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Sioux Six Still Leads Close Race

North Dakota's hockey team, stunned by three straight setbacks at the hands of Minnesota, bounced back with two crushing defeats of Colorado college to regain their first place spot in the Midwest Collegiate Hockey League.

The Sioux invaded Minneapolis with a record of 12 straight victories for the season, eight in league play. They ran the string to 13 with a 7-5 victory in the first game of the series but went down to a 5-2 setback the next night.

The games in Williams arena on the Minnesota campus drew all-time record crowds for hockey in the Mill City—either college or professional. The first game drew 7,286 and the second broke that mark with 7,483 looking on. The arena seating capacity is 6,500. More than 1,200 fans from Grand Forks and other North Dakota points invaded the Twin Cities for the series.

The following week-end, when action shifted to the North Dakota Winter Sports building, the Gophers invaded with the prediction that they would win both games. They backed up the prediction with 3-0 and 3-1 victories in games featured by Minnesota Goalie Jim Mattson's tremendous work. Not until late in the last period of the second game could the Sioux crack his defense.

The two wins pulled Minnesota into a first-place tie with the Sioux, each team having 13 points. Fans were wondering if the end had arrived for Coach Cliff Purpur's crew but the hustling skaters quickly dispelled the gloom.

In the next two starts they routed Colorado college, 12-4

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UND Shows Steady Growth

The year 1952 for the University of North Dakota may be characterized as one of steady growth and consolidation.

Recognition of the University as a leading institution has come from the young people themselves, who are enrolling in greater number than was anticipated. Although all indications pointed to a drop in enrollment, which was experienced in other institutions in the United States, 2,400 students enrolled in the first semester of 1952. Many of them are Korean veterans.

The enrollment for the second semester of the 1952-53 school year is 2,174, more than 400 larger than the second semester enrollment of last year. The student body is made up of young men and women from every county in the state.

Firms Demand UND Students

University of North Dakota students are much in demand by various business firms who are seeking outstanding graduates. This year the engineering seniors have been offered very attractive positions in all sections of the country. The same is true of students in the Schools of Commerce, Education Law, and in the other schools.

The largest class in nursing ever to attend the University is now taking advantage of University facilities. One hundred and twenty-four girls are enrolled in the nursing courses.

Dormitories Solve Problem

The acute housing problem which has faced the administration for a number of years has been practically solved with the completion of the two new dormitories—Johnstone hall for women and Hancock hall for men.

These two new dormitories provide living conditions of a high standard. It is widely recognized throughout the country that proper dormitory life is an important educational factor, supplementing the class-room instruction in de-

veloping the well-rounded student.

Buildings Strengthen Program

In addition to the dormitories, other new buildings have provided much-needed facilities which greatly strengthen the academic program at the University. The new engineering building, opened at the beginning of the fall term, has not only brought about improvements in instruction but has enabled staff members to make valuable contributions to research in fields of vital interest to the state, particularly in the study of lignite and the dehydration of potatoes.

With the coming of oil to North Dakota, there came also a demand for petroleum engineers. A curriculum in petroleum engineering has been established and approved, offered as an option in the department of mining engineering.

Oil Creates New Interest

Oil developments have also created great interest in geology. One of the real needs at present is for a geology building which will give this department facilities for the instruction of the vast number of new students and also to carry on its work for the state.

Completion of the new addition to the medical school building is expected next summer. New facilities in that school and the addition of outstanding faculty members and the development of new courses, especially in biochemistry, have made possible the accreditation of the School of Medicine by the Association of American Medical Colleges, the Council on Medical Education, and hospitals of the American Medical Association.

Expand Cultural Aspects

The new Student Union and gymnasium have enabled the University to enrich its offerings. Far from being centers for recreation only, these buildings have made possible programs of an intellectual and cultural nature which be-

fore could find no place on the University campus.

The University has a proud record going back for nearly three-quarters of a century. Faculty, students and former students are sincere in their desire to keep the University of North Dakota in its distinguished place so that their children and children's children will look forward to following in the footsteps of their parents. Everywhere within the state and without the state, a pardonable and understandable pride will prompt old grads to proclaim "I am a former student of the University of the great state of North Dakota."

—John C. West
President

Medical Student Program Planned

A clinical clerkship program for sophomore students of the University school of medicine will begin this spring, according to present plans, Dean W. F. Potter of the medical school reported.

The dean said these students will be placed in medical centers throughout the state and will take active part in preparing case histories and conducting examinations.

The plan is designed to add necessary field experience to the training of the first two years in medicine. Similar programs have been carried out by South Dakota University.

NOTICE OF MEETINGS

New York: Friday, February 20, in the Oak Room of the Hotel Martinique, 32nd and Broadway, New York City, at 6:15 p.m.

Washington, D. C.: Monday, February 23, at the National Press Club, 14th and F Street, Washington, D. C., at 7:00 p.m.

News Briefs of University Alumni

Class of 1951

Kenneth L. VeVe, 1951, is taking eight weeks of basic training at Camp Breckinridge, Ky., after being inducted into the army in November. Before his induction he was employed by Eastman Kodak Co. of Rochester, N. Y., in the Navy Ordnance Division.

Paul Thonn Jr., 1951, is working as tool engineer at Boeing Aircraft in Seattle and taking law courses part time at the University of Washington. He is married to the former Phyllis Erickson who is also attending the University of Washington.

Arnold L. Braaten, 1951, is in the U.S. Air Force, stationed at Moody Air Force Base in Valdosta, Ga. He is Deputy Finance Officer.

Betty Siercks, 1951, is teaching ninth and tenth grade English at Cass Lake, Minn. Last summer she spent her vacation touring Europe for two months.

Fred E. Saefke Jr., 1951, is practicing law in Bismarck, N. D. He is married to the former Frances Marie Schubert, ex 1943.

Marian Olson, 1951, lives in Sauk Centre, Minn., where she teaches at the high school.

Wilmar A. Pewsey, 1951, is stationed with the army at Atlanta General Depot in the Judge Advocate Department. His wife was formerly Greta Larson, ex 1952.

Colleen McCullough, 1951, is assistant food editor for the San Francisco Chronicle in San Francisco.

Fred A. Chinquist, 1951, lives in Minneapolis. He is employed as test engineer for the Aeronautical Division of Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Co.

Mrs. Ben Richardson (Myrtle Johnson) 1951, is attending the University of California at Los Angeles, where she takes graduate work in social welfare.

Lt. Donald H. Casement, 1951, is platoon leader of the 81-millimeter mortar platoon of Company H, stationed in Europe. He expects to return home in August and go into business.

Mrs. William Corbett Jr., (Donna Hagelie) 1951, is living in Astoria, Ore. She has one daughter, Debra Denise.

Theodore O. Stutrud, 1951, is working as a design engineer in the San Francisco Naval Shipyard in California. He made a trip last summer to Japan and Korea to complete a habitability study on the CV9 class aircraft carriers.

John G. Barnes, 1951, is stationed in Korea and his assignment there is forecasting the weather at Seoul City Air Base. He took one year's meteorology schooling at the University of Washington before going into service.

Robert E. Hayes, 1951, is production industrial engineer at Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing branch plant in Cumberland, Wis. He is married and has one son.

Lt. Robert F. Green, 1951, is stationed at Williams Air Force Base, Arizona, where he is taking advanced pilot training in jet type aircraft. He will receive a short gunnery course after completing pilot training in February.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Melicher, 1951 (Barbara Foerster, 1951) are living in Clark, S. D., where Reed is managing the Gamble Store. They have one daughter.

Clifford Hill Jr., 1951, lives in Pittsburgh, Pa. He is employed as assistant electrical engineer for the Westinghouse Electric Corp., and is also doing work towards a master's degree in electrical engineering at the University of Pittsburgh.

Capt. David Kessler, 1951, expects to be released this month to inactive duty with the Marine Corps Reserve. At present he is defense counsel at Camp Pendleton, Calif.

Lloyd Giltner, 1951, is attending medical school at Northwestern University in Chicago. He is married to Shirley Bute, 1948.

Mrs. James A. Power, (Phyllis Kjerstad, 1951) is living in Memphis, Tenn. Her husband is a 1950 graduate of UND. They have one child.

Lt. Bernold M. Hanson, 1951, is stationed at Elsinore, Calif. where he is assigned to surveying work. He spent last summer working in the Yukon Delta of Alaska.

David J. Halliday, 1951, is in his first year of medical school at UND.

Lt. James D. Wright, 1951, is budget and accounting officer for Task Group 132.4 in the Marshall Islands. His wife was formerly Gloria Quanrud of Grand Forks.

Mrs. James Ferguson (Paula Matson, 1951) lives in Fargo, N. D. Her husband finished here in 1949. They have one daughter, Susan.

Harry Dobrovolny, 1951, is employed as engineer with the state of California Bridge Department. He is living in Sacramento. He is married and has one son.

Ensign Donald F. Rosscup, 1951, is stationed at Piney Point, Md., with the U.S. Naval Reserve. He returned to the University for Homecoming last year.

G. F. Lange, 1951, of Webster, N. D., is planning a trip to Europe. He spent the school year of 1951-52 at Georgetown University in Washington, D. C., working on a master's degree in American History. He worked for the U.S. Forest Service last summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Forney, 1951 (Dolores Stonestrom) are living in Grand Forks. Walter is an engineer with Lium and Burdick, Consulting Engineers and Dolores is employed as Grand Forks Home and Hospital teacher. They have one boy.

Lt. Joe A. Forberg, 1951, entered the army in September, 1951, and has been in Korea since July, 1952. He is platoon leader for the Second Infantry Division.

Walter M. Hlady, 1951, is working on a master's degree in history and geography at the University of Manitoba and at the same time is working with the Canadian Pacific Railway and doing free lance work with the Canadian Broadcasting Corp. He is married to the former Ora Gigstad, 1950. They have one child.

Albert L. Ducharme, 1951, is living in Virginia, Minn., where he operates the Garrick Cafe in partnership. He is married and has two sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bale, 1951 (Beatrice Grabau) live in Fargo, N. D. He is supervisor in the Disbursement Division of the Accounting Department of the Northwestern Bell Telephone Co., in Fargo.

Jack Traynor, 1951, is practicing law in Devils Lake with his father. Jack says he has "fallen into the usual after-college routine of joining — Elks, Country Club, Rotary, Quarterback Club and Junior Chamber of Commerce."

Emil T. Omlid, 1951, has his own insurance agency in Williston, N. D., with local agents working in McKenzie, Divide and Williams counties. He is married.

Ray E. Lutovsky, 1951, is a lieutenant in the army and is presently stationed at Guam.

Donald H. Crothers, 1951, is practicing law in Fargo, N. D., in his own firm. He was elected to the House of Representatives in the 1953-55 North Dakota state legislature.

James Blomquist, 1951, is working for Broecker and Hendrickson, a firm of Certified Public Accountants in Fargo. He received his C.P.A. certificate in January, 1952.

Robert K. Fruh, 1951, is associated with his father, A. M. Fruh, dealing in oil properties in North Dakota. He lives in Bismarck, is married and has three children.

Mrs. Donald Meredith, 1951 (Marjorie Rabe) lives in Glendale, Mo., where her husband (1950) attends Washington University Medical School. They have one daughter.

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News Notes of University Alumni

Richard H. Bruce, 1951, was discharged from the army in October, 1952, and plans to attend the University Graduate School of Business Administration next semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford A. Herman, 1951 (Marilyn Hunter) are living in Wolf Point, Mont., where he teaches Driver Training Education and History at the high school.

Gunnard K. Ness, 1951, is serving in the U.S. Army Field Artillery.

Earl Walter Paulson, 1951, is working as a Probation and Parole Agent for the Minnesota Youth Conservation Commission, covering 11 southern Minnesota counties. He received a master's degree in Social Work from Indiana University in August, 1952.

Floyd A. Peterson, 1951, is district representative for the Aid Association for Lutherans. Appleton, Wis., the leading Fraternal Life Insurance society of America. He is married to the former **Adelaide Zipy, ex 1948**.

Lyle M. Skjei, 1951, lives in Pasadena, Calif., where he is employed as design engineer with General Controls Co. He is married and has two children.

Mrs. Creighton Gilbertson, 1951 (Gloria Christensen) lives in Alexandria, Minn. Her husband is a 1950 graduate of UND and they have one son, Mark Lee.

Mrs. John E. Stutsman, 1951, (Loretta Lou Ferguson) is living in St. Paul, Minn., having recently moved there from Seattle. Her husband (1950) is employed by Minneapolis Honeywell Regulator Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hornstein, 1951, live in Minot, N. D. He is employed as retail salesman for Firestone Co. They have two boys, Mike and Philip.

Leland W. Schneider, 1951, is employed as a refining control engineer in the manufacturing department of the Standard Oil Co. of Ohio. He makes his home in East Cleveland.

Mrs. William E. Pond, 1951 (Joyce Lester) lives in Grand Forks. She teaches one day a week for the Grand Forks Symphony. Her husband graduated from the University in 1949. They have one girl.

Rita Ballantine, 1951, is teaching business subjects in the high school in Rugby, N. D. This is her second year at Rugby.

Wellde W. Frey, 1951, is attending the University of Louisville School of Medicine at Louisville, Ky.

Paul L. Ellefson, 1951, is a representative for Row, Peterson & Co., textbook publishers of Evanston, Ill. He covers the North and South Dakota area. He is married to the former **Jacqueline Schmid, ex 1951**.

Samuel D. Krause, 1951, lives in Portland, N. D., where he practices law.

Joseph R. Hankins, 1951, is a landman for Union Oil Co. of California, Exploration Branch, with Division Headquarters in Bismarck, N. D. He is married and has one child.

Frank Benson, 1951, is a senior at Northwestern Medical School in Evanston, Ill. He is married to **Donna Bagge Benson, ex 1948**.

Walford Popejoy, 1951, is a senior consultant geologist with Geo-Service in Abilene, Texas. He was consultant geologist on the fourth producing oil well in the Williston Basin of North Dakota and since then has logged wells in Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico and Texas.

Mrs. Vernon Kolding (Carol J. Moen) 1951, is living on a farm near McCanna, N. D. She has one son, Bruce.

James C. Leonard, 1951, is employed as a visitor for the Whitman County (Washington) State Department of Social Security.

DonnaLou Stewart, 1951, lives in Long Beach, Calif. She is nursing in the Veterans Hospital there.

Lt. Robert Jondahl, 1951, is stationed at Panama City, Fla., where he is taking a course in combat flying. He expects to leave soon for overseas duty.

Allan K. Scidmore, 1951, is taking graduate work in Chemical and Electrical Engineering at the University of Wisconsin.

Rita Roach, 1951, is Head Resident in one of the residence halls at Purdue University while finishing requirements for a master's degree in speech correction.

Joseph E. Bossoletti, 1951, is employed as an electronic scientist in the U.S. Navy Electronics Laboratory in San Diego, Calif. He is married and has two children.

Velda Sheldon, 1951, is employed as librarian in the high school at Staples, Minn.

Clarence B. Dahl is a second lieutenant in the air force. He is assistant air installations officer at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas.

Roy J. Hokkanen, 1951, is athletic coach and instructor in the high school at Bowbells, N. D. His wife is the former **Virginia Uggerud, ex 1949**.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Johnson, 1951 (Elise Murphy) are residing in Whittier, Calif., where they have bought their home. He is sales engineer for Westinghouse in Los Angeles and Elise is teaching seventh grade in Whittier.

Mrs. Ragna D. Hjelle (Mary Ann Omild, 1951) lives in Minneapolis. She is employed by Walker Employment Service and her husband (ex 1952) works for the Liberty Mutual Insurance Co.

Lt. Shelley Lashkowitz, 1951, is stationed at Fort Eustis, Va., where he is personnel officer for a truck battalion.

Donald B. McLeod, 1951, is information and education officer for an infantry replacement training regiment responsible for informing and educating large numbers of basic trainees, in Fort Riley, Kansas.

Lt. David L. Madsen, 1951, is stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., where he is an instructor with the Personnel Management Committee of the Infantry School. He expects to be at Benning for about 18 months.

Lt. Patrick J. Murphy, 1951, is in the air force and located at Rapid City Air Force Base, Weaver, S. D. He is married to the former **Mollie Lou Knudsen, ex 1950**, who teaches at the Base grade school.

James W. Poissant, 1951, teaches in the Bellingham, Minn., public schools. His wife, **(Mary Haggen, 1948)** also teaches there. Jim was recalled into the Navy in June, 1951, and served one year at the Iowa Naval Reserve Training Center.

Lt. Joseph W. "Buzz" Elliott, 1951, is on active duty with the Air Force and is stationed at Bartow Air Base, Bartow, Fla.

Ralph R. Archer, 1951, is electronics officer with a strategic air command radar bomb detachment in Oklahoma City, Okla.

David H. Larsgaard, 1951, is employed as supervisor of construction of substations for the Bureau of Reclamation in Northeastern South Dakota. He is married and has two children.

Gordon R. Eide, 1951, is in the air force where he works as a weather officer at Atterbury Air Force Base, Columbus, Ind.

Ruth H. Johnson, 1951, lives in Minot, N.D. where she is employed as a nurse at the Veterans hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Christopherson, 1951 (Myrna Christensen) are living in Elgin, Ill. Wes is an assistant counsel in the Law Division of Jewel Tea Co., Inc. in Barrington, Ill., and Myrna teaches fifth grade at Washington school in Elgin.

Charles E. Nelson, 1951, is attending Boston University School of Theology and lives in Bryantville, Mass. He is married to the former **Mary Sussex, ex 1951**, and they have one daughter.

George M. Unruh, 1951, is practicing general law in Homestead, Fla. His wife is the former **Elaine Berg, ex 1941**. They have two boys.

James R. Safstrom, 1951, is stationed in Dover, Del., with the Air Force. At present he is staff auditor with the 103st Auditor General Squadron.

Jean Sigurdson, 1951, lives in Minneapolis. She is assistant buyer in the sportswear department at Donaldson's department store.

Thomas Koehmstedt, 1951, is employed with the Washington State Highway Department. He was previously employed in the engineering department of Boeing Airplane Co. on the B-47 Stratojet.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hvidston, 1951 (Margaret Beck, 1951) are residing in Whittier, Calif. Paul is a civil engineer for the California Division of Highways working on the construction of freeways in the Los Angeles area.

312 Enroll In Engineering



E. L. LIEM
Engineering Dean

The rapidly expanding University college of engineering has an enrollment of 312 for the second semester of the 1952-53 school year and there is no indication that the total

will decrease during the next few years.

The tremendous interest developed from North Dakota's oil discovery has had its effect on the engineering department and a class of 115 freshmen in the college indicates many high school graduates are looking forward to careers in that field.

A breakdown on this semester's enrollment shows these totals for the different departments:

Electrical engineering 46; mechanical 27; mining 13; civil 50; industrial 10; chemical 10; geology 41; freshman 115; Total 312.

The new engineering building was opened for the 1952-53 school year and has aided immeasurably in relieving the overcrowded conditions under which the college had been operating for years.

As was pointed out recently, however, a new geology building is needed to care for the rapidly expanding work brought on by the state's new oil industry.

Sioux

(Continued from Page One) and 10-3 and jumped back alone in first place.

With 17 points in the league standings, the Sioux now need only two more to win a berth in the N.C.A.A. championship meet next month. They have two chances—a two-game series at Ann Arbor, February 20 and 21, against Michigan.

This hockey-mad city set a new attendance record for the first Minnesota game when 5,278 squeezed into the Sports building, which has a seating capacity of 4,600. The next night saw 4,495 on hand for a two-game total of 9,773. Thus the four games with the Go-hbers drew 24,542.

SIHOX BATTLE FOR LOOP CAGE TITLE

Coach Louie Bogan's basketball team, now a strong second in the North Central conference, heads into the home stretch with a fighting chance for the title after a series of outstanding performances following a bad start.

The Sioux hold down second with a 6-3 standing, trailing Iowa Teachers who

own a 7-1 mark. The Panthers are the next foe for the Bogan forces, playing here on the second night of their two-game swing into North Dakota.

The Sioux must win to stay in the running and they need help from the N.D.A.C. Bison also, but if both Bison and Sioux can beat the Peds, North Dakota will enter its crucial year-end series with the A.C. in a first-place tie.

This year the Bison open the big series here, February 20-21, then close things out at Fargo the next week-end.

Chuck Wolfe, the sensational Sioux scoring star from Minot, has a chance to break a flock of conference records. He is scoring at better than a 25-point-per-game clip and can establish new marks for game average, field goals and total points.

He already set up a new standard for total free throws for a season when he cashed eight against Morningside. That gave him 71 for the season, breaking the old record of 70, set by Ed Weber, another Sioux great from Minot a few years back.

Wolfe will hike the gift throw mark every time he

Alumni News Notes

Charles Fullhart, 1951, lives in Saratoga, Ind., where he teaches commercial subjects and mathematics in Saratoga High School.

Zdenek Marek, 1951, is designing women's dresses and separates for Andreama, Inc., in New York City. This fall several of his creations were featured in some of the leading fashion magazines.

Dale L. Johnson, 1951, is working on a Ph.D. in Psychology at Kansas University in Lawrence. His wife, the former **Carmen Acosta, ex 1952**, is finishing work on her degree at Kansas University and plans to do graduate work in either Sociology or Social work afterward.

Myron Bondelid, 1951, is employed by the Michelson Laboratory of the U.S. Naval Ordnance Corps at China Lake, Calif., as acting head of the Attitude Section of the Metric Photographic Branch.

Elaine Lebus, 1951, is teaching junior and senior high school home economics and physical education in Monticello, Minn.

Gordon L. York, 1951, is living in St. Cloud, Minn., where he is employed by the U.S. Weather Bureau. He worked for the Weather Bureau in Cheyenne, Wyo., before being transferred to St. Cloud. He is married and has one son.

sinks one but in his final games he is running into the league's two best defensive outfits so the going will be tough in other departments. He needs 25 field goals to top the record of 105 and needs 39 points for a new over-all point mark, now 273. Chuck has the Iowa game and two of the four against the Bison—the first in each two-game set—in which to set the marks.

He is far ahead now in individual scoring with 81 field goals, 71 free throws and 233 points. Runner-up is Jon Haaven, Sioux center, with 164 points.

Mrs. Marvin Sheldon (Shirley Bruner, 1951) lives in Bismarck, N. D. Her husband is a 1947 graduate of the University. They have one son.

Jean Claire Vangness, 1951, is a staff nurse at the John Moses Veterans Memorial hospital in Minot, N. D.

Myron Atkinson, 1951, is a first lieutenant in the Army Judge Advocate General Corps stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. He is married to the former **Margjory Barth, 1949**.

John D. Knudson, 1951, is taking advanced jet fighter training at Webb Air Force Base in Big Spring, Texas.

Glen G. Gense, 1951, is practicing law in Oakes, N. D.

Mrs. Morris Callahan (Jean Leeb) 1951 lives in Fargo, where she does office work for her father. Her husband is a former University student.

Lt. John E. Kruger, 1951, is stationed at Kirtland Air Force Base in New Mexico. He is chief of the Cost Section for the headquarters of the Air Force Special Weapons Center in Albuquerque, N. M.

Robert P. Dorsner, 1951, is claims examiner with the Allstate Insurance Company in Skokie, Ill. He is married.

Shirley Birkeland, 1951, is teaching commercial subjects in the high school at Lisbon, N. D. This is her second year in Lisbon.

Mrs. Adam Marshall (JoAnne Larson) 1951, is society editor and feature writer for the Bozeman Daily Chronicle, Bozeman, Mont.

Lt. and Mrs. Dewey Bushaw, 1951 (Patricia Knox, 1951) are living in Ventura, Calif. Dewey is stationed at Oxnard Air Force Base as meteorologist.

Ralph A. Heising, 1951, is in his second year of medicine at UND.

Rudolph Ziegler, 1951, is engaged as design engineer in the Ordnance Division of the Westinghouse Electric Corp. He is stationed in Sharon, Pa., but will leave soon for a tour of field test stations.