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## Committee Rolls Out Welcome Format



**HOMECOMING ARRANGERS:** Lining up a full schedule of activities for all UND alumni and friends is this Grand Forks committee. Seated, left to right, are Mrs. Donald L. Anderson, Mrs. Gary Anderson, Mrs. William Charlesworth and Mrs. William D. C. Blair; standing are Lloyd Richmond, Mrs. J. Lloyd Stone, Mrs. Henry A. Hansen, Mrs. John McEnroe, and Luther Bjerke. Mrs. Richard Smith, chairman of the Saturday night party, was not present when the picture was taken.

## Five Alumni Honored with Sioux Awards

One of the highlights of the 1965 UND Homecoming will be the presentation of Sioux Awards to five outstanding Sioux Alumni in a special ceremony during half-time of the football game October 9.

Selection of the Sioux Award winners was made after a careful evaluation by an Alumni Citations committee. The five honored alumni will join an outstanding group of former Sioux Award winners.

Alphabetically, they are Weston Christopherson, B.S.C. in 1949, J.D. in 1951; Leonard Crawford, Class of 1937; Paul Larson, Class of 1950; Ed Madsen, Class of 1940; and Hugh Moore, Class of 1933.

Each is outstanding in his profession, and all are loyal supporters of the University of North Dakota.

### Jewel Tea Executive

Christopherson, a native of

Walum, N. D., was born in 1925, attended school in Hanaford, and served in the U.S. Navy until 1946. He enrolled at UND in 1946 and earned a B.S.C. degree in 1949, then his Juris Doctor degree in 1951.

His wife is the former Myrna Christensen (UND 1951), of Kenmare, and they have two daughters. They make their home at Lake Forest, Ill. Christopherson joined Jewel Tea Co. as an attorney after his graduation and is currently vice president and a member of the Board of Directors of Jewel, as well as executive vice president and director of Osco Drug, Inc.

### Heads Nation's Engineers

Crawford was born and raised in North Dakota, receiving his high school education in Bismarck and his

Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering from UND in 1937.

Following his graduation from UND, he joined a consulting engineering firm in Springfield, Ill. and held this assignment until World War II. After his Army service, where he gained the rank of Lt. Colonel, Crawford became a partner in the firm of Crawford, Murphy and Tilly Consulting Engineers in Springfield.

The firm is engaged primarily in the civil engineering field. Crawford is a registered structural engineer in Illinois and a registered professional engineer in Illinois, Missouri, Iowa and Wisconsin. He is a member of several engineering societies.

This year, Crawford is serving as president of the Con-

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## Fight on Sioux

# Many Alums Expected for Homecoming

It's strictly Homecoming A-Go, Go for 1965 with the annual celebration scheduled on the UND campus October 8-9 with a full week-end schedule of events and excitement.

A highlight of the 1965 Homecoming will be the reunions of classes of 1940, 1954 and 1955.

The events get underway at 2 p.m. Friday, October 8, with registration in Twamley Hall administration building. Registration will continue until 4 p.m. Also scheduled Friday afternoon are tours of the campus and dedication of Leonard Hall geology building.

Starting at 4 p.m., there will be a carillon concert. Social hours and dinners are scheduled from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. for the reunited classes. The Alumni Board of Directors dinner is also scheduled Friday evening.

Saturday blasts off with the annual Homecoming parade in downtown Grand Forks, starting at 10 a.m. A smorgasbord is scheduled from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the University Center.

Center of attraction on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 p.m., will be the UND Stadium, where the Sioux football team will tangle with the South Dakota State Jackrabbits. Fraternities, sororities and dormitories will hold open houses after the gridiron clash, while a carillon concert will be held at 4:30 p.m.

Climax of the two-day Homecoming will be the annual all-alumni party at the Grand Forks City Armory-Auditorium starting at 7 p.m. Paul Hansen's orchestra will be featured for dancing, and a buffet dinner will be available for those desiring to eat.



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## Hike UND Fees

Students who enrolled at UND this fall found higher fees in effect, but a college education at the University of North Dakota is still a bargain when compared with other institutions of higher learning.

Students from North Dakota, who are enrolled full-time, will pay approximately \$375 in fees for the 1965-66 academic year, while non-resident students pay about \$705 on a full-time basis. Students in law, medicine, and engineering pay slightly more than their colleagues, due to the higher cost of books, materials, and some fees in those fields.

The cost of room, board, books, and materials for an in-state student, including tuition, totals about \$1,060, while an out-of-state student must pay about \$1,400.

## GAIN PROMOTIONS

Three promotions for UND alumni have been announced by Arthur Andersen and Co., a Minneapolis based accounting firm.

Richard W. Earp, '54, has been named manager in the tax department, while Lyle C. Kasprick, '59, is now manager in the tax and small business departments. Both are in the Minneapolis office.

Duane O. Quist, '57, has been promoted to manager in the administrative services department of the firm in the St. Louis office.

## REPORT from the CAMPUS

By J. LLOYD STONE



Cool, clear, crisp, "football" weather has come to North Dakota chasing away the drowsy heat of summer and shaking the UND campus out of its late-summer lethargy.

Autumn brings a re-awakening at colleges across the country, and we are no different. The predicted avalanche of freshman has arrived—and then some. As I write this more than 1700 have come to register; when most of us alumni were in school, the entire student body wasn't that large!

As elsewhere we'll have a few problems in some areas accommodating that number, but we love 'em and will be glad to welcome them as alumni in a few years.

—UND—

A letter recently received from Henry Syverud of Dagmar, Mont., contained some interesting reminiscing about Davis Hall. The picture in the September REVIEW of Davis being destroyed prompted him to write: "My copy of the '06 Dacotah helps me to remember my fellow students and in particular, Ladies Hall.

"As a new beginner, I was instructed in the 'Social Graces' in the 'Commons' that served as our dining hall, and I must of course refer to the Reception Room where I met at the 'Reception for the new Students' the experienced and trained persons who made me Welcome and at Home, and the many beginners, like myself.

"I was placed at the table assigned to me with Ida Forrest, J. F. T. O'Connor, Mary B. Flemington, Olgar B. Burtness, and Helga Swarstad as our 'Hostess.' I was lost in the presence of these advanced students and my old enemy of being bashful kept me tongue tied, so I was far from being the life of the party, but may have created some influence.

"My many contacts with President Merrifield and the instructors, particularly Dr. O. J. Libby, could fill pages." Mr. Syverud attended the University in 1904-1905 and is an active correspondent with the Alumni Office.

We note with pleasure that the new president of Sertoma International is a UND alumnus. H. A. Zethren of York, Nebraska, assumed that position on July 1. Mr. Zethren graduated from the University in 1930 and owns and operates the Zethren Coast to Coast Stores of York. He also is vice president and executive secretary of the Greater Nebraska Corporation with offices in Lincoln; executive secretary of the Greater Nebraska Life Insurance Company of Lincoln; chairman of the Board of Public Works of York; and a member of several other boards.

—UND—

The University was proud to present at its August commencement an honorary doctorate to Thomas C. Barger, oil executive from Saudi Arabia and a 1931 graduate of UND. I'd like to quote the citation presented to Barger in conjunction with the degree: "As a young man you went East, instead of West, to seek your fortune, and you helped find new treasure in the desert of Saudi Arabia. Even in your early years the old king of that country, praising you as a 'first-rate man,' predicted that you would be a leader. Later, as President and Chief Executive Officer of the Arabian American Oil Company, your skill and resourcefulness have won for you the respect and gratitude of the many who have seen the king's prophecy come true. Your career reflects the finest standards of service. Because of your deep interest in the area in which your firm operates, you have seen schools built, factories financed, and health programs developed. Scientist, administrator, and practical man of business, your Alma Mater proudly confers upon you the degree of Doctor of Laws."

—UND—

When the school bells rang at Bismarck this fall three long-time faculty members were among the absent. Retiring last spring were Mrs. Lucile Anderson, Miss Louise Johnson, and Miss Rita Murphy. They were all students

at UND at the same time, and all began teaching at Bismarck high school in the mid-twenties.

—UND—

Miss Johanna Kildahl of Maza, North Dakota, and Chicago, Illinois, visited the University on September 13 and enjoyed a party in honor of her 98th birthday. Miss Kildahl, according to our records, is our oldest living graduate. She started the University in 1891 and was a Normal Graduate in 1896. In 1898 she received her B.A. and in 1900 her M.A. degrees. She taught in the biology department from 1898 to 1905 and received her doctor's degree from the University of Chicago in 1909.

At the age of 98 she was offered a job by the officials of Towner County to become Curator of the Historical Museum there, but she did not accept the position because of commitments in Chicago.

It was a pleasure to welcome Miss Kildahl to the campus, and we hope she'll return for another party when she reaches her 99th year.

—UND—

"Every Day is Homecoming" is the title of an article in the University of Minnesota Alumni News written by Ed Haislet, executive director of the U of M alumni association. In the article Haislet gives some of the reasons why alumni no longer take part in Homecoming programs.

He states that actually more alumni are returning to homecoming games than ever before, but because of the speed of air travel and the popularity of "club buses" to avoid traffic and parking problems they spend no time on campus and so do not take part in the especially organized activities, no matter how attractive they might be.

He continues that since the academic campus is no longer set apart but an integral part of the community identified with the people and with the welfare of the state and nation, and since the people of the community and the state are on the campus numerous times during the year as visitors or

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## Larson Named Ad Manager



**RAYMOND D. LARSON**

Raymond D. Larson, who was graduated with a degree in journalism from UND in 1953, has been appointed advertising manager for the Crane Co., Chicago, where he will manage all advertising, sales promotion and public relations activities for the firm's plumbing, heating, air-conditioning, industrial and engineered products.

Larson joins Crane from General Electric, where he held advertising positions for nine years. He has authored numerous magazine articles and was presented the "Industrial Marketing Magazine Idea Man" award trophy in 1962. In 1963 he was winner of the Associated Business Publications competition for most effective use of advertising in industrial publications.

A native of Northwood, he makes his home in Western Springs, Ill., a Chicago suburb.

### U GIVEN ANTENNA

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration has given UND a tracking antenna recently phased out of the program because of changes in transmitter wave length. The antenna will be set up on or near the campus as a model for study.

### NAME ACTING DIRECTOR

Merton W. Andresen, associate professor of education at the UND-Ellendale Center, has been appointed acting director of the Center, according to Ben G. Gustafson, dean of the UND General Extension Division.

# Many Nodak Alumni Associated with Gamble-Skogmo, Inc., Over Decades

Gamble-Skogmo, Inc., a Minneapolis firm with a far-flung chain of Gamble retail stores, has an impressive list of people who at one time or another attended UND and were subsequently employed by the Gamble organization.

B. Fred Davidson, vice president of the Gamble firm, made a check of the records recently and determined that about 50 UND alumni had been associated with the organization, many of them immediately after graduation from UND.

Davidson began his career with Gamble-Skogmo, Inc., at Minneapolis shortly after his graduation from UND in 1927 and was one of six UND alumni honored with Sioux Awards last year.

Among the UND alumni who have been employed by Gamble-Skogmo, the dates of their graduation from UND, and their present location, are: Don Anderson, 1951, Minneapolis; Tom Bachmeier, 1961, Mayville N. Dak.; Don Blasing,

1952, Norfolk, Va.; Edmund M. Boe, 1927, Grand Forks; Vic Brown, 1930, Newport Beach, Calif.; George Brunskill, 1922, Esterville, Iowa; John Crosby, 1951, Fairbault, Minn.; B. Fred Davidson, 1927, Minneapolis;

Ellis Elstad, 1953, Bowbells, N. Dak.; Lucile Getchell Farmer, 1928, Minneapolis; Clarence Gibson, 1927, Chicago, Ill.; Erling Grinley, 1932, Minneapolis; Nancy Halpin, 1950, Spokane, Wash.; Burt Helgoe, Minneapolis; Robert Hanmer, 1950, Idaho Falls, Idaho; Claire Jensen, 1952, Lewistown, Mont.; Arnold Kirkness, 1928, Winnipeg, Man.;

Chet Mattson, 1926, Sioux Falls, S. Dak.; Jud Mayer, 1924, Payette, Idaho; Reed Melicher, 1951, Jamestown, N. Dak.; John Ness, 1952, Helena, Mont.; William Nicklawski, 1950, Hillsboro, N. Dak.; Ray Olson, 1931, Minneapolis; Eli Peinovich, 1951, Kinney, Minn.; Robert Phillips, 1936, Grand Forks; Robert Poyzer,

1950, Fergus Falls, Minn.; Cecil Reid 1952, Madison, Wis.; Phil Ribble, 1934, Coldwater, Mich.; Art Robertson, 1923, Chevy Chase, Md.;

Floyd Rolfe, 1953, Pierre, S. Dak.; Bruce Rutherford, 1928, Winnipeg, Man.; Richard Sorlie, 1952, Fargo, N. Dak.; Fred Sorkness, 1928, Santa Rosa, Calif.; Dean Swett, 1950, Shelton, Wash.

Davidson pointed out that the employment records do not show the detailed history of many individuals. Other names of former UND students who were on the Gamble personnel list but whose whereabouts are not known to the UND Alumni office include James Devlin, Tom Ferguson, J. Pat Ferry, Dan Fowle, Fleming Gibson, Gil Halverson, Bill Kloubec, Bud Nelson, Miles Schwan, Newell Thatcher, G. S. Webster, Ted White and Gordon Wagsland. Anyone who has information concerning these alumni is asked to send it to the Alumni office.

## Campus Report

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participants in one activity or another, that Homecoming as such is no longer necessary.

Mr. Haislet's statements and the reasons he gives for them apply to UND in some measure. But an important function of Homecoming has been forgotten — that of renewing old acquaintances and friendships. Your continued support will help prevent our Homecoming celebration from joining the parade of fine old traditions that have been dropped.

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Homecoming at the University of North Dakota will be October 8 and 9. Join us in cheering for the Sioux against the South Dakota State Jackrabbits, touring the new buildings on the campus, and visiting old friends. We'll be looking for you!

**William J. Ridley, '61**, has been appointed as assistant headmaster at St. Thomas Academy in the Twin Cities. A native of Mandan, he was on the St. James High School faculty for eight years, serving as coach and assistant principal.

## General Returns to Alma Mater



Left to right, Freshman Basketball Coach Lou Bogan presents a key to Brig. Gen. Donn Pepke, '39, former Sioux cage star from Minot, as Athletic Director L. R. Marti and Head Basketball Coach Bill Fitch look on.



## NEWS NOTES

**Dr. Donald J. Strand, '43**, has been appointed a medical defense hospital consultant in the State Health Department



for the New York State Department of Health at Albany, N. Y. He recently retired from the Army Medical Corps with the rank of lieutenant colonel. A native of Mandan, Dr.

Strand will help to advise medical schools and hospitals on planning, developing and teaching emergency hospital services.

**G. Darryl Eidler, '57**, has been named Zone Fashion Merchandiser for the J. C. Penney Co., and has moved from Milwaukee to Chicago. He and his wife, the former **Mary Jo Davies, '55**, have five children and reside at Arlington Heights, Ill.

**Capt. James O. Hays**, former UND ROTC faculty instructor who earned his masters degree at UND in 1965, is instructing Vietnamese pilots in combat flying at Bien Hoa Air Base, Viet Nam. He says his biggest teaching barrier is the language.

**Ray Jeffrey, '30**, has been named Director of the Industrial Section of the Missouri C.I.D. A member of the 1930 UND law class, he is married to the former **Ethel Thomas, ex'31**, and they make their home in Jefferson City, Mo. She attended UND, and had two years of pre-law and one year of law before changing her career to "housewife." They have two sons and a daughter.

**Paul J. Zollare, '63**, has been named a Peace Corps Volunteer after completing special training at Princeton University. He has been assigned to Turkey where he will take further training and will then be assigned to a secondary school in Turkey where he will teach English language.

**Richard Glaser, '59**, is an internal auditor with Western Electric in Chicago. He and his wife, the former **Patricia J. Geiszler, '60**, have three sons and make their home at Westmont, Ill.



**Mel A. Gores, '64**, has completed a one-year personnel management trainee program with the Veteran's Administration and is now a personnel manager on the staff of the VA Hospital, N. Y.

**Lt. Michael J. Trent, '61**, has been awarded



his silver pilot wings upon graduation from flying school at Williams AFB, Ariz., and is now assigned to MacDill AFB, Fla. Lt. Trent is a member of a family that are all UND graduates! His father, **L. W. Trent, B.A. '38, M.S.Ed., '45**, is now Director of University Relations at Stout State, Menomonie, Wis. Their daughter, **Sandy, '62**, worked for a year and a half in Honolulu, is now a caseworker at Cass Lake, Minn. Mrs. L. W. Trent, the former **Eleanor Eide, '38**, is contemplating going back into teaching, after a year's "break".

**John E. Peterson, '36**, has been named Director of the Office of Executive Programs at the University of Southern California's Graduate School of Business Administration. Peterson moves to USC from Northwestern University where he had been director of their Institute for Management. During the past year, he organized the first international executive program for multinational companies and will journey to Switzerland this fall to open the first session. He has served in executive capacities with the Scientific Instrument Co. of Detroit, the Ford Co., and the Chemical Bank New York Trust Co. of New York.

**Lt. Robert G. Gray, '63**, has been graduated from the U. S. Air Force communication officers training course at Keesler AFB, Miss. He is assigned to Kadena AB, Okinawa.

## Sioux Sports Schedule Busy

The Fighting Sioux football team heads into the 72nd year of competition with a young and eager squad of 42 players. Sixteen lettermen return from last year's squad championship unit.

Coach Marv Helling's club whipped Bemidji State, 20-6, to open the season. There is a note of optimism among the coaches, fans and the players themselves. Helling figures the Sioux, despite having 22 sophomores on the roster, will develop into a tough unit.

Some of the grid names you'll be hearing include flanker Ron Green, quarterback Corey Colehour, end Dave Lince, guard Roger Bonk, halfback Ronnie Bergh, and fullback Jerry Evenson.

In the North Central Conference race the forecasters predict a three-cornered fight between the Sioux, State College of Iowa and North Dakota AC (State). This year we take on the Bison at Fargo and we'll be shooting for our 13th straight win. Of course, the Fargo talk has been quite hot and heavy predicting a Bison victory.

Homecoming October 9 will find the Sioux facing South Dakota State, which shapes

up as a real clash between UND's newly-installed prototype offense and the air-minded Sodaks.

Our road schedule finds us at State College of Iowa October 2, at North Dakota State October 16, at South Dakota U October 23, at Montana State October 30 and at Idaho State November 6 to end the season.

With school just underway there is talk about the great freshman basketball team which has been recruited by Coach Bill Fitch. Similarly, Coach Bob Peters has brought in some fine hockey players. We are expecting great things from both of these teams again this season.

Despite a great deal of rain, great changes are underway on campus parking adjacent to Memorial Stadium, with the three-block long intramural field being black-topped. All preliminary work on the new Raymond Richards Golf Course has been completed, with the nine-hole course to be seeded next spring. This will be a very fine course and one which all UND officials are thankful for to Mr. Richards for his loyalty and generosity.

## Former U Gridders Make Pro Teams

There is an old "saw" about so-called small college football players not being the equal of their major status collegiate competitors. Five former Sioux have knocked another prop from under that proposition.

Dave Osborn, former Cando, N. D. resident, has earned a running back berth with the Minnesota Vikings and defensive tackle Mel Boehland has won a spot on the Viking's "taxi squad."

Collin Versich, formerly of Hibbing, Minn., has done well with the Dallas Cowboys as a field goal kicker and currently is on the disabled list following a knee operation. Word from Dallas has it that Versich is the best kicker they have. Versich will be kicking again in about a month after his leg mends.

Don Gulseth, formerly of Alexandria, Minn., has earned a starting guard-linebacker job with the Providence, R.I., Indians in the newly-formed Continental League. Gulseth

was placed at Providence by the Chicago Bears organization.

Dick Wozney, formerly of Brandon, Man., is with the Winnipeg Blue Bombers of the Canadian League as flanker and kick return man.

A sixth former Sioux also is active as a pro. He is linebacker Paul Robson, who finished his career here two years ago and is now also with Winnipeg.

Not bad at all for a so-called small college.

**Earl Sewell Mason '57** received his Ph.D. from Utah State University in June. After attending an institute at Princeton this summer Dr. Mason has returned to the University of Utah where he is assistant professor of civil engineering. He is married and has a daughter.

**Lt. James F. Kulas, '62**, is commanding officer of an ordnance company in South Viet Nam.



# Outstanding Alumni Honored with Sioux Awards



**WESTON  
CHRISTOPHERSON**



**LEONARD CRAWFORD**



**PAUL LARSON**



**EDWIN MADSEN**



**HUGH MOORE**

## Sioux Awards

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sulting Engineers Council of the United States, a 1700-member national organization. His partner in the consulting engineer firm is James Murphy, who was also graduated from UND in 1937. Crawford is married to the former Veronne Wagness, a 1939 graduate of UND. They have a teen-age daughter and make their home in Springfield.

### Directs Titan III Program

Paul O. Larson was born in Bovey, Minn., in 1927, attended high school in Coleraine, Minn., and then served for two years in the U. S. Navy during which he completed the Navy's course for electronic technicians.

In 1950, Larson received his B.S.E.E. degree from UND, where he was awarded a Ker-mott Scholarship and a Hut-

cheson Memorial Prize. He worked as a junior engineer in St. Louis, and then as an engineer for the Electronics Research, Inc., of Evansville, Ind., before being called back into the Navy during the Korean conflict.

In 1952, Larson joined the AC Spark Plug Division of General Motors as a systems engineer, where he participated in systems design and flight evaluation of the Stellar Inertial Bombing System, one of the first long range inertial navigation systems to be successfully flight tested.

As a result of the broad experience gained in the early MACE, THOR and REGULUS inertial guidance system, he was appointed Engineering Director of the THOR program in 1958.

At the present time, Larson is Director of the TITAN III program, and his authority encompasses design, manufacture, test and field support of the TITAN III system.

Larson is a member of several professional engineering groups and makes his home in Elm Grove, Wis., with his wife and two daughters.

### Business Executive

Edwin P. Madsen was born in 1917 at Steele, N.D., and was graduated from the UND School of Commerce in 1940. He served in the U. S. Army for four years, and became a certified public accountant in Illinois in 1946.

Madsen began his business career with the Arthur Andersen & Co. public accounting firm in 1940, and then was associated with Shea Chemical and Huyck Corporation in

New York, and the True Temper Corporation in Cleveland.

He joined the General Fireproofing Company in Youngstown, Ohio, in 1964, and is vice president and comptroller of the firm. Madsen is married to the former Norma Byram of the 1940 UND class, and they have four sons. They make their home at Girard, Ohio. Madsen is a member of several professional societies and clubs.

### Active in Electronic Field

Hugh P. Moore was born in 1912 at Carrington, where he was graduated as valedictorian of his high school class. He received his degree in journalism at UND in 1933, where he was elected to many honors including Phi Beta Kappa.

From 1934 to 1937, he served as news editor of the Cavalier County Republican in Langdon, then moved to California where he started his brilliant business career. He served in executive positions with Nicholl, Inc., and Bendix Aviation Corp.; from 1947 to 1954, he was president of Acme-Electronics, Inc., in Los Angeles.

Since his association with Bendix in 1940, Moore has been active in the electronic industry in the west. At the present time, he is president of Technical Systems, Inc., Los Angeles, and president of Computer Equipment Corp., Los Angeles.

Moore is serving his second four-year term as a director of the Western Electronic Manufacturers Association, and will take over as board

chairman in November. He has served as a director and management advisor of several electronic firms on the west coast.

His wife is the former Marian Frances Morton of Bismarck, and they have two sons. They make their home in Pomona, Calif.

### CHILE HONORS NATIVE OF CITY

Joseph C. Allen, '29, a native of Grand Forks and brother of Mrs. Paul Owens here, recently was awarded a medal by the government of Chile where he has been living for many years.

The decoration is the highest honor that the Chilean government can pay a foreigner. It is the "Orden al Merito Bernardo O'Higgins" and was presented to Allen with full military honors at a Chilean military base at Calama. The presentation was made by General Alberto Echauren Gaeto, director of the Chilean armed forces.

Allen is general manager of the Chile Exploration Co., at Chugucamata, Chile. He is a graduate of Central High School and the University of North Dakota.

**Dudley Draxton, '49**, has accepted a position as assistant consultant of physical welfare in the Cedar Rapids, Iowa, public school system. For the past nine years he taught professional teacher-training physical education courses and coached at Chadron State College in Nebraska. He is married to the former **Jean Tibert, '49**, and they have three children.



# SIoux ALUMNI NEWS NOTES

**Dr. Gary Leske**, who attended UND in 1957-58, has returned from a six-month stay in Bolivia where he contributed his services as a dental surgeon under the auspices of the Laymen's Overseas Service. Dr. Leske is attending Harvard to obtain a degree in public health.

**Col. Virgil W. Banning** was recently nominated by President Johnson for promotion to brigadier general. At the present time Col. Banning is assistant commander Force Troops, FMFPac and Marine Corps Base, at Twentynine Palms, Calif. Holder of the nation's second highest decoration, the Navy Cross, Col. Banning is a native of Mott, N. D., and was commissioned a second lieutenant upon his graduation from UND in 1940. He is married to the former **Birdie Hatcher**, '41, of Grand Forks, and they have one son.

**Lt. Glenn A. Belcher**, '64, has been awarded his silver pilot wings upon graduation from flying training school at Webb AFB, Tex., and is now assigned to Beale AFB, Calif. A native of Fessenden, Lt. Belcher is a member of the SAC.



**Captain William A. Hogarty**, '64, has completed the U. S. Air Force survival training course at Stead AFB, Nev., and is now assigned to Vandenberg AFB, Calif., as a member of the Air Force Systems Command.

**Shirley M. Meeker**, formerly **Shirley Mae Ebel**, '59, is a new faculty member at Grinnell College, Iowa, where she is an instructor in political science.

**Dr. Dean Kermit Midboe**, '61, '63, is interning at St. Lukes hospital in Fargo. His wife, the former **Ruth Neilson**, '61, taught for two years in Chicago prior to their move to Fargo. They have one daughter.

**Lt. David A. Brown**, '64, has been graduated at Lowry AFB, Colo., from the training course for U. S. Air Force nuclear weapons officers. A native of Bismarck, Lt. Brown is now assigned to Homestead AFB, Fla.

**Dennis H. Powers**, '59, has been named a medical service representative for Baxter Laboratories, Inc., and will serve the Omaha, Neb., territory.



A former sales representative for Mead Johnson Laboratories, Powers is a U. S. Army veteran and makes his home in Omaha with his wife and children. His mother, Mrs. Leonard Powers, makes her home in East Grand Forks.

**Leslie S. Merrifield**, '62, is an industrial engineer with Crown Zellerbach Ltd. in Vancouver, B. C. His brother, **David Merrifield**, '63, lives with him in Vancouver where Dave is district sales manager for the Alberta Trailer Company. Both were former Sioux hockey stars.

**Dr. Philips Moulton**, professor of religion at the Wesley Center of Religion, has resigned to accept a teaching position at Adrian College in Michigan. Dr. Moulton came to Grand Forks in 1959 as president of Wesley College.

**Eugene R. Minske**, '53, has been promoted to management assistant with the New York Life Insurance company in their New York City office. A native of Grafton, he joined the New York Life following his graduation from UND and has had executive positions with the firm in North Dakota, Minnesota and Wisconsin. He and his wife have four children.

**Lt. Michael L. Harvey**, '61, was wounded August 16, 1965, in Viet Nam by glass fragments and later returned to duty. He was promoted to Captain during August. His wife, the former **Margo Norby**, is living in Grand Forks with their two children.

**Miss Myrtle Hillestad**, '23, of Park Rapids, Minn., was recently chosen "Citizen of the Year" by the Lions Club of Silver Bay. Prior to her retirement last spring, Miss Hillestad was principal of the Mary McDonald school in Silver Bay and had taught in the Park Rapids schools for 29 years.

**1st Lt. Gary M. Andres**, '62, is serving with the Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron in Santa Ana, Calif. He entered the service in 1962 and is married to the former **Karen I. Pearson**, '63, of Grand Forks.

**Thomas F. Kelsch**, '65, has joined the law firm of Zuger, Zuger and Bucklin in Bismarck. He is married to the former **Karen Leonhard**, '64, of Bismarck.

**Ernest N. Gullerud**, '51, has been appointed assistant professor in the Jane Addams Graduate School of Social Work, University of Illinois. He was formerly an instructor at Washington University.

## 30 PERCENT OF STUDENTS

Projected enrollment figures indicate that the University of North Dakota has approximately 30 percent of the total enrollment of the nine state-supported institutions of higher learning in North Dakota this fall.

## SHOW JAPANESE ART

A collection of work by 40 contemporary Japanese artists is being shown on the UND campus until October 17. Dr. Roland Gibson, former associate professor of economics at UND, arranged for the exhibit while on a visit to Japan. Before leaving UND for Washington College in Maryland, Dr. Gibson established the Gibson Scholarship at UND in memory of his mother. The scholarship assists an American Indian student each year.

## UND TO RECEIVE AANDAHL PAPERS

UND has received word that former Governor and Congressman Fred G. Aandahl will deposit his papers and correspondence in the Chester Fritz Library. The papers will be added to the collection of papers and correspondence of other leading North Dakotans, including Orin G. Libby, William Lemke, Usher L. Burdick, William Langer and playwright Maxwell Anderson. Senator Milton Young is also donating his papers to this collection. Aandahl, a native of Litchville, received a B.A. degree from UND in 1921.

## UND Gets Collection Of Birds, Mammals

A collection of several hundred mounted birds and mammals has been acquired by the UND biology department. The collection represents the lifelong work of H. V. Williams, Grafton taxidermist, and his father, the late W. H. Williams.

Dr. Robert Seabloom, assistant professor of biology at UND, was instrumental in procuring the specimens. The historic value of the collection is almost priceless because the Williams are recognized as pioneers in the study of the area's wildlife, as well as excellent taxidermists.

Waterfowl, upland game, family groups of raccoons, foxes and skunks, and hundreds of individual specimens are included in the collection, along with a group of scientific skins.

At present, the collection is housed in the UND Biology building, along the walls and in separate rooms. Dr. Paul Kannowski, chairman of the Department of Biology at UND, indicates that the collection points up the need for a natural history museum on the campus, as there is a lack of adequate space to properly display the collection.

## HIT RECORD HIGH

Final enrollment figures for the 1965 summer session at UND reached a record high of 2,302. Last summer, the total registration was 1,985.

## SIX UND ALUMNAE NAMED ON LIST

Six graduates of UND have been selected for inclusion in the 1965 edition of Outstanding Young Women of America, an annual biographical compilation of approximately 6,000 young women between the ages of 21 and 36.

UND alumnae being honored are Mrs. T. R. Snow (Mary Ann Hunt, '53), Karen A. Sethre ('59), Mrs. Thyra Jensen Monroe (Thyra M. Jensen, '55), Gwendolyn Crawford ('56), Marian P. Haraldson ('52), and Marilue Vig, who took special work in art during the late 1940's.

Miss Sethre is on the staff of General Mills, Mrs. Monroe is a dietician, Miss Vig is a commercial artist and book illustrator, while Mrs. Snow, Miss Crawford and Miss Haraldson are all in the entertainment field.



# University Alumni Are Busy, Busy from Coast to Coast

## IT'S CAMELBACK INN RESERVATION TIME!

The biggest houseparty of 1966 is slated at Camelback Inn at Phoenix for the 16th annual UND Alumni Reunion. The dates are January 2-10, 1966, and a full capacity house is expected. So, get your reservation in early — like today. Write Jack Stewart, Camelback Inn, Phoenix, Arizona.

Mrs. W. T. (Ellen) J. Mansell, who resides in Pine Falls, Man., is included in a newly published book about the "Pioneer Women Teachers of North Dakota," which was published by the Delta Kappa Gamma society in commemoration of the 75th Anniversary of North Dakota Statehood.

A 1920 graduate of UND, Mrs. Mansell was one of 114 women teachers chosen for this honor. Her biography mentions her connection with the local library and horticulture society.

Miss Andrea M. Olstad, '65, of Fargo recently began graduate studies following her selection for a one-year internship in industrial nutrition and dietetics at Eastman Kodak Co., Rochester, N. Y. She is one of eight interns, and her year's study will be one of intensive work in all phases of food administration.

Roger C. Guenther, '57, has been appointed sales representative for Howe Sound Aluminum of New York City and will cover Minnesota, Iowa, and portions of Nebraska and North Dakota.

Mrs. Stanley Chaplin, formerly Dorothy Muldowney, '28, was awarded her master's degree during the July commencement of Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Mich.

Captain Arthur W. Olson, '55, is now assigned to Little Rock AFB, Ark., following his graduation from the U. S. Air Force Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala. He is a native of Mandan.

Morris J. Toppila, M.S. '64, has been named assistant



market research manager of the Standard Fruit and Steamship Co. in New Orleans. The firm is one of the nation's largest importers of bananas. Prior to his new post, Toppila was a market analyst for Eastern Air Lines. He and his wife will make their home at Metairie, La. They have two children.

Wayne R. Olson, '64, has been graduated with honors from the technical training course for U. S. Air Force inventory specialists at Amarillo AFB, Tex. He has returned to his North Dakota Air National Guard unit at Fargo.

Don Myrold, '52, has accepted an appointment to the faculty of the Wisconsin State University business and economic department. A native of Crookston, he and his wife will make their home in Superior, Wis. They have four children.

Earle J. Fennell, '34, has received a citation for distinguished service by the U. S. Secretary of Interior. The award, highest honor of the department of interior, recognized Fennell for his more than 35 years of outstanding service as an engineer and administrator. His wife is the former Helen Holm, '30, and they make their home in Chevy Chase, Md. Both look forward to a return visit to Grand Forks and UND.

Morris I. Becklund, '58, was recently married to Joanne E. Moon of Tracy, Minn.; he is an accountant for Alfred Greguson and Co. in Minneapolis.

Dr. Haakon Carlson, '62, a native of New Town, recently began the practice of medicine as an associate of Dr. E. J. Vinje in the Hazen Clinic, Hazen, N.D.

John H. "Jack" Muus, '62, has been elected vice president of his senior class at Bowman Gray School of Medicine in North Carolina. The son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Muus of Grand Forks, he is married to the former Jo Ann Bethke, '62, of Grand Forks.



**CONGRATULATIONS:** Captain J. Philip Johnson (left) was awarded the Army Commendation Medal by Major General Harry J. Engle. The award was in recognition of Captain Johnson's service as defense appellate counsel, U. S. Army Judiciary. A native of Minot, Captain Johnson will be leaving active duty to enter the practice of law with the firm of Whittlesey, Pancratz and Wold in Fargo. A graduate of the UND Law School in 1962, he is married to the former Jo Anne Knoll, '63, of Fargo.



Steven C. Leno, '64 of Valley City has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force and is assigned to Chanute AFB, Ill., as a weather officer.

William J. Johnson, '61, has been promoted to Captain in the U. S. Air Force. A native of Hatton, Captain Johnson is the assistant staff judge advocate at Hunter AFB, Georgia. He is married to the former Myrna Erickson of Hatton.

Dean B. Stormon, '43, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., has been named to the newly created post of Manager of Planning and Development for Eastern Chemical Division of Hooker Chemical Corporation. Associated with Hooker since 1943, Stormon has been in research, development and engineering. During this time, he has obtained three U. S. patents assigned to the company. A native of Rolla, he is a graduate of UND with a degree in chemical engineering. He and his wife have two sons and a daughter.

Mrs. Richard D. Lewis (Merle Lovell '40), is listed in the 1956-66 edition of Who's Who in the West. Mrs. Lewis is a clinical chemist and lives in South Pasadena, Calif. She expects to return to UND for the 25th reunion of the class of 1940 at Homecoming.

George Kronbach, '61, is now employed as research assistant in the Bureau of Business Research, College of Business Administration, at the University of Tennessee, where he is also beginning work on his Ph.D. in economics. His new address is Knoxville, Tenn.

Lt. William G. Barker, '63, serves as assistant base comptroller at 29 Palms Marine Corps Base in California and is married to the former Cynthia Stearns, '63; they have two daughters.

Captain Richard C. Samdahl, '54, was recently graduated from the U. S. Air Force Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala. He is now assigned to Barksdale AFB, La.

Major John E. Downey, '52, is assigned to Cannon AFB, N. M., following his graduation from the Air Command and Staff College at Maxwell AFB, Ala.



## IN MEMORIAM

**Miss Janice E. Hanneman, '63**, died instantly in a car accident during July in South Dakota. Miss Hanneman was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and had been working in Redfield, S. D. Her mother was also fatally injured in the accident.

**A. M. "Lonnie" Swingen, '26**, president of the Swingen Construction Company in Grand Forks, died in August at the age of 61 from a heart attack. A native of Cooperstown, Mr. Swingen attended high school there before continuing his education at UND. He was active in many civic groups and had been cited for distinguished service by the Associated General Contractors.

**Mrs. J. Hume Lee, ex'20**, died during August. The former **Thelma Tobiason**, she was born in Grand Forks County, attended high school at Larimore, and higher education at the Chicago Normal School of Physical Education and UND.

**Burke E. Thompson**, a 1910 graduate of the UND Law School, died at his home in Minneapolis. An attorney and bond company official, Mr. Thompson had retired this year. He was born in Buxton and attended schools in Grand Forks.

**K. P. B. Reishus**, retired East Grand Forks superintendent of schools, died at the age of 79 during August. Born near Minot, Mr. Reishus earned his master's degree in education from UND in 1935. He had a long career in the field of education.

**Dr. Louis T. Hagen, '40**, apparently was drowned in Garrison Reservoir last May. The body has never been recovered. Memorial services for the 45-year-old Dickinson dentist were held during August. He was a native of Ray, N. D.

As we go to press word has been received of the death Sept. 26 of **Joseph B. Bridston**. Mr. Bridston attended the University in 1917-18, and served as president of the Alumni Association. He was a state senator from Grand Forks.

**Roy C. Quandrud, '60**, died at the age of 52 following a long illness. Mr. Quandrud had served as a lay pastor for Lutheran parishes in North Dakota and was a native of Buxton.

**Dr. Edward M. Dorr, '25**, head of the obstetrical section of the department of obstetrics and gynecology of Wesley Memorial Hospital at Chicago, died at the age of 62 on October 27, 1964. Following his studies at UND, Dr. Dorr was graduated from Rush Medical College in 1928 and was active in medical groups in Chicago and Illinois.

**Harry E. Sheard, ex'09**, died during July at the age of 75 at his farm near Cathay, N. D. The only son of early pioneers in Wells county, Mr. Sheard was born just 12 days after North Dakota was admitted to the Union, and he may have been, at the time of his death, the oldest resident to claim birth in this state.

**Walter C. Folley**, who earned his B.A. degree at UND in 1923, died at the age of 68 at his home in Belleville, Md. Former dean of Wayne State University School of Business, Mr. Folley retired last June. During World War II, he was a coordinator at Ford's Willow Run bomber plant, and served as a consultant to the U. S. Army Ordnance and the U. S. Department of Labor.

**Russell Cyrus Asselstine, '11**, died at the age of 72 at his home at Flathead Lake near Kalispell, Mont. A native of Hamilton, N. D., he was active in the grain business, retiring in 1950.

**Mrs. C. P. Rumreich (Iola McKay)**, died at Menlo Park, Calif. The daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. McKay of Grand Forks, Mrs. Rumreich was born at Bowsmont, N. D. A 1934 graduate of UND, she taught school at Drayton and married Captain C. P. Rumreich in 1938. He passed away in 1952.

**Robert W. Bayer**, who was assistant professor of chemistry at Duquesne University, died on May 26, 1965, at the age of 32. He earned his master of science degree from UND in 1957.

**Mrs. William D. Mitchell, '10**, died in Grand Forks at the age of 76. Born Mary Gallagher at Thompson, N. D. She taught school for 50 years following her studies at UND.

**Mrs. Andrew E. Morrison** died at the age of 87 in Minneapolis on March 20, 1965. The former **Jean Forster**, she was graduated from UND in 1906.

## Leonard Hall Dedication Program Scheduled Homecoming Week-end

Dedication of Leonard Hall will be one of the highlights of a busy two-day schedule on Homecoming week-end, according to Dr. Wilson M. Laird, chairman of the UND Department of Geology.

On Thursday evening, October 7, a banquet will be held in the University Center, featuring an outstanding speaker in the field of conservation.

Registration opens on October 8 at 8 a.m., while the formal dedicatory program is set for 10 a.m. Speakers will include President Starcher, Dr. Laird, Governor Guy and other dignitaries.

On Friday afternoon there will be a symposium entitled "Geology in Modern Society." Among the speakers and honored guests will be William Pecora, Chief Geologist, U. S. Geological Survey, representing the federal government; Gerald Eddy, State Geologist of Michigan, representing state governments; James Snider, Chief Geologist of Amerada Petroleum, representing industry; and Dr. Carey Croneis, Chancellor of Rice University, representing education.



**THREE GENERATIONS** of the Davis family are pictured above at a luncheon honoring Forrester M. Davis, '06, center, who is founder of the Davis Chevrolet Co. in Bismarck. At the right is Duane Davis, '32, son of Forrester and president of the firm, while his son, Jay Duane, is at the left. The luncheon honored the elder Davis on his 80th birthday and also marked the 40th anniversary of the firm.

**Paul B. Stevens** died during July at Ottumwa, Iowa, following a long illness. A veteran of the Spanish-American War, he attended UND in 1897-98. A retired abstractor, Mr. Stevens was a resident of Towner, N. D., and Sidney, Mont., for many years, prior to moving to Iowa.

**Dr. Morris Goldstein, ex'17**, died at the age of 79 following a long illness. A prominent pediatrician, he made his home in Woodbridge, Conn. A native of New Jersey, Dr. Goldstein attended the University of North Dakota for two years and had an outstanding career in the pediatrics field.