937, was married January 19 to William Marshall Ferguson of Long Beach, Calif. Mrs. Ferguson has made her home in Los Angeles for eight years. Ferguson is a navy veteran and is connected with an oil firm.

Harold O. Staus, 1949, is a graduate student in economics at the University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, N. M.

Mrs. Grace Brown Putnam, 1904, of Napa, Calif., formerly of New Rockford, N. D., is now western editor of "Athenaeum," a poetry quarterly published at Branson, Mo. She was editor of "Prairie Wings" while in North Dakota.

D. B. McDonald, 1913, was recently named county judge of Ramsey county to succeed Henry Lemke, who died in January. McDonald resigned his position as public administrator of Ramsey county to accept the bench appointment.

J. E. Grinnell, 1921, dean of education at Indiana State Teachers college, wrote the article "A Boy's Room Is His Castle" which appeared in the November issue of Parents magazine.

A. Neil York, former student 1931, recently appointed scout executive for the Lake Agassiz council of Boy Scouts, began his duties in the Boy Scout office in Grand Forks January 11.

Mrs. Joseph Coghlan (Eda K. Thompson), 1902, of Bismarck, died in January in a Minneapolis hospital. After leaving the University, Mrs. Coghlan taught school at Thompson and Rolla, N. D. After her marriage, she resided at Maxbass and Grand Forks before moving to Bismarck.

Dorothy Swenson, 1948, became the bride of William K. Lowe, 1950, January 7 in Grand Forks. Mr. and Mrs. Lowe took a wedding trip to Chicago and returned to Grand Forks to make their home.

Gordon C. Hanson, Ph. D., 1936, represented the University at the inauguration of Harry Corbin as president of the University of Wichita March 9. Dr. Hanson is in the department of psychology at the University of Wichita.

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To 1952—O. B. Burtness, Mrs. Stella Mann, John M. Hancock, Dr. Richard Nierling and Dr. Willis Shepard.

University Alumni News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Mostad (Darlyne Erickson, 1946) who were married December 21, 1949, are living near East Grand Forks. After their marriage they took a wedding trip to New Orleans. Prior to her marriage, Mrs. Mostad was employed as a consultant dietitian in Chicago.

Gil Olson, 1943, was elected president of the Bismarck Quarterbacks club January 4. Other officers named were Bill Misslin, 1948, vice president. Olson has played a prominent part in Bismarck athletics for many years, having played with the Bismarck Phantoms during several seasons. He was a member of the Sioux basketball team while at the University.

William Gahr, 1940, director of the division of municipal engineering of the state health department, has resigned to become state sanitary engineer for the state of Colorado. Gahr is a native of Hettinger and received a master's degree from Harvard in 1947.

Dr. Orrin E. Tiffany, retired head of the division of history and social science at Wheaton college, and husband of the former Kathrine Bellanger, 1902, died at his home in Wheaton in February. An historian of note, Tiffany was the author of "Relations of the United States to the Canadian Rebellion of 1837-38," considered by historians to be the most authoritative work on the subject.

Capt. Robert G. Bjoring, 1940, former resident of Oslo, Minn., has been called to Washington, D. C., for duty as post exchange officer at Bolling field air force base. He was transferred from McChord air force base at Tacoma, Wash.

The Dahl clothing store of Bismarck recently announced the appointment of George Gronberg as manager of its shirt and suit department. Gronberg graduated from UND in 1927.

John R. Plaggmier, 1941, recently married Miriam F. Johnson of Seattle. Plaggmier is with the United States coast and geodetic survey and is being transferred from Seattle to Alaska.

Everett Lobb, 1935, has resigned as Fargo city sanitation engineer and has accepted a

position as director of the general sanitation division for the state health department at Bismarck. He is married to the former Josephine R. Lazier, 1930, of Grand Forks.

Paul Avery, former student, has assumed a position at Minot, N. D. as special agent and agency supervisor for the western half of North Dakota for the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company of Milwaukee, Wis. He is resigning a position with the North Western National Life Insurance company at Aberdeen, S. D. Avery is a native of Parshall, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bateman, 1947, (Marion Linfoot), 1947, recently moved to Park River, N. D., where they will make their home. Bateman received a degree in commerce from Northwestern university in January.

Loren M. Ness, formerly of Oklee, Minn., is the national boys' work director of the Evangelical Lutheran synod and works out of Minneapolis. Ness received his master's degree in education at UND in 1941.

Mary M. Volk of Webster, N. D., became the bride of Jerome F. Riley, 1942, of Lidgerwood, N. D., in a wedding in February at Fargo, N. D. The couple will reside at Fargo where the groom is an adjuster for the Hartford Accident and Indemnity company.

Lois A. Gray of Wilton, N. D., a 1950 graduate of the University, recently accepted a teaching position at Riverdale, N. D. She became the twentieth teacher in the Riverdale school system.

Miss Alice Otsea, 1947, of Bismarck recently accepted a position with the Lutheran welfare society at Fargo, N. D. She will be supervisor of children in the recently constructed children's home.

Glenn W. Pederson, 1948, of Minot, was among 45 students who were graduated recently from the American Institute for Foreign Trade, Phoenix, Ariz. The year of advanced study in foreign trade is designed to equip the graduate for a career as a representative of United States industry in international commerce.

John L. Burgum, a 1949 graduate of the University law



John F. Rohweder, 1915, is the new president of the Minneapolis - St. Paul Alumni club. While at the University, Rohweder earned letters in football, basketball and track. He was editor-in-chief of the Dakota Student, campus newspaper, in 1915-16. Rohweder is now practicing law in Minneapolis.

school, has joined William R. Mills in the practice of law at Bismarck. Burgum matriculated to the university from Washburn, N. D., and has been recently associated with an insurance firm in Fargo.

Donna Linberg, 1950, of Grand Forks recently accepted a position on the Dilworth, Minn., high school faculty. She will teach English and assist in library work. Miss Lindberg was Homecoming queen at the University in 1948.

Dr. John Brandenburg, 1948, of Bismarck, has accepted a two-year internship at Cooke county hospital in Chicago. Dr. Brandenburg received his degree of doctor of medicine in December from the Northwestern university school of medicine. He is married to the former Muriel Einarson, 1948, of Gardar, N. D.

Miss Delores Buckner of East Grand Forks became a February bride of Ronald T. Absey, former student, 1948. They will reside in Grand Forks, where the groom is employed with his father at Absey Motors, Inc.

Carl A. Person, certified public accountant at Bismarck, has been appointed to the membership committee of the American Institute of Accountants, national professional society of CPA's. Person graduated from UND in 1936 and is a partner in the accounting firm of Schantz and Person.

Promotion of Jacob N. Stocker of Bismarck to the rank of lieutenant colonel in the United States air force has been announced by the 10th air force headquarters at Selfridge field, Mich. Stocker is commanding officer of the 9750th volunteer air reserve squadron based at Bismarck. A 1935 graduate of UND, he is associated with the J. P. Wagner Insurance agency in the capital city.

Raymond Helland, 1950, of Erskine, Minn., recently accepted a position with the Farmers Equity association at Ashby, Minn. He holds the position of office manager.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell K. Bond now are at home in Sinclair, Wyo., after their marriage late this winter. Mrs. Bond is the former Alice Mae Hess of Hamilton, N. D. She graduated from UND in 1948 and has been on the Rawling, Wyo., high school faculty.

William J. Howitz, 1950, of Langdon recently accepted employment with the agricultural adjustment administration in Minot, N. D., as an executive secretary.

Kenneth I. Hall, former student, 1943, and Frances Krefitz were married at Grand Forks late in February. The couple will reside in Grand Forks.

Herbert P. Smith, a 1949 graduate of UND and a member of the Strandquist, Minn., high school faculty coached the high school basketball team this winter to a successful season.

Clayton L. Wretlind of Fargo recently received his commission as a second lieutenant in the regular army. Wretlind completed his work at UND in February and is awaiting army assignment.

Miss Marjory Fordyce, former student, 1947, was married recently to Erling Schoneberg of San Fernando, Calif. They will make their home in Grand Forks.

Foreign Students Attend U

A Moslem from Hyderabad, India, a pre-medical student from British Guiana in South America, a native of Estonia and a native of Hungary were among the new students who registered for the second semester at the University.

M. M. Jaffer, who arrived in this country two years ago from India, recently completed his work for a B. S. in chemical engineering at Michigan State college. Because of his interest in lignite research he has enrolled at UND to work on his masters degree. He joins C. V. S. Ratman, who was the first Indian national to enroll at the University and who is working on his doctorate in the field of lignite research.

Randolph Hubbell from Guiana is a transfer student from Macalaster college and is in his second year of pre-med. Frederick Hodash and Henn Ruus are being sponsored at the University by the Lutheran Students' association.

Hodash fled from his country when the Communists took over and had been in Austria before receiving his scholarship. He speaks five different languages and served as an interpreter for the French and American armies and is enrolled in the University law school.

Ruus likewise fled from his native country when the Communists took over and lived in various German refugee camps before coming to UND. He is enrolled in SLA.

Four Awarded Medic Licenses

Four UND alumni were among the 22 physicians who were granted licenses to practice in North Dakota by the North Dakota board of medical examiners in Grand Forks on January 7. The alums and their place of practice are: Myron J. Talbert, 1943, Grand Forks; Davis G. Jaehning, 1947, Fargo; William A. Thompkins, 1944, Grafton; and John McNeil, 1945, Hettinger.

Attend New York Alumni Meeting



At the head table at the Founders Day meeting of the New York city Alumni club were, left to right: Mrs. Glenn Geiger, Glenn Geiger, the late Dean J. V. Breitwieser and Mrs. Breitwieser, John M. Hancock, Mrs. Richard Westberg, Richard Westberg and Warren Hedlin.

University Graduate Talks on Cancer Work

The cause of cancer will be discovered and work being done at the University of North Dakota and other universities will help in solving the problem, according to a former McVille, N. D., man who is now head of the Minnesota university department of bacteriology.

He is Dr. Jerome T. Syverton, a 1931 graduate of UND, who returned to the campus to discuss cancer research before medical students and faculty members.

Dr. Syverton directs a team of six cancer research workers at the University of Minnesota. For the last 16 years he has specialized in studying the possible relationship of viruses to cancer.

At UND this work is paralleled by studies of Dr. Robert Fischer on skin cancer.

A good start on cancer study has been made at UND, Dr. Syverton said with the recent donation of \$42,850 by the North Dakota division of the American Cancer society to the University for research in this field.

Since leaving North Dakota, Dr. Syverton has been affiliated with the Rockefeller Institute for medical research in New York city, a professor at the University of Rochester and at Vanderbilt university.

Before joining the University of Minnesota staff he was at the University of Louisiana and with a naval research unit in the Pacific.

1950 GRAD WINS

Lester Dewing, 1950, of Portal, N. D., who received his degree in journalism at mid-term, was one of five students in the entire United States to win a top prize in a promotion letter judging contest conducted by the circulation department of Time magazine.

Entering the contest with the rest of UND journalism students, Dewing correctly placed four out of eight letters which drew the most Time subscribers. As a prize he received subscriptions to Life and Time.

After finishing his course at the end of last semester, Dewing went to Rolla, where he accepted a position in the editorial department of the Turtle Mountain Star.

APPOINTED

Mrs. Winifred Finlay Daly, 1936, recently received an appointment as assistant registrar. Mrs. Daly returned to Grand Forks several years ago and has been employed in the registrar's office.

WINS COMPETITION

The MERIDIAN TIMES, of Meridian, Idaho, edited by Oscar Buttedahl, 1930, won first place as the best all-around weekly newspaper in Idaho in its circulation class. It was the second successive year that The Times had placed first.

Madrigal Director Honored

The University of North Dakota Madrigal club presented its silver jubilee concert here with honors going to its director, Prof. Hywel C. Rowland, who has been with it since 1925.

Following its concert here the club opened its extended spring tour with a concert at Casselton. The club also appeared in Minneapolis, Clinton, Wis., Chicago, Maywood, Ill., and Fargo during the tour.

During its 25-year history, the club has been acclaimed by music critics throughout Minnesota, North Dakota and Illinois as well as in Winnipeg.

Rowland, during his 25 years at the University, has been associated not only with music at the University but with civic and area music interests. He has been active with the Grand Forks county Home-makers chorus, southeastern North Dakota choral festival and various church and civic music groups.

ALUM SPEAKS

Rev. William T. Baird, 1933, pastor of the Essex Community church in Chicago, was the guest speaker at an interfaith and racial brotherhood program under sponsorship of the East Chicago Ministerial Association January 22. The program was held in connection with Brotherhood Week in Chicago.

Lawyers Hear N. D. Attorney

North Dakota Attorney General Wallace Warner, 1936, spoke at a meeting of the junior bar association at the University commons March 8.

Warner spoke on the topic, "the office of the attorney general," in which he depicted some of the duties and responsibilities of the office and a few of the experiences he has had while serving in that capacity.

He was accompanied by Ernst Paul, who received a juris doctor degree last June and was chosen to serve as a special assistant to the attorney general for one year, under the program set up last year by Warner.

Paul spoke on the work he had been doing and the experience he has gained through his association with the attorney general's office.

Seniors Carney Winners

Judge Edward J. Devitt, 1934, recently appointed judge of probate court in Ramsey county (St. Paul), Minn., presided at the annual Carney Sing contest February 22.

The seniors were victorious. This is the third time the class of 1950 has won the competition. The award for the best original song went to the juniors for the song "Junior Hymn" written by Wendel Ellefson of Fosston, Minn.

Choreg for the event were Betty Spornitz of Park River, seniors; Phyllis Kjerstad of Grand Forks, juniors; Dorothea Thorgrimsen of Grand Forks, sophomores; and John Conroy of Grand Forks, freshmen.

E. C. Carney, 1904, founded the song contest in 1910. This was the 40th anniversary of the founding and the 25th year Prof. Hywel Rowland has acted as director for the affair.



Mrs. Paul C. Whitney (Barbara Schmitt, 1923) of Norfolk, Va., has gained prominence as a poetry writer. She is president of the Poetry Society of Virginia and is a member of the Poetry Society of America and the National League of American Pen Women. Her poetry appears in the New York Herald Tribune, Washington Evening Star, Better Homes and Gardens, Scientific Monthly, Nature magazine and others. She is married to Capt. Paul Whitney of the U. S. coast and geodetic survey. The poem below is reprinted from the Randolph-Macon Alumnae Bulletin.

DAKOTA BREADLANDS

By Barbara Whitney
Glacial, and prized of earth,
Dakotaland
Spreads purple loam beneath
the bowl of heaven,
Inverted over the wheat and
the corn's green stand—
Till a red moon lanterns the
tent of night, star-riven!
So were these breadlands,
golden now with yield,
White as the homesteader's
ghost, when winter swirled;
And the farmer froze, as the
blinding blizzard wheeled—
Lost on his intimate acres of
the world . . .
Here where the bison roamed,
out of multiple sowing
Marshals the spring the fall—
and back to spring,
When the red-winged black-
birds trill to the wild rose
blowing
The same pioneering phrase
meadowlarks sing . . .
Above the sapphire flax and
the soy-beans
The sky's illimitable home-
stead leans.

University Athletes Named in 50-year Poll

In recent polls conducted by a Fargo newspaper a number of former UND athletic greats were prominent in the voting.

In the poll to select North Dakota's greatest football player for the first half of the 20th century, the late Joe Flanagan, 1901, easily garnered enough votes for first place.

The fabulous Flanagan was almost a legend at UND, where he played as a high school student and during his college years as well for a total of seven years as an outstanding tackle.

Other UND men prominent in the voting were Fred (Nip) Felber, 1934, an end who now resides at Minot; Fritz Pollard, 1939, a back who now resides at Chicago; Glenn (Red) Jarrett, 1931, also a back who is the present athletic director at UND; and the late Gordon (Tubby) Moore, 1927.

In the poll to select the outstanding male athlete of the first half of the 20th century Jimmy Eckel of Valley City received top ranking. Numerous UND athletes of the past 50 years who were prominent in the voting were:

Flanagan; Jarrett; Pollard; Felber; Ed Boe, 1927, now residing in Grand Forks; Edgar (Dutch) Houser, 1922, who resides in Washington; Curt Schave, 1931, of Noyes, Minn.; Walt Dobler, 1942, now living at Grafton, N. D.; Lewy Lee, 1930, residing at Mayville, N. D.; Bob Lowe, 1917, residing at Fargo; Herman Witasek, 1935, residing at Oshkosh, Wis.; Art Busdieker, 1924, now at Deadwood, S. D.; Frank Richards, 1921, of Dickinson, N. D.; Ted Meinhover, 1934, now at Perham, Minn.; and Ralph Pierce, 1934, of St. Paul.

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aeau Everson. They were accompanied by Anne Holanitsch.

Devils Lake

Forty-five alumni from the Devils Lake area attended the first post war meeting of alumni at Devils Lake. The meeting was held in the Great Northern hotel and arrangements were in charge of John Howard Jr., 1935, and Dennis (Red) Huntley, 1947.

Miss Elsie Burr, 1900, represented the oldest class in attendance.

Howard was elected president of the group and Mrs. Milton Kelly (Sybil Baker), 1918, was elected secretary-treasurer.

Music for the evening was furnished by Mrs. Norris Amb (Evelyn Peterson) 1948. J. Lloyd Stone, 1930, alumni director, and Amos Martin, 1950, represented the University at the meeting. Those attending included:

Don Sheridan, 1941; Mr. and Mrs. Norris Amb, 1948, (Evelyn Peterson, 1948); John Howard Jr., 1935; Leon Borstad, 1939; Mr. and Mrs. J.

Adin Mann, 1925, (Myrtle Berg, 1931); Joseph McIntee, 1942; Elsie D. Burr, 1900.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack V. Traynor, 1914; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Serumgard, 1923, (Helen Fox, 1923); Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kelly, 1918, (Sybil Baker, 1918), Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Duffy, 1912, (Exzelia Beauchamp, 1913); S. K. Fisher, 1920; Glenn W. Anderson, 1949; Mrs. J. E. Agrest, (Gladys Schrader, 1927).

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Muehlhausen, 1929, (Violet Schrader, 1930); Mr. and Mrs. James A. Foley, 1933; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dawson, 1934, (Ruth Pillsbury, 1935); Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cranna, 1930, (Anna Paulson, 1929); Mr. and Mrs. Glen Miner, 1924, (Marcia Cussons, 1925); Glenn W. Toomey, 1928; Judge and Mrs. Donald Bruce McDonald, 1913; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Stiles, 1942, Leon Borstad, 1939.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Woll, 1924; Burton Stevens, 1935; Mrs. H. A. Lieberg (Olga Serumgard, 1914); Mrs. Harold Kelly (Ellen M. Mikkelsen), 1926; Amos Martin, 1950; J. Lloyd Stone, 1930; Walter Kiskler, Supt. F. H. Gilliland.

Chemistry Graduate Prominent

Dr. Philip W. West, 1935, head of the division of analytical chemistry at Louisiana State university, is gaining continued prominence in the field of chemistry.

In 1946 he and his family went to Rio de Janeiro, where he collaborated in researches with Professor Fritz Feigl who is one of the outstanding living scientists. This summer he hopes to go to Graz, Australia, where he has been invited to address the international congress on microchemistry.

He was recently elected a member of the international commission on new reagents and reactions and through this appointment hopes to go to Europe during 1952.

In addition to this, Dr. West has about 36 publications, including a book and a patent. One of his main activities is directing the L. S. U. symposium on modern methods of analytical chemistry, which is an annual meeting of outstanding scientists from all parts of North America.

Mrs. West (Tenney Constance Johnson, 1935) is director of the rush activities for the sororities at the Louisiana State university. They have two daughters, Dorothy Ann, 14, and Linda Kay, 15 months.

WRITES ARTICLE

Professor Keith Blinn of the University law school has been notified that his article, "Industrial Peace Through Compulsory Arbitration", will be published in the March issue of the "Management Review." Publishers are the American Management Association, Inc., in New York city, of which John M. Hancock, UND alumni, is board chairman.

SORORITY DONATES

A \$200 check for heart research was presented to John A. Page, director of the medical center at U. N. D., by Alpha Phi social sorority at the University. The money was raised by chapter activities during the past two years. Meanwhile, the sorority plans to start building a fund for 1951.

Dean Breitwieser

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31, 1884, Dean Breitwieser received his early education in the common schools at Tipton, Ind., and after two years at Arcadia, Ind., high school he entered Central Normal college at Danville, Ind. He received his bachelor of arts degree from Indiana university in 1907, and his master's degree a year later from the same school.

Taught Psychology

He received a doctor of philosophy degree from Columbia university in 1910 after which he went to Colorado Springs as professor of psychology, a subject he had taught as an assistant at both Indiana and Columbia.

In 1918 he went to the University of California as associate professor of educational psychology, from which place he came to the University.

Headed Summer Session

He served as director of the summer session of the University here a number of years and also taught at the summer sessions of the Universities of Illinois and Washington.

In addition to his social and religious connections, Dean Breitwieser was a member of a number of scientific and educational associations. He was a fellow in the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and a member of the American Psychological association, the American Genetic association, American Social Hygiene association, and Sigma Xi fraternity. In Berkeley, Calif., he was president of City Commons club.

Authored Books

His teaching work was supplemented by the authorship of a number of magazine articles that appeared in technical magazines and several books. Among the books he authored are "Attention and Movement to Reaction," "Psychological Effects of Altitude," and a number of others.

He was a former editor of the magazine "Western Advertising," and the University "School of Education Record." He also found time to deliver a number of lectures on psychological and business topics.

In 1910 on New Year's day, he was married to Miss Ruth Fowler at New York City. She was a resident of Brookville, Ind.

One of Dean Breitwieser's recreations was outdoor cook-

Alumni News Briefs

Clarence E. Hendrickson, former student, 1929, recently died at his home at Bancroft, Iowa. He was the owner of the Croft theater in Bancroft.

Archie McGray, 1931, Bismarck attorney, has been appointed U. S. commissioner for North Dakota by Federal Judge C. J. Vogel of Fargo. McGray is associated with the Provident Life Insurance company in Bismarck.

Lewis D. Shaw, 1950, has accepted a position as field representative for the Production Credit association at Dickinson, N. D.

Publisher Franklin Vikan, 1934, of Fosston, Minn., was recently re-elected president of the Polk County Editorial association. Vikan is also president of the Red River Valley Editorial association.

Ross Alm, 1948, is on the faculty of the University of Idaho at Moscow, Idaho. He teaches speech and radio work.

Elmer Skeie, 1931, of Hardin, Mont., is vice president of the Montana High School association. Last year he was president of the southern division of the Montana Educational association.

Elvers B. Rindy, a 1939 graduate of the UND school of commerce, has been living in Houston, Texas, the past five years. After leaving the University he was employed in Grand Forks for two years before joining the FBI. His duty with the FBI has taken him to New York and Chicago before sending him to Houston.

J. Cyril Taillon, former student, 1928, is now residing in Denver, Col. He is a radio m. c.

Leonard F. Griffin, 1942, has been transferred from Tokyo to Yokohama, Japan. His new address is c/o 64th Engr. Base Topo Bn., APO 500, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Spencer L. Skretvedt, a 1950 graduate of the UND school

ing, and his preparations of steaks at the annual picnic of the University summer schools was one of the features of the sessions.

of commerce is now employed by the Standard Oil company of Indiana at Fargo, N. D.

Dr. William Cape, a 1947 graduate of the University medical school, visited in Grand Forks during March. He received his M. D. from Northwestern university last summer and is interning at the Wesley hospital in Chicago, Ill. He is the son of the late Dr. T. Wilson Cape, prominent UND faculty member.

A. C. Paulson, 1948, formerly of Hallock, Minn., is now residing in Ames, Iowa. He is assistant manager of the Montgomery Ward store in that city.

Walter E. Babitzke, 1950, of Fredonia, N. D., is now living at Brocket, N. D., where he is superintendent and coach at the high school.

Dave C. Johnson, 1950, recently accepted a position with the Stanley Engineering company at Muscatine, Iowa. He is married to the former Dorothy M. Freegard, 1941, of Grand Forks.

Dr. Chester A. Anderson, a 1947 graduate of the University medical school is interning at Swedish hospital in Minneapolis.

CORRECTION

The total of the Tennessee contributions listed in the February ALUMNI REVIEW should have been \$15, not \$5 as printed.

Dr. Hutcheson Gives Awards

Dr. John Hutcheson, 1926 vice president of the Westinghouse Corp., Pittsburgh, Pa. presented the annual William J. Hutcheson memorial prize at the University of North Dakota engineers' convocation March 13. Hutcheson established the awards in 1938 in honor of his father. Prizes are awarded to students in the college of engineering who submit winning semi-technical articles for publication in the March issue of the North Dakota Engineer.