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## Pictorial Review of Camelback Inn Reunion

I know that Snowball, the Camelback Inn mascot, would agree with me in saying that

ATO group at Camelback Inn. Front row left to right: Victor Welo, 1923, Santa Barbara, Calif.; K. O. Hanson, 1923, San Marino, Calif.; Graham Lund, 1938, Los Angeles; Art Welo, Los Angeles; William Taillon, 1925, Guatemala City, Guatemala; Dr. William Durin, 1930, Long Beach. Back row left to right: Stanley Walsh, 1939, San Francisco and J. Lloyd Stone, 1930, Grand Forks.

Gamma Phi's attending the reunion were from left to right: Mrs. Ted Waldon (Borghild Mork, 1928), Mrs. Lloyd Nelson (Sylvia Steele), and Mrs. Hodet DeLaPoint (Ione Haagensen, 1929).

words. The photos in this issue were taken at this year's Inn reunion.

The pleasant weather, breath-taking scenery, warm hospitality, and over-all UND spirit made the reunion a big success for everyone.

Our special thanks go to Jack and Louise Stewart for their gracious hospitality. Dr. Min Hin Li of Honolulu again showered us with beautiful orchids.

We hope to see you ALL at next year's reunion.

## News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Neil V. Rendahl, 1955 (Merry K. Mattson, 1955) are now stationed with the Air Force at Wheeler Air Force Base. Their daughter, Randi Joy, was born in Hono-

lulu on September 15, 1956.

Marcella S. Wayner, 1952,
is a teacher in the Cheyenne, Wyo., Senior High School.

Roland H. Harm, ex1927, is the proprietor of a men's wear store called "His Shop" in Long Beach, Calif.



This picture is of a group of UND wives by adoption.



Mr. and Mrs. James Douglas, of New York City.



Jack Stewart, 1929, receiving Distinguished Service Citation from Mrs. Waldon.



The group of Sigma Chis at the reunion were seated left to right: Raymond Richards, 1906, Tulsa; J. R. Besse, 1905, Silver City, N. Mex.; David Boise, 1906, Silver City; Walter Burkman, 1924, San Marino, Calif.; standing left to right: Victor Brown, 1930, Los Angeles; Ed O'Connor, 1933, Los Angeles; Hodet deLa Point, Mott, N. D.; Paul Boyd, 1929, Hollywood; Lloyd Nelson, 1932, San Marino; and Herbert Procter, 1927 Tucson.



Thetas attending the reunion were from left to right: Mrs. Ralph Ferguson (Ruth Mac-Laughlin, ex23) and Mrs. Armin Rohde (Joy Suter, 1925).

### News Notes

The old days in Chandler Hall had a good going over by Charles Smiley, 1925, Fairless Hills, Pa.; Charles E. Greeley, 1937, Jansky & Bailey Inc., Washington, D. C.; Clarence Ressler, 1943, C. H. Masland & Sons, Carlisle, Pa.; and Professor E. C. Lawson of the UND Engineering College when they met at the annual meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers in New York City. This was the first reunion of this kind they had ever had.

They plan to meet again next year at the College Reunion Desk at Thursday noon during the annual A.S.M.E. meeting. The first little group is sure to grow.

**Bruce Adams, 1952,** was a visitor at the University in December. He is employed by the Health Department of Anchorage, Alaska.

C. Norman Boehm, Jr., 1950, is engaged in oil manufacturing research in New York with the Arabian American Oil Company. He spent two years in Ras Tanura and Dhahran, Saudi Arabia with the same company.

Robin Gartner, 1955, has taught in a dependent school in Bordeaux, France. He is now teaching at the Hahn Air Base near Frankfurt, Germany, also in a dependent school. His wife and daughter are with him.

The following is an excerpt from a recent letter from Robert A. Kennedy, 1940.

"I'm starting Monday, December 17, as Controller for Maling Bros. Inc. in Chicago. They're a retail women's shoe store chain operating in the mid-west.

"For the past seven years I've been with Lord's a department store in Evanston, as Ass't Controller.

"We've four children now, Kathleen 12, Maureen 10, Michael 5, and Colleen 3.

"Never see or hear of anyone from the University, but mainly my own fault for not getting to a reunion or so. Keep the news coming, and perhaps I'll get back there some day."

John J. Rasmussen, 1951, is a chemical engineer with Du-Pont Co., in East Chicago.

David M. Gullickson, 1956, is a research engineer in Redwood City, Calif.

## News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gilbert, 1950 (Ila Mae Lohse, 1948) have moved from Oakland, Calif. to Seattle, Wn. Mr. Gilbert was transferred to Seattle as Resident Engineer for the Factory Mutual Engineering Division of the Associated Factory Mutual Fire Insurance Companies. Mrs. Gilbert resigned her position as Ass't Chief Dietitian at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Oakland, prior to moving to Wn.

Allen O. Dragge, 1941, West Coast Manager, A. O. Smith, Corporation, who for several years has been a director of the California Manufacturers Association, has been elected to the Vice Presidency of that organization.

Walter G. Curtis, ex1910, has retired after 20 years of service with the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company's home office in Milwaukee. He and his wife are happily located in one of the Trailer Villages in St. Petersburg, Florida.

T. W. Thorson, Jr., 1948, is now at Northwestern University as an instructor in Music Education. He teaches instrumental methods (class strings, class winds) and assists with Advanced Instruments. At the same time he is Assistant Director of the Music School Placement Bureau and also teaches in the Evanston Public School system part time. His wife, the former Margaret Anderson, 1948, is also a former UND band member.

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Members of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity who were in attendance at the UND reunion are, seated left to right: John Williams, 1906, Washburn, N. D.; Waldemar Westergaard, 1906, Los Angeles; Armin Rohde, 1925, Grand Forks; Earl McFadden, 1912, Grand Forks; standing left to right: Visitor: Frank Robertson, 1928. La Jolla, Calif.; J. Lafe Ludwig, 1931, Beverly Hills; Visitor; John E. Fields, 1935, Santa Monica; Bill J. Harris, 1934, Walnut Creek, Calif.; Ralph Moe, 1945, Griswold, Iowa; Gordon Dablow, 1933, La Porte, Ind.; Ralph Ferguson, 1928, Los Angeles.



Four lawyers who attended Camelback. Left to right: Dewey Balch, 1932, Minneapolis; Ed O'Connor; Stanley Walsh, 1939, San Francisco; and James Douglas.



Some of the Old Timers at the Camelback Reunion. Front row left to right: Henry Lykken, 1905, Minneapolis; David Boise, 1906; Waldemar Westergaard, 1906; Raymond Richards, 1906. Back row left to right: James Douglas, 1900; John Williams, 1906; George Challoner, 1911, San Francisco; and J. R. Besse, 1905.





Three alumni traveled long distances to attend the reunion. From left to right: Earl McFadden, Grand Forks; James Douglas, New York City; and Webster Pullen, 1929, San Juan, Puerto Rico.



Five doctors who graduated from the UND Medical School meet with former instructors. Seated from left to right: Dr. French and Dr. Abbott. Back row left to right: Drs. Ralph Ferguson, J. Lafe Ludwig, William Durnin, Ralph Moe, and Frank Robertson.



Mrs. William Durnin, Mrs. Armin Rohde, and Mrs. Ted Waldon admire orchids sent to reunion by Dr. Min Hin Li of Honolulu.

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### News Notes

Harvey Kees, 1938, is now working as a Senior Engineer at Motorola Research Laboratory in Phoenix, Arizona, and would appreciate hearing from any old UND acquaintances who might be passing his way.

Edwin Madsen, 1946, is with the Shea Chemical Corporation at Jeffersonville, Ind. He has been appointed to a managerial post with the same corporation in New York and will move to Connecticut soon.

Andreas G. Ronhovde, 1929, is now the Deputy Chief of Mission, Counselor, at the American Embassy, in The Hague, Netherlands. He formerly was with the American Embassy in Stockholm, Sweden.

L. W. Mundy, 1950, has been appointed chief engineer for Pioneer Engineering Works, Inc., Minneapolis, a subsidiary of Poor & Co., Chicago. He joined Pioneer in 1950 and assisted in the development of the company's bituminous paver. In his new position Mundy will be responsible for design of all bituminous mix plants and the paver.

After completing a residency in obstetrics and gynecology at the University of Minnesota Hospitals, Dr. Richard H. Leigh, 1945, has re-entered practice at the Leigh Clinic in E. Grand Forks and Grand Forks. He left practice in 1951 for two years of military service, after which he began his postgraduate specialty training. He is now associated with his father, Dr. Ralph E. Leigh, 1922, and brother, Dr. James A. Leigh, 1949. Another brother, Dr. John E. Leigh, 1952, is in surgical specialty training at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn.

**Leonard G. Iljana, 1952**, is teaching in Shell Beach, California.

Kenneth M. Swenson, 1956, is an accountant in St. Paul, Minn.

Lloyd D. Witter, 1917, is the owner of the Witter Photo Supply Co. in San Angelo, Texas.