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U to Receive \$250,000 Bequest

The University of North Dakota will receive in excess of \$250,000 from the estate of Paul W. Larsen of Grand Forks, who died on June 24 at the age of 89.

A retired local area creamery executive, Mr. Larsen lived at the Ryan Hotel in Grand Forks for the past 41 years. He never married. He was a native of Denmark, moving to Grand Forks in 1910 where he was an operator and owner of several creameries in the area.

President Thomas J. Clifford accepted the gift for UND and stated: "On behalf of the University, I express sincere appreciation for this outstanding gift. The contribution is a remarkable statement of Mr. Larsen's faith in higher education."

This is the second bequest of such size to the University this year. In June, it was announced that the late Arthur P. Andersen of rural East Grand Forks had left more than \$250,000 to the University.

COMMENCEMENT

The mid-year commencement at UND has been rescheduled from December 23 to Friday, December 21 at the Chester Fritz Auditorium.

1973 UND ALUMNI HOMECOMING SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1973

- 7:00 a.m.—UND Alumni Board of Directors Breakfast
University Center
- 7:30 a.m.—Alumni Board of Directors Meeting
University Center
- 9:30 a.m.—Registration for Alumni Advisory Committee
and Continuing Legal Education Seminar
University Center
- 10:30 a.m.—Morning Sessions, Alumni Advisory Committee
and Continuing Legal Education Seminar
University Center
- 12:00 noon—Thormodsgard Law Library Dedication
Luncheon—University Center
- 1:30 p.m.—Dedication Ceremony
Thormodsgard Law Library
- 2:00 p.m.—Afternoon Sessions, Alumni Advisory Committee
and Continuing Legal Education Seminar
Gamble Hall and University Center
- 3:00 p.m.—Tea
Chester Fritz Library
- 4:15 p.m.—Tour of the Campus
From the University Center
- 6:30 p.m.—Social Hour
Westward Ho
- 7:30 p.m.—Sioux Award Banquet
Westward Ho

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1973

- 9:00 a.m.—Lettermen's Club Breakfast & Annual Meeting
Westward Ho
- 9:00 a.m.—Medical School Seminar and Development
Meeting—Medical School Auditorium
- 10:00 a.m.—Open House on Campus
- 11:30 a.m.—President's Luncheon
University Center
- 1:30 p.m.—UND-SDSU Football Game
Memorial Stadium
- 3:30 p.m.—Open House on Campus
Fraternities, Sororities and Dormitories
- 7:00 p.m.—All-Alumni Party Buffet and Dancing
Westward Ho

Other activities scheduled for Homecoming Week-end include anniversary celebrations of KFJM, Alpha Chi Omega sorority, Sigma Nu, Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Phi Delta Theta fraternities and a 25-year reunion of the 1948 class of the Medical School.

Enrollment Stabilizes at 8274 for Fall

Enrollment at the University has stabilized, according to Milford Ulven, UND director of admissions and records, with a final enrollment for the fall semester at 8,274.

Ulven noted that "this is a decrease of only eight students from 1972, which is rather remarkable in a day when many campuses in the nation are expecting severe declines."

Professional enrollment increased by 55 students to 350, while undergraduate enrollment declined by 10 students to 6,806, with graduate enrollment declining by 53 students to 1,118.

North Dakota residents make up 77 percent of the enrollment, while the male-female ratio is about the same as last year, with women making up 41.3 percent of the student population.

A decrease in the number of entering freshmen of 35 was more than balanced by a 9.4 percent growth in transfer students, which totaled 788 this fall.

Seven of UND's eleven colleges and schools showed increases over last year. They are the College of Human Resources Development, College of Arts and Sciences, College

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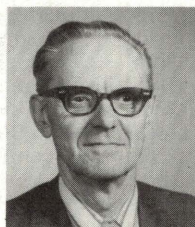
5 UND Alumni to Receive Sioux Awards at Homecoming



DR. BILL J. HARRIS
Class of 1934



MARY T. HENNESSY
Classes of 1931/35



LLOYD F. JOHNSON
Class of 1954



DON P. MILLER
Class of 1934



CARLTON PEDERSON
Class of 1934

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REPORT from the CAMPUS

By J. LLOYD STONE



By ART RAYMOND

Director, Office of Indian Studies

J. Lloyd Stone, the affable and effective executive vice president of the UND Alumni Association, has invited me to be guest columnist for this issue of the Alumni Review. The impact of alumni and of the Alumni Association of this University has been far-reaching because of the contacts and work of Mr. Stone. Thus it is I deem it an honor to serve as guest columnist. His only stipulation was to urge me to write of activities at the University of interest and common concern to UND alumni.

The University of North Dakota two years ago gave a commitment to education of peoples of American Indian descent. By creation of the Office of Indian Studies Programs in August, 1971, it set the University on record as recognizing the special needs of Indians living on the reservations of the state.

This was good. But, also, it was about time. North Dakota had remained a barren island. Indian studies programs flourished all around the country. The University of South Dakota started its first programs in 1951; the University of Minnesota in 1962. Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Kansas,

California, Dartmouth, Harvard all had such programs. North Dakota with a significant Indian population within its borders was doing nothing.

Then students of four and five years ago began to push for a greater commitment to Indian studies for Indian students. They were joined and supported by a few key administrators and faculty members. The students were firm—but not militant; active but not activists. They worked with the administration—not against it. Their friends on the faculty and staff, who were members of key committees, were in position to make and help pass the critical motions.

Two years ago, when the University of North Dakota was crimped for adding new staff, the decision was made to create the Office of Indian Studies Programs and to hire a director. The university that year, because of budgetary limitations, was permitted to create one new position. It chose to create the Office of Indian Studies Programs and to hire a director.

It was a small beginning—but a beginning. In the past decades of the history of the University of North Dakota there were few if any Indian students on campus in any one year.

The true story is often repeated of a few years ago when someone on staff had a scholarship for an Indian student. No Indian student could be found in undergraduate ranks. The scholarship went abegging.

In this day of that which is called "self-determination" an ever-increasing number of American Indian students are flocking to colleges and universities. For example: This area of the Bureau of Indian Affairs covers North Dakota, South Dakota, a small piece of Nebraska and a part of Eastern Montana. From that area in 1969-70, more than 200 Indian students attended colleges and universities all over the country. The next school year, 1970-71, the number more than doubled to 500. In

1971-72 the number leaped to more than 900. Last year, 1972-73, the number went over a thousand. These numbers covered all of two states and parts of two others. Indian students are flocking to campuses.

The University of North Dakota is dedicated to: Education, Research and Service. Through this dedication it has a golden opportunity to serve the needs of Indian peoples through the education of their youth. Now through the creation of the Office of Indian Studies it could react specifically to the needs of the Indian population. American Indian students matriculating at universities do have special needs.

First: Tests at this university indicate the brightest of Indian freshmen come here at the fifth and sixth grade levels in the four basic areas of mathematical sciences, biological sciences, language arts and social sciences. There is no way a person in the sixth grade, academically, can compete with someone who is in actual fact a college freshman. This, of course, speaks to the poor educational background provided by the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

Second: Indian students come to the University of North Dakota from a different way of life, a different value system, a different culture. A university community is an alien place to most of them. Time was when the educational philosophy of General Pratt of the well-publicized Carlisle Indian School was followed. It was, in his words, "Kill the Indian and educate the man."

Non-Indian students from Alamo, McGregor and Washburn may move to the University of North Dakota at Grand Forks from small, rural communities. They still move in with their own kind. They talk the same language, enjoy the same things, go the same places. Clearly our students do not belong.

Third: Students from reservations have one thing in com-

mon. This is the grinding poverty which binds them in the chains of all of the evils of poverty. In this essence poverty is not uniquely Indian. Indians, however, are uniquely poverty-stricken.

All of this means, of course, we must help those students become acclimated and oriented to the University of North Dakota. We do not ask that our students be sluffed through a class. It would be a disservice to the reputation of the University and even more tragically to our own Indian people were that to be the case. If he is a medical doctor, the Indian graduate must be able to do an appendectomy; if an engineer, he must build a bridge which will not collapse. Whatever his field, the Indian student must be competent in his field.

Rather, we recognize our students need special kinds of help, especially in the first year and to a lesser degree in the second year. In most cases, he can stand on his own by the time he is a junior.

To this end we attempt to build on his Indianness—not as Gen. Pratt, destroy it. When he finds his self-identity he can function in a positive way according to his talents and his capabilities. Admittedly, everyone else needs self-identity as well as the Indian students. We point out: Our work is with Indian students.

Thus it is we teach courses in Sioux history, Chippewa history, Indian philosophy, etc. More than that. We recognize our mission is only half completed if the professor does not know our students, is not aware of the different person he is. During the past year we developed a year-long series of awareness workshops for the faculty. Although designed for the faculty we found that more non-Indian students attended than did faculty members.

Indian programs funded by the federal government have existed on this campus for several years. Now, however, that

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ALUMNI REVIEW

University of North Dakota

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● Report

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number has increased until today there are more than a dozen such programs. They range from undergraduate programs in teacher training and social work to masters and doctoral programs. The INMED Programs (Indians Into Medicine), the only one of its kind in the country, addresses itself to the critical shortage of professional medical personnel on reservations. We offer a minor in Indian studies and now are laying the groundwork for establishment of a major. This fall we offered more than 50 hours in Indian Studies.

Each year the Indian student enrollment has increased dramatically while the population of the rest of the university has leveled off. We anticipate when the final count is computerized, Indian student enrollment in all degree granting programs will be over 300. This is a far cry from the day when not one Indian student could be found to accept a scholarship.

We have come a long way. True. But we have so much further to go. Each day that we waste, another segment of the youth population of the reservation is doomed to a life of no hope and no opportunity. We must offer that hope and that opportunity. We must give them the chance to develop and train and educate their innate talents and capabilities. Only through this kind of education will the drain of millions of dollars in taxes be stopped. But, really, we are talking about people, human lives, boys and girls.

An Indian Alumni group could bring attention to the work being done by this University and so build an awareness of confidence in our programs.

We've got a long way to go!

● Enrollment

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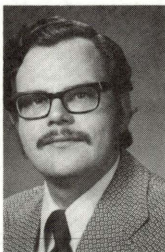
of Business and Public Administration, University College, College of Nursing, School of Law and College of Fine Arts.

Enrollment by classes were: freshmen, 1,587; sophomores, 1,877; juniors, 1,484; seniors, 1,679; special students, 179; professional students, 350 and graduate students, 1,118.

NEWS NOTES

Jerry J. Luebke, '69, has been named credit manager of Metropolitan Savings and Loan in Wahpeton, moving from Grand Forks. He is married to the former **Faith Gibson, '71**.

Richard Jeffries, '70, is a partner in the law firm of Garrity, Cahill, Gunhus, Street and Grinnell in Moorhead; his wife is the former **Linda Paulson, '68**.



Michael F. Misialek, '69, is a sales representative with Belmont Builders and Realtors in Grand Forks. His wife, **Patricia Lentz Misialek**, graduated in May.

Ronald L. Jensen, M.D., '64, has been elected to active membership in the American Academy of Family Physicians; he is in medical practice at Saginaw, Mich.

Frank Albus, '70, has received his master's degree from NYU in New York City and in an instructor and media coordinator at Greenwich, Conn.

Vernon Pepple, '58, has been elected president of the National Food Industries Association Executives. A native of Fessenden, he taught in Bismarck for 14 years, is a former dairyman and is currently executive director of the North Dakota Association of Food Retailers.

Dr. Ernest T. Klein, '25, has been presented the Distinguished Service Scroll by the American Association of Orthodontists, in recognition of his contribution to the betterment of the profession. He practiced dentistry in North Dakota before serving in World War II, then opened an office in Denver, where he was prominent in state and national dental societies; he has had many articles published in dental journals.

Lt. Robert E. Beaman, '71, is assigned to Wurtsmith AFB where he flies with a unit of SAC.

Dr. Oswald P. Erickson, '43, is assistant director of the North Central Mental Health Center in Minot.

June Baillie Schock, ex '70, won the \$200 Boss Foundation Award at regional auditions of the Metropolitan Opera Company's search for new talent. She lives in Bismarck.

Jan Hagen, '70, has received a faculty appointment at John Hopkins University, working with a teaching team in educating new types of health workers.

Gary A. Deibert, '69, has been promoted chief accountant with Northern National Life Insurance Co., Bismarck.

Lt. Michael J. Moe, '71, has been awarded his silver wings at Vance AFB and is assigned to Wright Patterson AFB, where he will fly with SAC.

Malcolm G. Gillespie, M.D., '17, was honored by the Minnesota State Medical Association in 1973 in recognition of his 50th anniversary as a licensed physician. Born at Minot, Dr. Gillespie is one of three brothers who became physicians. His medical career has been spent on the surgical staff of the Duluth Clinic, Duluth, Minn.



Edmund G. Motl, '42, was named the outstanding earth science teacher by the Department of Geology at UND. He is an 8th grade instructor at Agassiz Junior High in Fargo.

Keith Kiner, '71, and **Shirley Schlabsz, '72**, were married recently and reside in Bismarck, where he is employed with World Wide Farm Markets, Inc.

Lt. John H. Bernard, '70, is on duty at Dover AFB, assigned to a unit of the Military Airlift Command. He previously served in Taiwan.

Terry Dullum, '70, is on the staff of KSMB-TV in Bismarck. He served with the U.S. Army as an audio specialist and has worked for several radio and television stations in North Dakota.

Rick R. Redalen, M.D., '66, has been elected to active membership in the American Academy of Family Physicians. He is on the staff of the Princeton (Minn.) Clinic.

Baker Gift Furnishes Moot Court Room

A \$22,000 gift from Joe and Wilma Baker, Alexandria, Va., will provide the UND Law School with furnishings for a moot court room on the fourth level of the building. The moot court room will give students experiences in trial practice and appellate advocacy.

A native of Devils Lake, Baker received a B.S.C. degree in 1927 and a J.D. degree in 1928 from UND. He has served on the UND Alumni Board of Directors since 1968.

Alumnus Honored By Smithsonian

Edward K. Thompson, founding editor of Smithsonian Magazine and a 1927 University of North Dakota graduate, was awarded the Smithsonian Institution's Henry Medal June 5.

The medal, created in honor of Joseph Henry, first secretary of the institution, was presented to Thompson for his "brilliant and distinguished contribution to the prestige of the Smithsonian Institution as the planner-editor of Smithsonian magazine," according to S. Sillon Ripley, secretary of the Institution.

Thompson founded the magazine in 1969, with the first issue appearing in April of 1970. The monthly publication, devoted to the arts, sciences and humanities, now has a circulation of 460,000. Before coming to the Smithsonian Institution, Thompson served as editor of Life magazine for 18 years.

A native of St. Thomas, Thompson attended UND and received the A.B. degree in 1927. He served as editor of the Foster County Independent, Carrington, and as city editor of The Forum in Fargo. He became editor of Life magazine in 1949 and retired at the age of 60 in 1968. That year, he was presented the Theodore Roosevelt Rough Rider Award, the highest honor the state can bestow. He was presented an honorary doctor of humanities degree in 1958 from UND.

Sioux Award Winners Have Outstanding

DR. BILL JENNINGS HARRIS *Dentist*

The history of Dr. Bill Harris begins in Cavalier, N.D., his birthplace, and covers a career in dentistry that spans more than 30 years.

After receiving his bachelor's degree from UND in 1934, Dr. Harris received his doctor of dental surgery degree from Marquette University and was a self-employed dentist in Hanover, N.H., until serving in the U.S. Navy Dental Corps from 1941 to 1954.

For nearly 20 years, Dr. Harris has been practicing dentistry in Walnut Creek, Calif. He holds membership in Phi Delta Theta, Delta Sigma Delta and Omicron Kappa Upsilon.

While serving in the First Marine Division in Korea, he received the Legion of Merit. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge, a past president of the Rotary Club and Contra Costa Dental Society; he is a member of the American and California Dental Associations, the Federation Dentaire International, the Pierre Fauchard Academy and is a Fellow of the International College of Dentists.

His wife, the former Marjorie Durnin, is a 1935 graduate of UND, as is their son, Robert Durnin Harris, who holds a 1971 degree. Dr. Durnin has attended International Dental Meetings in Rome and Vienna and was recently on a trip to Ireland, Scotland and England.

Dave Burrus, '72, and Gary J. Wolsky, '69, are members of the staff of the Heart of America Human Services Center, Rugby.

Carroll E. Simcox, '33, has been awarded the degree of Doctor in Divinity, honoris causa, by the Episcopal Theological Seminary in Kentucky. He has been editor of a religious weekly, "The Living Church," since 1964, and is a Sioux Award winner.

Merlynn M. Olson, '56, was promoted to the position of vice president of the Cheyenne (Wyo.) National Bank. A native of Minot, he was with banks in California and Colorado before moving to Wyoming.

MARY T. HENNESSY *Attorney at Law*

The career of Mary Hennessy began in 1931 when she received her bachelor's diploma in teaching from UND and then taught for two years in her home of Reynolds, N.D.

She then returned to UND where she earned her degree in law in 1935, which opened up a second career, which she is pursuing, even in retirement, as a lecturer in law at the McGeorge School of Law at the University of the Pacific, Sacramento.

Miss Hennessy is a member of the State Bar Association of both North Dakota and California, is a member of the San Francisco Bar Association and the Lawyers Club of San Francisco, the Queen's Bench, the National Association of Women Lawyers, the American Bar Association, the American Judicature, the Society of Women Lawyers of Sacramento, and the Cenacle Retreat League.

She is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, the Order of the Coif, Delta Zeta and the Newman Club. Her brilliant legal career included service as a research assistant to the Supreme Court of California in San Francisco, as researcher for the Court of Appeal and as senior attorney for the Judicial Council of California.

Her five brothers all attended UND and had equally outstanding careers in the professions of law, medicine, business and the military. Miss Hennessy has been the recipient of many honors, including a plaque from the Judges, Marshals and Constables Association for her work as editor of the California Justice Court Manual, and a certificate of honor last year from the San Francisco Board of Supervisors for her service as attorney for the Judicial Council.

James A. Jorgenson, '72, has been named vice president of the State Bank of Kenmare. He had previously been employed by the First National Bank of Minneapolis.

Thomas C. Corbett, ex '69, received his medical doctor degree in May from the University of Manitoba.

LLOYD F. JOHNSON *Education Administrator*

Lloyd F. Johnson is a man who stands tall in the field of education, and his abilities have not been unrecognized: Northern State College in Aberdeen has named its Fine Arts Center building in his honor.

A native of South Dakota, Dr. Johnson earned his doctorate in education from the University of North Dakota in 1954. His career in education began as a school teacher, including work as a civilian instructor in Navy and Army Flight Programs during World War II. In fact, he is a licensed commercial pilot with an instructor's rating, and operated his own flying school for many years.

Dr. Johnson and his wife Marie, who died in 1971, served Northern State College in a variety of administrative and teaching posts for a combined total of 77 years, until his retirement in 1971 as dean of administrative services—a division which he literally created.

At Northern Dr. Johnson initiated the scholarship program and collected the first money, which has aided more than 2,500 students. He started the college print shop, the photo lab, the news service, the correspondence study program and a wide range of college and civic projects.

His daughter, Mary Kay, and her husband, Ray Uloth, both hold bachelor's and master's degrees from UND and are on the staff of Cornell University. Dr. Johnson has been honored as South Dakota Ambassador of Good Will, holds the Hall of Fame Award for Outstanding Achievements by the American Alumni Council, and has more than 30 years of service to the American Legion Boys State.

Today he is campus coordinator of Boys State, Coordinator of Educational Tours and Executive Secretary of the Northern State Alumni Association, as well as secretary-treasurer of the NSC Foundation.

Richard G. Wilson, '72, is a hockey player in the Montreal Canadiens organization.

DON P. MILLER *Engineering Executive*

Don P. Miller was born in Rochester, Minn., and attended UND for five years, where he received his bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering in 1934 and spent the next year in research at UND.

He is president of the Miller Contracting Co., retiring in 1972 to make his home in Austin, Texas. Miller spent 35 years with the Chicago Bridge and Iron Company, primarily in Texas with service in South America, Caribbean Islands, Arabian Gulf Area, as well as Louisiana and Mississippi.

His work included design and construction of salt water desalinization plants, steel fabrication plants, shipbuilding yards, low temperature and cryogenic process plants and storage systems.

Among his engineering achievements were the building of the first one million gallon a day desalinization water plant in the United States at Freeport, Texas; the building of a comparable plant in New Mexico, using a different system; a shipyard at Pascagoula, Miss., and the creation of an ocean-going ammonia storage barge to transport liquid oxygen and hydrogen, and the building of a pipe fabrication plant in Arkansas. From 1964, Miller organized and headed a world-wide division of his company to handle low temperature and cryogenic contracts.

He has farm lands, real estate and oil holdings in several states; he holds membership in many professional societies and service organizations, and serves on the advisory board of the UND School of Engineering. He and his wife make their home in Austin and have three children and one granddaughter.

Lt. Terry Bunas, '70, has completed his training in electronic warfare at Mather AFB and is assigned to Grand Forks AFB.

C. Roger Lamont, '68, is the sales manager for Warner Lambert in Toronto, Ont.

Craig Randall Peterson, '72, is an associate engineer in the Quality Test Department with UNIVAC at Roseville, Minn.

Careers

CARLTON A. PEDERSON

Business Professor

Dr. Carlton A. Pederson is a native of Grand Forks with a background of successful achievement in government, business, executive programs, and education since his graduation from UND in 1934.

He also holds advanced degrees from the University of Southern California and Stanford, where he is professor of business management in the Graduate School of Business, as well as Mead Johnson professor of management.

Dr. Pederson's many-faceted career includes membership on many boards of directors of business firms including State Farm Insurance of Bloomington, Ill.; First Federal Savings of Grand Forks, and Telex Corporation of Tulsa.

He has held many government affiliations and is a member of the California Manpower Policy Task Force, appointed by Governor Reagan; he has been on the faculty of Stanford University since 1946. Dr. Pederson has written books on management and salesmanship, has conducted seminars in management for companies in France, Spain, Australia, New Zealand, Switzerland, South Africa, England and Russia.

His family has close links with UND. His sisters, Helen Kruger, Ruby Parson, Anna Bridston and Corinne Tubetto all attended UND, as did his wife, the former Goldie Law.

Pederson holds membership in several professional societies, and was a member of Phi Eta Sigma and Beta Theta Pi while attending UND.

BEQUEST RECEIVED

The UND Medical Center has received a bequest of \$1,000 from the estate of the late Jens Ostby. Mr. Ostby, who farmed near Beulah, died last May at the age of 96. A native of Norway, he had never married and had no living relatives in this country. UND President Thomas J. Clifford announced the gift and said that Mr. Ostby specified that \$500 be allocated for cancer research and the balance for polio research.

Beta Alpha Psi Reunion Planned

Beta Alpha Psi accounting fraternity will celebrate its 50th anniversary on December 1, 1973.

Activities will begin with a tour of the campus beginning at Gamble Hall at 2:30 p.m. Registration and a social hour will begin at 5:00 p.m. at the Westward Ho followed by a banquet. The featured speaker will be a former member and other alumni will be participating. There will be a hockey series and a basketball game that week-end for those interested in attending.

Any past Beta Alpha Psi members who wish to attend the reunion are asked to make their reservations by writing to DuWayne Wacker, Box 8097, University Station, Grand Forks, ND 58201, or by phoning him (701) 777-2922 before November 16.

CONFERENCE SCHEDULED

UND will be the site for a "State of the Faculty" conference on October 18-19, with invitations extended to faculty and administrators of all public and private colleges and universities in North Dakota.

Sponsored by the North Dakota Council for Higher Education, the conference will include sessions on collective bargaining, tenure, governance, faculty evaluation, formula budgeting and affirmative action.

PHI DELTA REUNION

Phi Delta Theta fraternity is observing its 60th anniversary on the UND campus during Homecoming/73. An open house is planned at the fraternity following the Homecoming football game for alumni, family and friends, according to Mike Barfuss, president.

ACCREDITATION TEAM

A survey team from the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools will visit UND in February, 1974, for accreditation purposes. Information for the team will be assembled this fall and will include the recently published "SCOPE Report for the 70's." The survey study is done every 10 years.

Former Students Produce Booklets

Two former UND students from Northwood have collaborated on the production of illustrated booklets that are proving popular with tourists.

Tom Amb, ex '59, and Louie Thompson, ex '41, did extensive research on the history of the Mississippi River, with Thompson producing full-color sketches. The finished product, "America and the Mississippi River," covers the story from Lake Itaska to New Orleans.

The pair have recently completed another illustrated book titled, "The Voyageurs, Frontiersmen of the Northwest," also aimed at sales to tourists.

A third book, "Mike and the Metal Detector," has been accepted for publication. Both Amb and Thompson are metal detector fans.

Amb is an instructor in photography at Moorhead State College. Thompson is a semi-retired farmer in Northwood who studied art at UND and has been a long-time painter and illustrator.

NETWORK COORDINATED

The Higher Education Computer Network, which links smaller North Dakota colleges with computer facilities at UND, was scheduled to be in operation on September 1.

The network links Dickinson State and Valley City State with an IBM 370/135 computer at UND by means of data communication terminals and was developed through the 1973 North Dakota Legislature, the North Dakota Educational Computer Association and the State Board of Higher Education. The facilities may serve other schools in the future.

SIGNS PRO CONTRACT

Jim Cahoon, a 1973 spring graduate from UND and a star with the Sioux hockey team, has signed a professional contract with the Montreal Canadiens. A native of Saskatoon, Cahoon led the Sioux hockey team in scoring last season with 16 goals and 36 assists; his 36 assists tied the UND record set by Dennis Hextall, now with the Minnesota North Stars.

UND Expands 'Mini-Course' Offerings

Mini-courses at UND are part of a national trend in which a growing number of professors and students are specializing in the study of American mass culture.

Popular-culture courses offered at UND in recent semesters include Radio Mystery, Golden Age of Radio, Jazz Tradition, Broadway Musicals, Blues Tradition and Science Fiction.

The Welk course at UND this fall is the most recent in a series of one-credit history courses dealing with popular arts in America. The course is taught by Dr. Robert Wilkins, who played with a band in the Chicago area during the 1930's, and Dr. Glenn Smith, who played a one-nighter with Welk in Iowa in the 1930's.

One book used in the course is Welk's autobiography, "Wunnerful, Wunnerful." His description of life in a small North Dakota German-Russian community gives students a good view of the immigrant experience. The pages dealing with the big band era are especially rewarding to students interested in the growth and development of popular American music during the 1920's, 1930's and 1940's," said Twenton.

Other mini-courses offered this semester include Joan of Arc, Decisions and Outcomes, Vikings in America, U.S. Immigration, Radio Comedy, Dead Sea Scrolls, Norse Mythology, Martin Luther, Crazy Horse, Sex and Society, and Drugs and Society.

LABORATORY FUNDED

The U.S. Senate Appropriations Committee has voted an additional \$640,000 for funding and staffing of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Human Nutrition Research Laboratory at UND.

Senator Milton R. Young, who was mainly responsible for creation of the new laboratory, offered the amendment which raises the funding from the \$919,500 approved by both the U.S. House of Representatives and the Budget Bureau to a total of \$1.66 million.

NEWS NOTES

Thomas L. Zimney, '66, is a new member of the law firm of Vaaler, Gillig, Warcup, Woutat and Zimney in Grand Forks. An associate of the firm since 1970, Zimney is a native of Jamestown and is married to the former **Claudette Solheim, '67**, who is a case worker in Grand Forks County.

Col. Edgar V. Johnson, '50, was named as the 1973 Boss of the Year in Mandan by the Sakakawea Chapter of the National Secretaries Association; he is personnel officer for the North Dakota National Guard, has been with the Guard for more than 17 years; a naval aviator during World War II, he flew 72 combat missions, holds several medals, is active in civic and charitable work.

William C. Landwehr, '68, is director of the Quincy Art Center, Quincy, Ill. He is listed in the 1972 edition of "Who's Who in America" and the 1973 edition of "Who's Who in American Art."

Dewayne A. Leppke, '58, is vice president of an agricultural and engineering firm in Kalamazoo, Mich., known as Kingscott Associates, Inc. It employs 80 people, has \$40 million construction planned for 1973.

Gary T. Geiszler, '64, is manager of the Gate City Savings and Loan Office in Dickinson. A native of Kenmare, he joined the institution in 1967 in Minot.

David Stempson, '64, '67, is in law practice at Lincoln, Neb. His wife, the former **Tani Theel, '64, '66**, is teaching business adult education.

Harriet Johnston, '63, and **Carol Kelley, '67**, are the author and illustrator, respectively, of a coloring book for elementary school children, titled "What's in Food?" Harriet Johnston is a registered dietitian, while Carol Kelley is on the faculty at UND as a graphics artist.

Michael Hankey, '70, was appointed to the Graduate Academic Policy Committee at the University of Southern Illinois. He and his wife, the former **Gale Swenson, '69**, live near Edwardsville, Ill., while he completes work on his master's degree.

Col. Vernon R. Huber, '50, is in command of the 456th Bomb Wing at Beale AFB, moving from Minot AFB.

Sioux Prospects Look Bright For Cage, Hockey Teams

By LEE BOHNET

Sports Information Director

Prospects for good, title-challenging Fighting Sioux basketball and hockey teams in 1973-74 are apparent when checking the rosters of cage coach Dave Gunther and ice boss Rube Bjorkman.

The hockey team will play its second season in the new two million dollar, 5,700-seat Winter Sports Center, built without state funds through student bonds and gifts and donations from several hundred UND alumni and friends. The cagers will be playing in a remodeled Fieldhouse, which is now 22 years old. A \$135,000 fieldhouse project to furnish a new synthetic floor, paint job and additional lighting should be completed prior to the opening of cage practices October 15.

Coach Dave Gunther will have seven lettermen returning—guard Rick Fischer, forwards Ron Becker, Bob Dickerson, Don Gunhus and John Thorpe plus centers Fred Lukens and Austin Martin. He also will gain the services early in January of two outstanding prospects who transferred to UND last January—former all-time Iowa prep scoring champion Jim Goodrich, who transferred from U-Nebraska, and 6-6 forward Bob Eaglestaff, a transfer from Brigham Young.

Newcomers being counted on to bolster the cagers are former All New York City guard, 5-5 Ray Jones, an exciting transfer from Phoenix, Ariz., junior college; 6-8 JC

transfer Dan Dukelow from Kansas; 6-1 guard Greg Nero from Inkster, Mich.; 6-8 center Joe Peulen from Hudson, Wis., and 6-4 All State forward Tom Petrik of Bismarck, who also is an end on the grid team.

Coach Bjorkman will have many new faces on the hockey squad this season due to graduation and other reasons. He listed 40 candidates (he'll carry between 20-25 on his varsity roster) for the opening on ice pre-season drills September 20. The Sioux begin season competition November 2-3 at home against St. Louis University, now being handled by former Sioux letterman and head coach Bill Selman. The skaters will play 34 games, 16 at home and 18 on the road.

Bjorkman and his assistant, former Sioux star John (Gino) Gasparini, had an all-out recruiting effort last winter and spring and signed some of the top area prep players and some junior class stars from Canada.

Bjorkman will have six lettermen—goalie Tim Delmore, defensemen Daryl Drader, Ken Gibb and Alan Hangsleben and wings Rick Clubbe and Larry Drader—plus some other junior varsity stars.

Among some of the finest prep hockey stars in Minnesota and North Dakota last year will be wearing the Sioux Green and White this winter. One of the biggest catches was goalie Peter Waselovich of International Falls, Minn.

Glenn G. Geiger, '48, is the head of his own firm in New York City, the Glenn G. Geiger Co., specializing as consultants in executive compensation. He was formerly general agent of New England Life.

Col. Paul W. Buehler, '51, is deputy chief, military justice division, Office of the Judge Advocate General, USAF, and resides at Fairfax, Va.

Robert Skarsgard, '69, has joined the Trane Co. in Minneapolis following graduate work at George Washington University.

Nancy Michener MacKnight, ex '51, is supervisor of the Bacteriology Laboratory at Santa Clara Medical Center, San Jose, Calif.

David D. Vandergon, '69, is employed by the Lake Agassiz Boy Scout Council. He lives in Grafton. His wife is the former **Carol Jean Ferrie, ex '67**.

Wesley Sheffield, '67, has written portions of two new publications, "Shaping an Effective Admissions Program" and "Victims of Culture." He resides at Wantagh, Long Island, N Y

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Cpt. Jerome Palanuk, '70, is a B-52 navigator on temporary duty in Guam. His wife, the former **Patricia McDermid, '70**, teaches in the Rome, N.Y. school system.

Mrs. Mark E. Andersen (Bonnie MacMaster, ex '63) is teaching in the Maternal-Infant Master's Program at the Catholic University of America in the School of Nursing.

Alan T. Leupp, '58, is treasurer of REA Enterprises, a building firm in Los Angeles. His wife is the former **Joanne Connor, ex '58**.

William O. Scouton, '54, is a writer for the Congressional Quarterly, a private weekly publication in Washington, D.C. He served as an assistant to Gov. Arthur Link when he was North Dakota Congressman in 1971-72.

Jean S. Bope, '53, has been promoted to the position of manufacturing manager with Graham Magnetics of Graham, Texas. He joined the firm with a background of nearly 20 years in manufacturing management and industrial engineering. He is married to the former **Joanna Letich, '53**.

Joan Webster Sathe, '48, is teaching special education in the Augusta County School System at Waynesboro, Va., after receiving her master's degree from the University of Virginia.

Richard Beck, who was a long time member of the UND faculty, writes from Victoria, B.C., where he and his wife keep busy in retirement. Dr. Beck continues his writings in both Icelandic and English.

Elmer O. Eid, '52, is administrator of St. Luke's Hospital at Bellingham, Wash. He is also active in Washington State Hospital affairs, serving on the Washington Hospital Board of Trustees, the Governor's Advisory Board, the Comprehensive Health Planning Council and is chairman of Care for the Elderly. His wife is the former **Beverlee Juneau, ex '50**.

Karl Thorson, '58, is manufacturing manager of the Traffic Control Products Division of 3M and resides in Hudson, Wis.

Lois E. Davies, '49, was the recipient of an award for service to education, community and the church at Tracy, Calif.

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Cpt. William E. Sherman, '67, is stationed at the Legal Office on Kadena Air Base, Okinawa. His wife, the former **Helen Quam, '68**, is teaching English at Kubasaki high school.

Donald J. Ehreth, '61, is a chemical engineer and program manager in the Office of Research, Municipal Technology Process Development of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. His home is at Warrenton, Va.

Edward L. Bender, M.D., '67, is a resident in Family Practice at the Naval Hospital, Camp Pendleton. His wife, the former **Marjean Loge, '69**, is a medical technologist at Ocean-side, Calif.

Arnott J. Lee, '30, was recently honored by the Sullivan Machinery Co. and Joy Manufacturing Co. in recognition of his 39 years of continuous service. He held management positions with the firm in locations throughout the United States. He makes his retirement home in Minneapolis.

Darrell C. Orr, '60, has been promoted to Controller of the Meyer Division, George J. Meyer Manufacturing, Milwaukee, Wis. He had been with the National Can Corp. for nine years in financial and manufacturing positions.



Ernest J. Dvorak, '58, was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the U.S. Army and is assigned with the Defense Supply Agency, Alexandria, Va.

Donald E. Nicholson, ex '69, and his wife, the former **Bernadette Laranang, ex '69**, have opened a travel service in Grand Forks.

William L. Guy III, '68, has been discharged from the U.S. Navy. He was most recently stationed in New Orleans. Guy is enrolled in the UND Law School and his wife, the former **Marilyn Walter, '69, '71**, is teaching in Grand Forks.

Gordon West, '50, is agricultural assistant for North Dakota's Senator Milton Young.

SP4 Paul Gunville, '71, stationed at Ft. Bragg, works in the Data Processing office of the 573rd Personnel Service Company. His wife, the former **Patricia Misialek, '72**, is teaching in Fayetteville.

Dr. Lloyd F. Johnson, '54, was honored at Northern State College, Aberdeen, S.D., where the new Fine Arts Center was named in honor of him and his wife. Dr. Johnson retired in 1971 as Dean of Administrative Services, while his late wife served as associate director of admissions and other capacities for 41 years at Northern State College.



Linda Redmann Mahrer, '67, was awarded a Fellowship by Phi Upsilon Omicron for study towards a master's degree at the University of Arizona. She formerly

worked at the North Dakota School for the Blind and taught in Wisconsin.

Dr. Wilbur J. Aiken, '64, is director of the Western Mental Health Center, Marshall, Minn. He was a former assistant professor at Indiana University.

Mark Jan Vrem, '71, and his wife, the former **Bonnie Jean Burnet, '71**, reside at Nelouna, B.C., Canada, where he is a TV producer and announcer.

Timothy M. Hansen, '71, has been promoted to assistant trainmaster with the Chicago-Milwaukee Railroad and lives in Portage, Wis.

Jim R. Carrigan, '53, served on the faculty of the 24th annual Advocacy Institute in Michigan last spring. It was presented on the University of Michigan campus and is known as the nation's leading seminar on trial techniques. Carrigan is a member of the law firm of Kripke, Carrigan and Duffy in Denver; is a former professor of the University of Colorado Law School, and was formerly on the Board of Governors of the Association of Trial Lawyers of America.

Sandra Ubelaeker, '67, '71, is in Nairobi, Kenya, working under the Ministry of Education, Ottawa, Ont. She is on loan from the University of Alberta and will be in Kenya until 1974.

Judith Walby, '67, is a medical service representative with A. H. Robins pharmaceutical firm in Minneapolis.

Dr. James M. Sawrey, '48, has been named Dean of the School of Social Science at San Jose State University. Originally from Cogswell, Dr. Sawrey has been chairman of the San Jose State psychology department. In his new post, he will oversee 12 departments and programs with a faculty of 238 and an enrollment of 5,800.

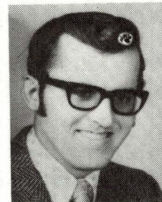
Wayne Allen Potter, '66, is a drilling engineering and research supervisor with Shell Development Co. of Shell Oil at Houston, Texas.

John H. Saiki, M.D., '58, was honored by the graduating seniors of the New Mexico School of Medicine with the Kahtali Award. He is director of the New Mexico Regional Medical program's Leukemia-Lymphoma Program as well as assistant professor of medicine at the UNM School of Medicine. He has been on the New Mexico faculty since 1970.

C. Mark Young, '60, is general manager of Marshfield Homes mobile home plant at Valdosta, Ga. His wife is the former **Kathryn Meyer, '61**.

Kris Bjornson, '37, is manager of the Noble Adjustment Co. in Grand Forks, returning to the city after a 34-year absence.

Louise Wicklund Brown, '31, has retired after 38 years of teaching English and counseling in the state of Washington and now makes her home in San Diego.



James M. Hepper, '62, has been elected treasurer of the Federal Land Bank of Spokane, where he has been employed since 1964.

Lt. John M. O'Gorden, '65, is serving aboard the USS Howard W. Gilmore which is home ported at La Maddalena, Sardinia. He is married to the former **Marilyn Dailey, ex '68**.

Vernon Keel, '63, is professor and head of the department of journalism and mass communication at South Dakota State University, Brookings. He recently received his Ph.D. degree in mass communications from the University of Minnesota.

Jerry H. Enebo, '62, is district manager in Canada for the General Adjustment Bureau, supervising four branch offices from Scarborough, Ont.

Edward Thompson, '23, lives in retirement at San Jose, Calif. After serving as principal at Northwood he went to Stanford and then became Business Manager at San Jose State University for 35 years, retiring 10 years ago. He and his wife have been doing extensive traveling abroad.



Steve R. Smirnoff, '66, of Anchorage, Alaska, has been appointed to the Board of Directors of the Northwest-Soviet Liaison Corp. He is executive director of Com-

munications Associates in Anchorage.

Lawrence J. Lunas, '26, has retired at Cocoa Beach, Fla., after a business career with Westinghouse. He made six trips to Western Europe for Westinghouse.

Dr. Dean J. Danner, '65, '68, is assistant professor of pediatrics doing research in metabolism and medical genetics at Emory University, Atlanta. Dr. Danner has been at Northwestern State University in Louisiana and is a former American Cancer Society post-doctoral fellow.

Jerome C. Loreth, '71, has been promoted to assistant operations manager in the San Francisco district of Firestone Tire and makes his home in San Jose.

Richard D. Anderson, M.D., '62, '64, has spent the past four years at the Mayo Clinic in the Ears, Nose and Throat Surgery Training Program. He is now heading a new department of Otorhinolaryngology at the Denver Clinic. He is married to the former **Judy McClung, '62**, and they make their home in Denver.

Carrie Flaagan McKee, M.D., '65, '67, is continuing her fellowship in Community Pediatrics at the University of Washington, Seattle. She was recently appointed to the attending pediatrician staff at Harborview Medical Center Outpatient department in Seattle.

Henry Scheerer, '30, has retired from teaching and resides in La Puente, Calif.

ALUMNI REUNIONS

HOMECOMING, 1973 — October 12-13, on campus.

ALPHA CHI OMEGA — Celebrating its 50th birthday on campus at Homecoming, October 12-13, 1973.

SIGMA NU — Celebrating its 50th birthday on campus at Homecoming, October 12-13, 1973.

SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON — Celebrating its 50th birthday on campus at Homecoming, October 12-13, 1973.

KFJM — Celebrating its 50th birthday on campus at Homecoming, October 12-13, 1973.

PHI DELTA THETA — Celebrating its 60th birthday on campus at Homecoming, October 12-13, 1973.

1948 MEDICAL SCHOOL CLASS — 25th Reunion on campus at Homecoming, October 12-13, 1973.

NEW YORK, N.Y. — Friday, November 2, 1973, at the Grant Room of the Union League Club, 37th Street and Park Avenue. Social hour at 5:30 honoring President and Mrs. Clifford, hosted by the Lambert Huppers; dinner at 6:30 p.m. For reservations contact Don Steiner, chairman, 29 Carol Rd., Westfield, NJ 07090, phone (201) 468-6575.

BISMARCK, N. D. — Hockey party November 24, 1973. Social hour at 5:30, smorgasbord at 6:30 at Holiday Inn, followed by UND-Michigan Tech hockey game at 8 p.m.

LOS ANGELES, CALIF. — UND Night with Lawrence Welk, Hollywood Palladium, Saturday, January 26, 1974. For tickets contact Judge Edward O'Connor, 149 N. Cliffwood, Los Angeles, CA 90049.

CHICAGO, ILL. — Saturday, February 16, 1974, at Stouffers Inn, Oakbrook, Ill., social hour and dinner at 6 p.m.; piano sing-along. For reservations contact Clint Jensen, 924 Eddy Ct., Wheaton, IL 60187.

ROUND THE WORLD TOUR, March, 1974.

Welk Visits U Campus



Lawrence Welk returned to his native North Dakota in September to spend a full day on the UND campus, with a major portion of his time devoted to meeting with students who are studying American Mass Culture. (See related story on page 5)

Welk gave lectures as part of his activities as Professor of Popular Culture, spoke at a seminar, lunched with local dignitaries, and conducted a standing-room only free concert.

His spontaneity and enthusiasm came across just as well in front of a blackboard as it did in front of the orchestra. He danced and laughed with history students and played the accordion. He was swamped for autographs.

After one of the classes, two girls met him and one said: "Mr. Welk, this is my roommate from Strasburg, and you've kissed her twice in her life. Once when you danced with her today, and once in Strasburg when she was three years old."

Other tributes included, "He's a real showman; he's been around the music business for 50 years, and he knows."

Welk appeared to enjoy his day on the campus, expressed his appreciation for the invitation and indicated his hope to return again.

"Today I feel better than I have in my entire life," Welk said.

IN MEMORIAM

Carl V. Peterson, '37, September 2, 1973, Grand Forks.

William E. Dresser, ex '12, June, 1973, San Juan Capistrano, Calif.

R. R. Smith, ex '44, September 6, 1973, Grand Forks.

Hazel McLeod Stewart, ex '28, September 10, 1973, Carlsbad, Calif.

Ralph LeRoy Holden, '70, Winnipeg.

R. Percy Abbey, '04, Great Falls, Mont.

Mrs. F. S. Thompson (Elizabeth Rintool, ex '24), Marioposa, Calif.

Mrs. Mansell Richards (Dorothy Blanding, '22), April, 1972, Newark, Del.

Calvin R. Bouvette, ex '29, September 15, 1973, Hallock, Minn.

Mrs. Johann Kristjanson (Mathilda E. Melstad, ex '16), September 13, 1973, Mountain.

John H. Dougherty, ex '72, August 29, 1972, Driscoll.

Floyd R. Huffman, '30, Redwood Falls, Minn.

Mrs. Delbert L. Gallett (Ethel A. Harris, ex '13), September 14, 1973, Palm Desert, Calif.