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# ALUMNI REVIEW

## UND receives property gift

# Dunlevy Endowment expanded

By CAROL ERICKSON

The University of North Dakota Benefactors Club has added two new members with Jerome and Katharine Dunlevy. They have made a gift of property to the UND Foundation to be added to the Jerome N. and Katharine E. Dunlevy Endowment. The Dunlevys contributed their principal residence which is a condominium at Columbia Park Towers in Grand Forks.

Income from the endowment will be used for priority needs as determined by the UND Foundation Board of Directors.

Jerome Dunlevy Sr. began his studies at UND in the fall of 1917. He enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1918 and resumed his studies in 1919. In 1922, Jerome graduated with a degree in electrical engineering. In 1927, he returned to Grand Forks from Chicago to go into business with his father. He later organized the Jerome Dunlevy Co. which became Concrete Inc., the major producer of pre-stressed concrete in eastern North Dakota.

Jerome is now retired from the presidency and the board of directors. A long-time supporter

of UND, Jerome served on the Board of Directors of the UND Alumni Association from 1967-1976. He received the Sioux Award from the UND Alumni Association in 1977.

Katharine (Londergan) graduated from UND in 1921 and was a member of the Alpha Phi social sorority. The Dunlevys have two sons, Jerome M. Jr. and John. Jerome M. now is chairman of the board and president of Concrete Inc.

"Jerry and Katharine Dunlevy have an uncommon love and loyalty for UND," Earl Strinden, executive vice president of the UND Alumni Association and Foundation, said. "Theirs is a lifetime devotion to the building and growth of this University and a determination to enhance quality educational opportunities for future generations of our young citizens."

Jerome M. Dunlevy and his wife, Anne, did not attend UND, but have maintained a close relationship with the university. All five of their children attended UND with Maureen and Daniel receiving the medical degree and Shawn and Kevin receiving the



The Dunlevy family is pictured here in this 1983 photograph taken on the occasion of the elder Dunlevy's 60th wedding anniversary. Seated are Jerome Sr. and Katharine Dunlevy. Behind them, left to right, are Daniel, Maureen, Jerry Jr., Anne, Patrick, Shawn, Patricia (Mrs. John), John, Marlene (Mrs. Kevin), Kevin and Christopher Erickson (Maureen's son).

law degree.

It is the Dunlevy grandchildren, Patrick, '70, Maureen, '86, Shawn, '80, Kevin, '84, and

Daniel, '86, who established the Dunlevy Endowment in honor of their grandparents. For many years, the grandchildren have

made donations in recognition of special occasions such as anniversaries, birthdays, Mother's Day, Father's Day, and Christmas.

## Surprise Sioux Award presented

# Lt. Gov. Meiers honored by alma mater

North Dakota Lt. Gov. Ruth Meiers, '46, was surprised with a Sioux Award as an outstanding alumna of the University of North Dakota.

The Sioux Award is the UND Alumni Association's foremost recognition of achievement and service.

UND President Thomas Clifford and Earl Strinden, executive vice president of the UND Alumni Association and Foundation, made the surprise announcement

and presentation at a dinner gathering for North Dakota legislators held Monday, Jan. 12, at the Kirkwood Inn in Bismarck, N.D.

Meiers is the first woman to be elected lieutenant governor in North Dakota, attaining the highest elected status for a woman graduate of UND. She served in the North Dakota House of Representatives from 1975 to 1985, and was a longtime caseworker, director, board

member and child welfare worker on the Mountrail County Welfare Board.

Active in numerous organizations, Meiers has served as a member of the Upper Missouri District Health Unit, the Mountrail County Cancer Society, Steering Committee of the Silver Haired Legislature, State Adoption Council and North Dakota Public Health Association, which presented her with an Outstanding Service Award in

1984.

Meiers grew up with politics in her family. Her father, Axel Olson, of Parshall, N.D., served in the North Dakota Senate for 20 years.

She and her husband, Glenn, have a farm near Ross, N.D. They have four sons.

In presenting the award, Clifford said, "Ruth is a fighter for what she believes in. During this past biennium, she has given special attention to the needs of



North Dakota Lt. Gov. Ruth Meiers, '46, accepts a surprise Sioux Award from UND President Thomas J. Clifford.

children in our society. Her efforts and dedication to this cause have brought attention to the problems being experienced by our young people, as well as to suggest solutions as we strive to build a stronger and better North Dakota and nation."

Strinden added, "The Sioux Award is presented for outstanding career and service accomplishment. We certainly think Ruth Meiers has contributed substantially to the proud tradition of UND alumni. She has brought distinction on her alma mater."



Chief White Bull

# Who killed Custer?

Who killed Custer? It was Joseph White Bull, a Teton Sioux warrior, according to a rare, original autobiographical manuscript owned by the Chester Fritz Library's Elwyn B. Robinson Department of Special Collections at the University of North Dakota.

White Bull's story is drawing renewed attention in keeping with the resurgence of interest in the Battle of Little Big Horn, which was fought in 1876 in southeastern Montana. Col. Custer left for that fateful battle from Fort Abraham Lincoln near present day Mandan, N.D.

The outburst of books and articles about Custer may be directly related to the work of Richard Fox, '73, a former UND graduate student and instructor who led the new archaeological surveys after a recent prairie fire in the battlefield.

Fox's work neither confirms nor denies White Bull's claim to have dispatched "Long Hair" in hand-to-hand combat. The *Alumni Review* asked the Special Collections Department to tell the story of Chief Joseph White Bull and this important historical document.

Joseph White Bull, the son of a Teton Sioux chief and the nephew of famed Medicine Man Sitting Bull, was 26 years old when circumstances found him at the Little Big Horn. Throughout his early life he had been trained for the hunt, warfare, and the struggle to survive on the High Plains under the ominous advance of the White frontier.

Survive he did, both the battle and the tragic aftermath when, as White Bull put it, "they took the horses and the tips of the Dakota."

As an old man, White Bull became the friend of another North Dakota historical figure, future North Dakota Congressman Usher Burdick, the father of today's U.S. Senator Quentin Burdick. In 1931, 55 years after the battle,

(see MANUSCRIPT, page 3)



## Report from campus

By Earl Strinden Alumni Assoc. Executive V-P

The recent death of Era Bell Thompson received attention nationally and here at home. She has a unique place in the history of our University and the state of North Dakota. Era Bell came to UND in the late 1920s from a farm near the little town of Driscoll, not far from Bismarck, N.D. She was an outstanding athlete both in high school and at UND, where in a 1929 track meet, she broke five North Dakota college records and tied a national record in the 60-yard dash. Era Bell's career in journalism began at UND, where she was a sports writer and humor editor for the Dakota Student. She retired as international editor of the Chicago-based Ebony magazine after a career spanning more than 40 years, during which she became internationally recognized for her accomplishments as a journalist, editor, author, traveler and lecturer. In 1969, she received an honorary doctorate degree from UND. She also was the recipient of the Rough Rider Award, the highest honor given by the state of North Dakota. In 1981, she again returned to the campus as an inductee into the UND Fighting Sioux Hall of Fame.

I thought the members of our UND alumni family would enjoy reading what

Era Bell wrote in 1970 after a visit "back home." She titled her editorial "What's a Nice Negro Child Like You Doing in North Dakota Anyway."

### Era Bell's Love for North Dakota

"'North Dakota!' some kid shrieked. 'What's that?'"

Everyone along the American Legion parade route who heard him, laughed. That is, almost everyone. Sight of the North Dakota contingent had filled me with pride. Although now living in Chicago, North Dakota is home and those beautiful bandsmen marching down Michigan Avenue were my countrymen.

Ever since I left the state in 1931, people have asked where is North Dakota and what in the world was a nice Negro girl like you doing in the godforsaken country in the first place? Differentiating between the two Dakotas and denying that they are overrun by buffaloes and Indians drove me to the writing of my autobiography, 'American Daughter.'

Not long ago I returned to Bismarck for a visit which developed into a gala

reunion with high school classmates and a reaffirmation of a love affair with a state too many people still know too little about. While there, I visited the graves of my parents and a slave-born grandmother I never knew. I drove by the rented farm west of Driscoll where we Thompsons last lived as a family. The frame house, the barns and out-buildings had disappeared. Even the windmill was gone. A few willow trees marked the site of the grove and high weeds concealed the metal bones of farm equipment for which we had mortgaged our souls.

And what of me? In the intervening years I had flown the oceans in a silvery plane, tramped the jungles wet with rain. Seen the pyramids along the Nile and watched the sunset from a tropic isle. Also crossed the equator a dozen times, fought bushflies in the Australian outback, planted a tree in Israel and meditated in India with Maharishi Mahesh Yogi in his ashram high above the Ganges.

Those far-away places with the strange sounding names made me more appreciative of North Dakota, more aware of the need to change her image from the nation's deep freeze to a delightful vacationland where more ski-

ing is done on water than snow and where the people, like deer and antelope, have learned how to play.

Instead of briny codfish ordered from Sears when I was young, thanks to the Garrison reservoir, game fishing is now an unexpected bonus in a land noted for its agricultural bonanzas despite drought, hail, rust and locusts. Now they tell me, after going all the way to East Africa for a safari, that North Dakota is one of our top 10 big game states. And if there is a natural phenomenon more picturesque — and less publicized — than her Badlands, it is her prairie sunsets.

So what is North Dakota?

It is the state of the International Peace Garden and the burning coal mines. It is where Teddy Roosevelt ranched and where Col. Custer fought and in which Sakajawea joined the Lewis and Clark expedition. It is the home of the rodeo and the flickertail; of Buffalo Bill and Lawrence Welk and that couple I met while crawling through a Maori cave in New Zealand.

Where is North Dakota?

It is where my uncle homesteaded and my father was messenger to North Dakota's first Nonpartisan league governor. It is where I herded cows as a child and broke track records as a student and operated a secondhand furniture store left by my father — and last year received the highest honor its university can bestow."

## Reunions & tours

### Calendar

Feb. 26—	Sun City, Ariz.
Feb. 26—	Phoenix/Scottsdale
Feb. 27—	San Diego
March 15—	Los Angeles
March 19—	Seattle
March 20—	Portland, Ore.
March 22—	San Francisco
April 8-21—	South America Tour
April 24—	New York City
April 26—	Washington, D.C.
May 3—	Milwaukee, Wis. and Chicago
May 20-22—	Alumni Days 1987, UND campus
Oct. 1-3—	Homecoming 1987, UND campus
Nov. 5-18—	Singapore, Bali and Hong Kong Tour

### Sun City Reunion Feb. 26

Join in an exciting brunch with fellow classmates, friends and UND representatives Thursday, Feb. 26, at the Union Hills Country Club, Gold Room, at noon in Sun City, Ariz. The cost per person is \$12. Reservations may be made by mailing your check to UND Alumni Association, P.O. Box 8157 University Station, Grand Forks, ND 58202. For more information call the Alumni Center at (701) 777-2611.

### Phoenix/Scottsdale Reunion Feb. 26

A reunion for the Phoenix/Scottsdale area UND alumni is scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 26, at the Oscar Taylor Restaurant in Phoenix. The social hour begins at 6:15 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:15 p.m. The cost for the dinner is \$20 per person. Reservations for the dinner may be made by sending your check to chairperson Judy Anderson, 8205 E. Del Claro, Scottsdale, AZ 85258 or call (602) 951-3517.

### San Diego Reunion Feb. 27

San Diego alumni and friends are invited to a relaxing and friendly reunion at the home of Dr. Al and Nancy Heising from 7-9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 27. This is an opportunity to enjoy an evening of reminiscing with classmates, visiting with friends, and meeting representatives of UND. The cost of the social is \$12.50 per person. For more information, contact chairpersons Al or Nancy Heising at 5760 Daffodil Lane, San Diego, CA 92120 or call (619) 583-6057.

### Los Angeles Reunion March 15

This is a rare opportunity for UND alumni to visit with friends, classmates and UND representatives at the famous Bel-Air Country Club in Los Angeles at the Los Angeles area UND alumni reunion. The Bel-Air Country Club is one of the most picturesque settings in the world overlooking the Pacific Ocean. Parking is free. The reunion is scheduled for Sunday, March 15, from 10:30 a.m.

to 2 p.m. Edward O'Connor is chairing the event. For more information, contact him at 149 N. Cliffwood Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90049 or call (213) 472-6767.

### Seattle Reunion March 19

John and Marge Kruger will be chairing the Seattle area UND alumni reunion Thursday, March 19, in Seattle. The social hour is scheduled for 5:30 p.m., followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. For additional information, contact John or Marge Kruger at 8714 N.E. 21st St., Seattle, WA 98004 or call (206) 454-5475.

### Portland Reunion March 20

UND alumni and friends are welcome to attend the Portland area UND alumni reunion Friday, March 20, in Portland, Ore. Richard "Dick" and Marion Burgess will chair the event with a no host social hour beginning at 6:30 p.m., followed by dinner at 7:15 p.m. at the Saylor's Old Country Kitchen, at Southeast 105 and Stark. The program will include meeting and visiting with friends, classmates, and representatives from UND. For additional information, contact Dick or Marion at 13739 S.E. Aldridge Road, Portland, OR 97236 or call (503) 658-8642.

### San Francisco Reunion March 22

The San Francisco UND Alumni Chapter will be hosting a UND alumni reunion Sunday, March 22, at the Admiral Nimitz Club (Officers Club)

Treasure Island in San Francisco Bay. A brunch will follow the social hour beginning at 11 a.m. The cost is \$13.50 per person. More information may be obtained from chairmen Dr. Jack and Donna Linfoot at 20 Dos Encinas, Orinda, CA 94563 or call (415) 254-6048.

### AAPG Rocky Mountain Meeting Luncheon Attendants

Casper, Wyo.  
Sept. 9, 1986

Attending from COLORADO were: Boulder — Sieve D. Sturm, '82; Denver — Gary Hall, '58; Lakewood — Emmet Schmitz, '55, and Littleton — Sid Bjorlie, '73.

Attending from MONTANA was: Billings — Elmer "Jerry" Meldahl, '55, '56.

Attending from NORTH DAKOTA were: Bismarck — Roger Borchert; Clarence "Kelly" Carlson, '60; Doren Dannerwitz; Steve Harris; Bob Johnson, '70, '73; Grand Forks — Sid Anderson, '51; Drs. John, '71, and Mary Blumele (Rohan), '67, '75; Dave Fischer, '80; Julie LeFever, and Minot — Bob Garbe.

Attending from NEW MEXICO was: Socorro — Orin Anderson, '61.

Attending from OKLAHOMA was: Norman — LeRoy Hemish, '75.

Attending from TEXAS was: Midland — Bruno Hanson, '51.

Attending from VIRGINIA was: Vienna — Bruce Ramsey, '72, '74.

Attending from WYOMING were: Casper — Gerry Carpenter, and Chuck Tenney.

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## LOST ALUMNI

### Can you help us find them?

We are trying to get our address records in the best shape possible. We've lost contact with the people listed below. Some have not been heard from since graduation, some have moved and not sent us a forwarding address, some have married and changed their names, some might have died. We need your help. If you know where any of these people are, or if they are deceased, drop a note with address or date of death to Alumni Records Supervisor, UND Alumni Association, P.O. Box 8157, University Station, Grand Forks, ND 58202.

Persons are listed by last known name, year graduated and hometown.

\*John R. Pederson, '29, Carpio, N.D.

\*Walter R. Howe, '31, Watford City, N.D.

\*Elizabeth M. "Betty" Peterson, '38, Buffalo, N.D.

\*Alden K. Eiland, '46, Grand Forks

\*Martin R. Cooney, '50, Grand Forks

\*Gregory Pirro, '52, Wildrose, N.D.

\*Thyra Jensen Monroe, '55, Grand Forks

\*Quentin E. Englerth, '57, Starkweather, N.D.

\*Robert E. Miller, '63, Crookston, Minn.

\*Donald S. Turner, '64, Emerson, Manitoba

\*James E. Cramer, '68, Grand Forks

\*Larry G. Kline, '70, Rock Lake, N.D.

\*Vernon K. Schroeder, '71, Grand Forks

\*Kathleen A. Engle Leigh, '71, Dickinson, N.D.

\*Robert F. Pladson, '75, Grand Forks

\*Bruce R. Gustavson, '76, Thompson, N.D.

\*Rodney A. Danielson, '77, Jamestown, N.D.

\*Kim L. Porter, '80, Bismarck, N.D.

\*Rosalee Veen, '84, Pingree, N.D.

\*Kay L. Martin, '85, Fargo, N.D.

# Original manuscript tells Little Big Horn story

## U library houses rare, valuable document

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Burdick convinced the 81-year-old White Bull, now a chief himself, to record the colorful events which had led him into history.

To encourage White Bull, Burdick, a serious collector of American Indian history and artifacts, offered him \$50. Upon receipt of the manuscript, Burdick paid with a check, which, perhaps not surprisingly, was never cashed.

The manuscript includes narration in the original Teton Dakota language, and is accompanied by 39 pictographs in traditional Sioux design. Held within a bound ledger, the text is written in ink, with the illustrations executed in ink, lead pencil and colored crayon. Critics have said the artwork demonstrates a concentrated effort in costume specification and "a lively sense of action."

The White Bull manuscript presents a remarkable account of the battle which shocked the post-Civil War era, in the midst of the nation's centennial celebration.

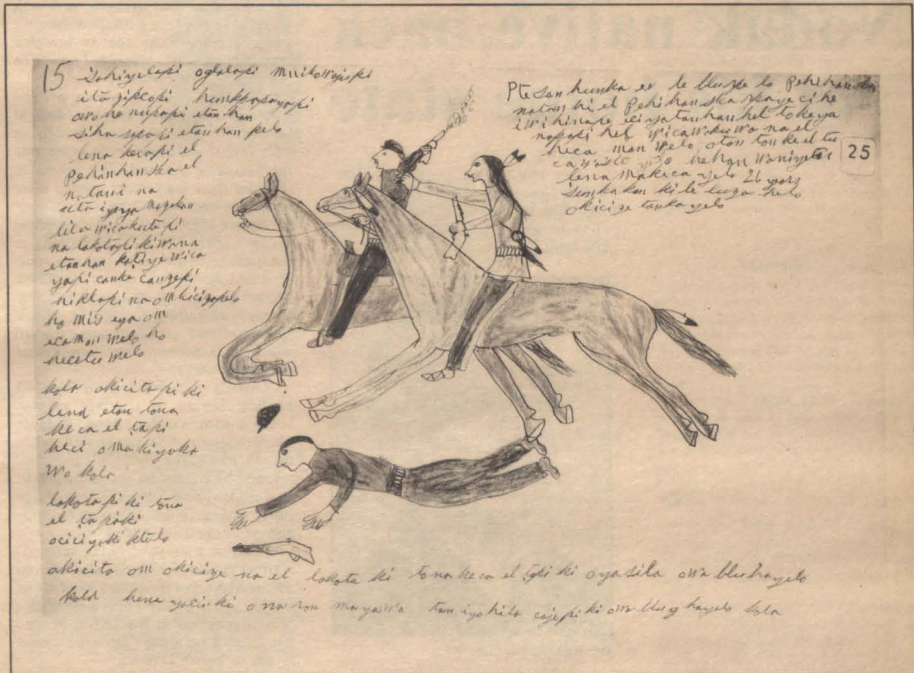
Perhaps as important as the vivid description of the battle is the chronicle's account of the history of the Teton Sioux from 1764 to 1931, and its summary of the memorable moments in White Bull's life. These include, most notably, battles and skirmishes, "counting coup," i.e., specific deeds of bravery in the face of an enemy, buffalo and bear hunts, and, of course, the killing of Custer.

The Custer episode is described in four pictographs with accompanying text.

White Bull's account of the preliminary action — Custer's attack on the Indian encampment and the Indian counterattack — squares with other accounts of the battle. White Bull claims to have pulled Custer from his mount, and later pursued him on foot.

The description of Custer's demise is brief, mixing indirect praise for Custer's bravery ("it was a great fight") as well as for his own horse ("a fast one") which had put White Bull at the right place at the right time.

The first to translate the White Bull manuscript was Stanley Vestal, who in 1934 published a book, "Wapath: The True Story of the Fighting Sioux Told in a Biography of Chief White Bull." In 1957, Vestal published an article in American Heritage magazine. It gives a fuller account of Custer's final moments, based on an interview with White Bull — a grim narrative in the Indian's words of hand-to-hand combat.



"Long Hair came charging in but I pulled him off his horse," Chief Joseph White Bull wrote. His manuscript, handwritten in his native language, contains several pictographs also by White Bull.

I charged in. A tall, well-built soldier with yellow hair and mustache saw me coming and tried to bluff me, aiming his rifle at me without shooting. I dodged it. We grabbed each other and wrestled there in the dust and smoke. It was like fighting in a fog. This soldier was very strong and brave. He tried to wrench my rifle from me. I lashed him across the face with my quirt, (frying whip) striking the coup. He let go, then grabbed my gun with both hands until I struck him again.

But the tall soldier fought hard. He was desperate. He hit me with his fists on the jaw and shoulders, then grabbed my long braids with both hands, pulled my face close and tried to bite my nose off. I yelled for help: "Hey, hey, come over and help me!" I thought that soldier would kill me.

Bear Lice and Crow Boy heard me call and came running. These friends tried to hit the soldier. But we were whirling around, back and forth, so that most of their blows hit me. They knocked me dizzy.

I yelled as loud as I could to scare my enemy, but he would not let go. Finally I broke free.

He drew his pistol. I wrenched it out of his hand and struck him with it three or four times on the head, knocked him over, shot him in the head, and fired at his heart. I took his pistol and cartridge belt. Hawk-Steps-Up struck second on his body.

Ho hechetu! That was a fight, a hard fight. But it was a glorious battle, I enjoyed it. I was picking up head-feathers right and left that day.

Later in the day, White Bull said, a relative who knew Custer by sight identified the body as that of "Long Hair."

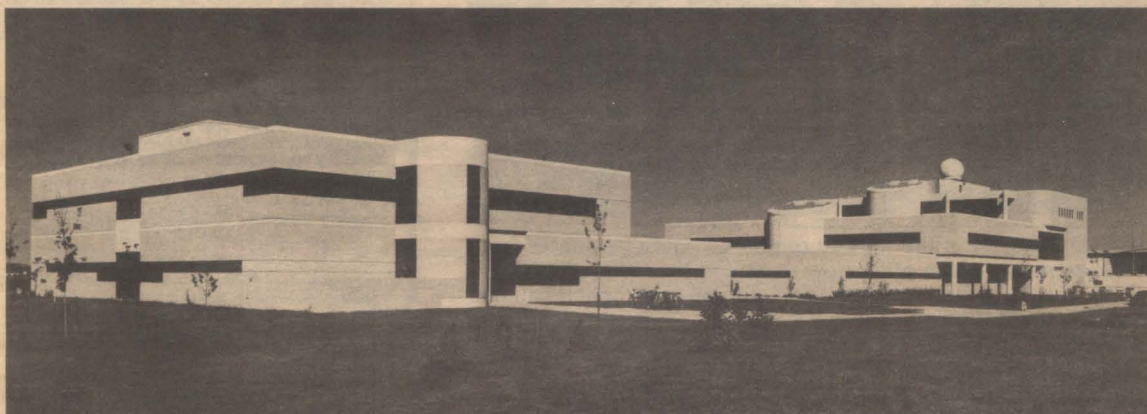
The University of North Dakota acquired the White Bull manuscript in 1959, purchasing it from Burdick through a gift from UND alumnus J. Douglas Leith, '20. Then-UND Assistant Professor of Sociology and Anthropology

James H. Howard received a grant to translate and edit the document, producing in 1968 "The Warrior Who Killed Custer: The Personal Narrative of Chief Joseph White Bull."

The original manuscript continues to attract the attention of historians, archivists and researchers. Just this past fall, a researcher from West Germany requested information from the document to complete his doctoral dissertation.

Alumni who wish to see White Bull's chronicle can find it on display at the Department of Special Collections. It is surrounded by bullets and shell casings recovered from the now quiet valley of the Little Big Horn River, which continues to capture the attention of the American public as it did 110 years ago.

## Aerospace complex awarded architectural honor



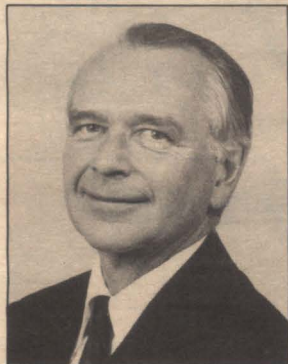
The Center for Aerospace Sciences complex at UND has been selected for a top honor award in the 1986 North Dakota American Institute of Architects Design Award program. The citation was received by Foss Associates Architecture Engineering & Interiors of Fargo, N.D., of which Mark B. Foss, '51, '55, is a principal partner. The complex, constructed in two phases, houses the education and research operations of

UND's newest degree-granting division and its three major programs: aviation, computer science and atmospheric science. Foss has served for many years as the UND Alumni Association's representative on the UND Athletic Board of Control. Design excellence is hardly new for his firm. Two other Foss designed buildings at UND, Upson II and the Thormodsgard Law Library, have also won the AIA award.

# Chance to pioneer in medicine drew Nodak native back to his home state

By DAVE OLSON

One mark of distinction for Dr. Richard Olafson, '57, of Fargo, is the fact that he became president of the Neurosurgical Association of America last April. Another may be the baby bot-



Dr. Richard Olafson, '57

tle he keeps on his desk.

His role as head of a national association of neurosurgeons is the culmination of years of commitment to a myriad of medical and social organizations of national scope.

The baby bottle is a gift from the first 10 medical students to complete all four years of their training in North Dakota and marks perhaps Olafson's deepest commitment, that of bringing quality medical education and service to the place of his birth.

Olafson, assistant dean of the University of North Dakota Medical School's Fargo campus, jokes that he isn't sure if the baby bottle represents the nurturing the students received or the care their instructors needed after having to deal with them.

Before 1983, North Dakota medical students spent two years of training in the state, spent their third year in an out-of-state school, then returned to North Dakota for their fourth year to complete training. Beginning in 1983-84, North Dakota offered a full four-year program which has sometimes come under fire as being too costly.

Olafson staunchly defends the UND Medical School. It deserves support because doctors trained in the state are likely to stay in the state, he said. Also, the existence of the school helps generate revenue by enhancing the educational, professional and cultural image of the state, making it attractive to business and investment, he added.

Olafson, a Drayton, N.D., native, is a UND graduate himself. He received advanced degrees from the University of Pennsylvania and the Mayo Graduate School program in Rochester, Minn., but he said he always knew he would return to North Dakota.

One of the reasons for his return, he said, was "the opportunity to be a pioneer of developing things in medicine for North Dakota.

"I like the warmth and the sincerity of the people . . . the openness of the

prairie, the feeling of freedom."

Another plus Olafson sees in North Dakota is the size of its cities. They offer things big cities can offer and provide ready access to recreational areas, he said.

But Olafson emphasizes that one of the state's major advantages is the "strong commitment this community (Fargo), this state, has had for education, higher education."

Education has been a factor in his life for a long time. Both of his parents were teachers, and education is one of the facets of the neurosurgical association.

Though a primary goal of the organization is to draw qualified surgeons into neurological fields, Olafson said another is to provide a forum for the exchange of ideas, disseminating information on advancements in medicine.

As important as treatment is, Olafson said statistics indicate more deaths result from accidents and injuries than from disease, making prevention an important part of medical practice.

This includes educating the public on the dangers of diving and riding a motorcycle without a helmet as well as encouraging the use of seat belts, he said. Olafson began lobbying for a North Dakota motorcycle helmet law and seat belt legislation in the late 1960s.

During that period, Olafson said he also worked with the state toxicology laboratory on the effects of alcohol. He said the research was used to develop strong state DUI laws in the early 1970s which were among the first in the country.

He and his wife, Anne, have three children: Kathryn, who graduated from Ohio State University in December; Paul, who attends the University of Minnesota and Eric, a senior at Fargo South High School.

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## LUMNI DAYS

University of North Dakota

May 20, 21 & 22



**Alumni Days '87** is the time to reminisce with classmates from years gone by. Make plans now to attend the three days of exciting activities we've planned for you and other special alumni and friends. This year's featured classes are Class of 1927, 1932 & 1937.

**Activities Include:**

get reacquainted dinner, cabaret mixer, cultural tour of campus and performance by Tanya Walsh, current UND student, Dakota Queen riverboat luncheon cruise, President's reception, awards banquet, special atmosphere program and much more.

**Swanson Hall**, newly opened in the fall of 1985, is reunion headquarters.

Join us during Alumni Days '87!

### Alumni Days Registration

YES, I PLAN TO RETURN TO THE UND CAMPUS FOR ALUMNI DAYS 1987 — MAY 20, 21 and 22.

\$45.00 per person for \_\_\_\_\_ places covers a complete package of activities, including tours, a riverboat luncheon cruise, refreshments, special entertainment and tickets for all banquets and luncheons.

If you don't want this package plan or you desire additional tickets, please use the following prices:

- Get Reacquainted Dinner** \$ 8.00 \_\_\_\_\_ places  
5:30 p.m., Wed., Memorial Union Ballroom
- Dakota Queen Riverboat Luncheon Cruise** \$10.00 \_\_\_\_\_ places  
12:00 Noon — Thurs.
- Alumni Days Awards Banquet** \$15.00 \_\_\_\_\_ places  
6:30 p.m. — Thurs., Westward Ho
- Reunion Farewell Buffet** \$ 7.50 \_\_\_\_\_ places  
12:00 Noon, Fri., Memorial Union Ballroom

I am enclosing my check, made payable to the UND Alumni Association in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the above order.

SWANSON HALL room rates are:

\$18.00 per night for single occupancy  
\$12.50 per person per night for double occupancy  
These rates include private bath, linens and maid service. Please make your reservations with the UND Alumni Association, **BUT PAYMENT WILL BE MADE DIRECTLY TO THE HOUSING OFFICE UPON CHECK OUT.**

I/we want: \_\_\_\_\_ Single \_\_\_\_\_ Double

Accommodations on the following nights:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday, May 20
- \_\_\_\_\_ Thursday, May 21
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# Amos Martin combined cunning, cooperation to enhance his efforts in community advancement

*Grand Forks was springboard for his leadership style*



Amos Martin, '49, '50

By DICK YOUNGBLOOD

To hear Amos Martin tell it, "I haven't accomplished anything by myself; at most, I've been a catalyst who gets people involved."

I know better.

I was a cub reporter on the Grand Forks Herald and a fascinated onlooker as Martin, then the executive vice president of the local Chamber of Commerce, organized a raiding party that snatched an Air Force base right out from under the imperial nose of Fargo, the state's largest city and leading candidate for the base site.

The Grand Forks Air Force Base opened in 1959, funneling thousands of jobs and millions of dollars into the community's farm-based economy.

Martin's reaction to it all: "Hey, this job is kind of fun."

That was important, because Martin, who has a law degree hanging on his wall, had taken the Grand Forks chamber job in 1953 largely because it paid a bit more than the law firms he'd talked with in North Dakota and Minnesota.

And so the fun continued in Evansville, Ind., where he spent five years as general manager of the Chamber of Commerce, helping to rebuild the town's industrial base and chop unemployment from 18 percent to about 6.

And it endured for the nearly 20 years he spent as president and chief staff officer of the St. Paul Area Chamber of Commerce, helping to mold a significant new shape not only for his adopted city, but for the entire metropolitan area.

Despite Martin's professed lack of accomplishments, in short, things have tended to happen wherever he has shown up.

Martin, 65, will retire from the St. Paul chamber in February. It will be, said St. Paul Mayor George Latimer, "an important loss" for the entire metropolitan area.

That, more or less, was the theme of a bash planned for the Prom Center in St. Paul, when about 400 of Martin's closest personal friends gathered to honor him. One after the other, former chairmen of the St. Paul chamber stepped to the microphone to praise and reminisce.

"Amos Martin is one of the truly diffident, genuinely modest people I know," the mayor said the other day. "That's one of the reasons he's been so successful — it helps him bring people together."

A bit of cunning always helps, of course, Martin allowed in an interview. Consider, for example, the time in the late 1950s when Sen. Hubert Humphrey was trying to hijack a large U.S. Border Patrol station from Grand Forks to Crookston, Minn.

Martin got hold of the late Milton Young, then North Dakota's senior U.S. senator, and planted the seeds of

a plot that eventually assured construction of a new Border Patrol headquarters in Grand Forks. The *coup de grace*: A rider was attached to an uncontroversial appropriation bill that was passed when Humphrey was out of Washington for several days.

For the most part, however, Martin's aforementioned humility and a sure instinct for winning the cooperation of diverse elements of the community account for the fact that as a rival put it, "Amos is recognized as one of the top chamber executives in the business."

Martin built bridges between business and government, and between the chamber and labor. And when it counted, Latimer said — when a no-strike clause was needed from the building trades to get a project started, for example — the spirit of cooperation invariably paid off.

That spirit even extended across the Mississippi River to Minneapolis, which, as everyone in St. Paul knows, is populated largely by cretins and cutpurses.

"Amos even supported a downtown Minneapolis site for the domed stadium," recalled Charles Krusell, who spent eight years as executive vice president of the Greater Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce before resigning to head the Greater Minneapolis Metropolitan Housing Corp.

That was sort of a courageous thing to do, despite the fact that St. Paul wasn't in the running for the stadium, Krusell said, because there were powerful forces in St. Paul that were strongly opposed to anything that would benefit rival Minneapolis.

Martin, however, "thought the dome would be good for the metro area," Krusell said, "and he knew we needed it."

"When I came here in 1967, I saw a major part of my role as one of working to strengthen the entire community," said Martin. "And by that I mean the entire metropolitan area."

All of which is not to say that Martin isn't a passionate battler for St. Paul interests. Krusell talked about how Martin has been known to call up an airline and complain that a pilot identified the field below only as "Minneapolis International Airport."

Not only would he demand that St. Paul be included in the description, Krusell chuckled, "but he could make a pretty good case for putting it first."

Martin is a native of Rib Lake in north-central Wisconsin, where he spent a couple of summers playing semipro baseball, including a game in which he batted against the legendary Satchel

Paige.

Characteristically, however, time has not added embroidery to the episode: "I grounded out to second," Martin confessed.

Following service as a Navy fighter pilot in World War II, Martin wound up attending the University of North Dakota for an excellent reason: "I had a cousin who was assistant to the business manager at UND, and she said she could get me a job and a place to live."

Because the rules allowed him to begin taking law school courses at the same time as he was finishing his undergraduate degree, Martin earned a bachelor's degree in business administration in 1949 and his law degree a year later.

In a roundabout way, we owe Martin's decision to get into the Chamber of Commerce game to the fact that oil wasn't discovered in western North Dakota until 1951. If there had been oil, maybe those law firms with which he interviewed in 1950 would have offered a mite more than \$150 a month. Ergo, he decided to accept an offer of three times that much to become executive director of the university's new student union.

Three years later he accepted the Grand Forks chamber job, which involved "doing essentially the same thing as I'd been doing at the university — managing and motivating people and organizing activities and events."

When he finally decided that Chamber of Commerce work was a lot of fun, he set his sights on a job in the Twin Cities, which, of course, is the Mecca for all us North Dakota kids. He made several runs at finding a job here, "but they apparently didn't think a guy from Grand Forks had much to offer," Martin said.

So he took a more circuitous route — to Evansville in 1960 and Miami in 1965. In Miami, however, two of the more traditional chamber functions — promotion and economic development — were handled by other institutions. So when the opportunity to go to St. Paul came in 1967, he jumped.

Nearly 20 years later, following major redevelopment of downtown St. Paul, Martin still is unwilling to accept much credit. "I didn't bring those developers in here," he said, although he conceded that "I was part of the group that did. And there's a great sense of pride in that."

After retirement, Martin plans to keep his home in St. Paul and "look for a half-time job (involving) only 40 hours

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# Terrorism is target of UND grad's invention

By CAROL ERICKSON

Terrorism... A business opportunity of the 80's. A North Dakota firm has stepped out of the farm equipment manufacturing business and into the anti-terrorism equipment business. A story of beating your plowshares back into swords perhaps?

The equipment manufactured by North Dakota inventor, James Page, '77, revolves around stopping bomb-laden vehicles from entering embassies, consulates, military bases and other commercial installations. The anti-terrorism vehicle barrier is capable of stopping a 25,000-pound truck traveling 70 miles per hour dead in its tracks. Like all Americans, Page was concerned by the 1984 Beirut Embassy bombing that killed more than 200 U.S. Marines. The downturn in his farm equipment manufacturing business had left a substantial portion of his manufacturing facility available for production of other equipment and, consequently, the Portapungi Vehicle Barrier was developed. It is now installed throughout 60 countries worldwide.

The unit is operated by a gate keeper who stops all vehicles entering an embassy to insure proper identification and

clearance. The unit is manually or hydraulically operated. If the driver has proper clearance the barrier is lowered and the vehicle proceeds over it. A group of loop sensors detect on-coming speeds and directions of vehicles and indicate on a control panel the approximate rate at which the vehicle is approaching the perimeter. Many of the control systems are equipped with speed sensing radar controls as well.

Based in Bottineau, N.D., Page developed an entire product line of perimeter security equipment mostly to absorb lost production levels in the farm equipment manufacturing business.

"I started by asking myself where the primary market would be for this type of equipment and the obvious answer was with the U.S. Government and particularly the U.S. State Department," Page said. After enumerable telephone calls the State Department responded with a request to visit the manufacturing site in Bottineau. Due to the speed in which the government responded, Western Manufacturing had not had a chance to build the first vehicle barrier.

"I had the concept and we went ahead on speculation, built the first unit



Jim Page, '77

and had it operating by the time of their visit 3½ weeks after my initial contact with them." Page said. The vehicle barrier was subsequently trucked to Washington, D.C., and demonstrated

for a number of potential government customers. It gave Page an edge over his competition in that many of them were still in the "paper phase."

Page invested more than \$45,000 of his own capital into his idea and attributes the success of the perimeter security equipment to the company's market quickness and to his dedicated employees.

"Our employees are very conscientious of producing high quality products. Most of our employees are farmers or come from the rural area, and they are generally consistent in their attitude and their workmanship," Page said.

Although the barrier is unique and exciting, Page still considers it secondary to his asphalt equipment manufacturing business. Prior to the vehicle barrier equipment, Western Manufacturing developed a product line of 16 pieces of equipment ranging in price from \$14,000 to \$58,000 targeted towards asphalt road and street maintenance. Western Manufacturing currently has 21 employees and plans to add 15 to 20 more. Page admits to frustration as far as capitalizing the business is concerned.

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# Meet your 1986-87 class chairs



With pleasure and pride, I introduce the Class Chairmen for the 1986-87 Annual Sustaining Fund Drive.

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We know what the University of North Dakota has done for us. Now is the time for us to do what we can for our university.

Sincerely,

Charles R. (Chuck) Johnson, '48  
Alumni Association President

## Former Students Honorary Chairman

**Lowell Swenson** was the chairman of the board and president of Arctic Enterprises. He now is a board member of Mesaba Airlines, Arctico Co. in Thief River Falls, Minn., and First National Bank of Baudette, Minn. He also was a member of the UND Foundation and Alumni Association Board of Directors from 1973 to 1982, serving the last two years as president of the UND Foundation. In 1972, Lowell was presented the Sioux Award. Lowell attended UND from 1940 to 1943. He and his wife, Marjorie, live in Thief River Falls, Minn. They have four children.

## 1929 and before

**Clifford Johnson** retired from his consulting engineering business. He is a Fellow and life member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, and a member of the National Society of Professional Engineers, American Consulting Engineers Council, Colorado Society of Engineers, and many other professional engineering societies. Clifford enjoys traveling having visited nearly all of the United States, most of western Europe, Africa, Mexico, Tahiti and Moorea. Cliff graduated with degrees from UND in 1921 and 1944. He lives in Lakewood, Colo.

## 1930

**Velma Hurmence Scott** is enjoying her 32nd year of ownership and active operation of Jan-Ice Inc., a retail clothing business in San Clemente, Calif. A 1930 graduate of UND, Velma was a member of Delta Zeta social sorority. She lives in San Clemente, Calif.

## 1931

**Hilda Hanson Ellingson** taught elementary and high school English throughout eastern North Dakota and briefly in Arizona. She retired as principal from Pembina High School in North Dakota. She now enjoys traveling, painting and gardening. Hilda and her husband, Everett, live in Grand Forks.

## 1932

**Lorraine Rand Rasmussen** is a retired music teacher. She has played organ and piano for several civic affairs, and the Rotary and Lions Clubs in Jamestown, N.D., where she resides. Lorraine graduated in 1932 from UND with the bachelor's degree in education. She had been a member of the Alpha Phi sorority.

## 1933

**Catherine Alfonte Woodruff** graduated in 1933 from UND as a dietician. She worked in hospitals in Columbus, Ohio, before her marriage. Catherine has four children and seven grandchildren. Her hobbies include bunkashishi, a Japanese punch stitchery. Catherine lives in Bradenton, Fla.

## 1934

**Darrow Haagenen** and his wife, Myrtle, live on a small farm in Enon Valley, Pa., where he raises horses. He retired from Duquesne Light and Power as a nuclear engineer and consultant, and he has taught courses in the Beaver Valley Community College Nuclear Program near Pittsburgh. Darrow graduated in 1934 from UND with a degree in electrical engineering.

## 1935

**Ruth Pillsbury Dawson** still is active as a substitute teacher in Levelland, Texas. She has been a substitute teacher for more than 22 years. Ruth enjoys knitting and spending time with her

family — she has six grandchildren. She lives in Levelland, Texas.

## 1936

**Lenora Isaacson Johnson** retired in 1975 as a mathematics, science and social studies teacher, after working for 56 years in public schools. She has traveled extensively worldwide, visiting almost all of Europe, the Orient, the Middle East, South Africa, South America, Australia, and most of the United States. A member of the Minnesota and Norman county historical societies, Lenora has written the history of Ada, Minn., where she resides. Lenora earned the bachelor's degree in 1936, and the master's degree in 1952 from UND.

## 1937

**Chester M. Jones** is an engineer with Electronics Circuits in Savage, Md. A 1937 graduate of UND with a degree in electrical engineering, Chester lives in Alexandria, Va.

## 1938

**Dale M. Nordquist** has been a superior court judge in Lewis County, Wash., since 1975. Prior to that, he had been a senior partner in a law firm for almost 30 years. He was also a member of the Washington State Senate from 1953 to 1961. Dale received his bachelor's degree in 1939 from UND and also completed the law degrees in 1940 and 1969 at UND. Dale and his wife, Virginia, live in Centralia, Wash., and have four children.

## 1939

**Benjamin Bakkegard** is professor emeritus of music at California State University in Fresno. Ben has traveled to the Caribbean, Mexico, Europe, Canada and parts of Central America. In 1939, Ben earned the bachelor's degree from UND, and went on to complete the master's degree in education in 1941 at the University of Minnesota. While a student at UND, he participated in musical groups, Kappa Kappa Psi and Phi Delta Kappa. Ben and his wife, Ardelle, live in Fresno, Calif. They have two children.

## 1940

**Clifford Peterson** retired from International Harvester Co., where he worked with the design, manufacturing and sales of custom-built diesel trucks. His work took him on trips throughout the United States and Canada, as well as Europe. Cliff earned the bachelor's degree in commerce from UND in 1940. Cliff and his wife, Mary, live in Berkeley, Calif., where they have

been active in rental housing and have developed a kiwi ranch that their son, Jon, operates. Cliff and Mary also have a daughter.

## 1941

**Lorna Sande Ames** is a social worker for Children's Protective Service in Billings, Mont. Lorna has been a social worker for more than 40 years. She graduated from UND in 1941. Lorna lives in Billings, Mont. She has four daughters.

## 1942

**Oliver Uthus, M.D.**, is the director of Trinity Nursing Home in Minot, N.D., and a consultant for the vocational rehabilitation division of the North Dakota Human Services Department. Oliver received his undergraduate degree from UND in 1942. He has four children and five grandchildren. In his spare time, Oliver enjoys fishing, golfing and hunting. He lives in Minot, N.D.

## 1943

**Dr. Lowell E. "Skeeter" Boyum** retired in 1985 as a family physician. He had served as president for both the North Dakota chapters of the American Academy of General Practice and the Obstetrics and Gynecology Society. Skeeter received the bachelor's degree from UND in 1943 and his medical degree from Baylor University in 1945. While attending UND, he was a member of Phi Delta Theta. Two of his three sons also have attended UND. Skeeter lives in Harvey, N.D.

## 1944

**Lois Wilde** is associate editor with Sports Field magazine. She earned the bachelor's degree from UND in 1944. Lois lives in New York City.

## 1945

**June Mattson Tekell** and her husband, Joe, live in Corsicana, Texas. They have three children and eight grandchildren. June and Joe have an interest in traveling. June graduated in 1945 from UND with the bachelor's degree. She had been a member of the Mortar Board, Matrix, Phi Upsilon Omicron, Gray Gown, Delta Phi Delta and Alpha Phi.

## 1946

**Marcella Hanson Melsted** retired after 12 years as an administrative assistant with the North Dakota Geological Survey on the UND campus. Previously, she worked in Oslo, Norway, and Paris with the U.S. Foreign Service and in Washington, D.C. with the U.S. government. Marcella's hobbies include china painting, garden-

ing, and collecting antiques and stamps. In 1946, Marcella received the bachelor's degree in commerce from UND, where she was a member of the Gamma Phi Beta Sorority. Her brother, Bernold "Bruno" Hanson, recently served as president of the UND Foundation. Marcella and her husband, Alvin, live in Edinburg, N.D.

## 1947

**Elaine Kerner Berndt** is a chemist in the pesticide laboratory at South Dakota State University. She was a medical technologist in St. Paul, Minn., and in California, and also a veterinary and a textile technician at SDSU. Elaine and her husband, Wayne, recently took a trip to England and Scotland. Elaine graduated from UND in 1947 with the bachelor's degree in chemistry. She and her husband live in Brookings, S.D. They have three children.

## 1948

**Darlyn Simon King** was a business education instructor at Grafton High School in North Dakota, Marshfield High School in Coos Bay, Ore., and Alhambra Union High School in Martinez, Calif. She also manages to be active in numerous organizations, including the American Association of University Women, Delta Zeta sorority, Girl Scouts and high school parents' club. Lately, she has been devoting her interest to Toastmasters International, in which she has earned competent and able toastmaster ratings. Darlyn and her husband, Bryant, live in Moraga, Calif.

## 1949

**Glenn Anderson** is a field representative for industrial lubricants for EG & G Inc., at the Kirtland, N.M., Air Force Base. Glenn graduated from UND in 1949 with a bachelor's degree in commerce. He was a member of Alpha Tau Omega while at UND. Glenn and his wife, Eugenia, live in Albuquerque, N.M.

## 1950

**Donald Dunlop** and his wife, Lorraine, live in Grafton, N.D. A 1950 graduate from UND, Donald was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha social fraternity.

## 1951

**James Safstrom** retired as a senior audit supervisor from Allied Stores Corp. of New York City. James served in the Air Force between 1951 and 1955, after graduating from UND in 1951 with the bachelor's degree in commerce. James lives in Rochester, Minn.

## 1952

**Marvel Kristjanson Williamson** is a homemaker and substitute teacher in Neenah, Wis., where she and her husband, Allan, '55, live. Marvel is a member of the Lutheran Church Council and also teaches needlework classes. After graduating in 1952 from UND with the bachelor's degree in education, Marvel taught business education at Thief River Falls, Minn., for three years. At UND, she was a member of Gamma Phi Beta, Pi Lambda Theta and Pi Omega Pi. Marvel and Allan have three children.

## 1953

**Creighton J. Overmoen** is a revenue officer for the State of Nevada. C.J. served 17 years in the Air Force, from 1951 to 1953; and 1962 to 1979. He received the bachelor's degree from UND in 1953, and the master's degree from UND in 1976. C.J. and his wife, Betty, live in Las Vegas, Nev. They have six children.

## 1954

**Gloria Armason McKinnon** is a business instructor at Butte College in California. She is a member of the California Business Education Association, the American Association of University Women, and the Certified Office Automation Professionals. Gloria received the bachelor's degree from UND in 1954. While attending UND, she was a member of Pi Omega Pi and Pi Lambda Theta. She earned the master's degree in business from Chico State University. Gloria and her husband, Robert, '55, have four children. They live in Chico, Calif.

## 1955

**Robert Samuelson** is the maintenance program engineer for the Iowa Department of Transportation, where he has worked for 31 years. Prior to moving to Iowa, Bob served two summers in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers working at the Garrison Dam in North Dakota. He is active in the United Methodist Church and the Boy Scouts of America. Bob graduated from UND in 1955 with the bachelor's degree. While at UND, he was a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and the Wesley Foundation. Bob and his wife, Janice, enjoy traveling and have been to the Middle East, Europe, Canada, Mexico and much of the United States. **Janice Peltier Samuelson** received the bachelor's degree in



Rasmussen, '32      Johnson, '36      Nordquist, '38      Bakkegard, '39      Peterson, '40



Boyum, '43      Melsted, '46      Berndt, '47      Anderson, '49      Safstrom, '51

education from UND in 1955. She was a member of Gamma Phi Beta and has been an active community volunteer and member of the Wesley Foundation. Bob and Janice have four children and live in Ames, Iowa.

1956

**Everett Wilson** is the district exploration manager of the CSX Oil & Gas Corp. in Oklahoma City. Everett has been an oil industry geologist and manager since 1958 in North Dakota, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Oklahoma. Everett served two years in the U.S. Army from 1952 to 1954. He received the bachelor's degree in 1956 and the master's degree in 1958. While attending UND, he was a member of Sigma Gamma Epsilon, Sigma Xi and Kappa Sigma. Everett and his wife, Lorraine, have five children and live in Oklahoma City.

1957

**Roger L. Sorenson** is president of Tri-County Press Printing and Advertising in Grand Forks. He is active as a district officer for the Barbershop Quartet Society. Roger and his wife, Janet, live in Fisher, Minn. They have six children.

1958

**Lorna Gustafson Berge** is the program coordinator of correspondence study offered at UND. She was a consulting dietician previously. Lorna works in Gustafson Hall at UND (the former Phi Delta Theta house) which was named in her father's honor. She and her husband, **Thomas, '59**, live in Grand Forks. They have three children. Daughter Gayle is a senior at UND in chemical engineering.

1959

**Ann Lincoln Bradfute** is a systems analyst/programmer for the Yellow Springs (Ohio) Instrument Co. Inc. Ann made her fourth trip to England this summer with the Friendship Force. She graduated from UND in 1959 with a bachelor's degree. At UND, Ann was a member of Alpha Phi and Phi Upsilon Omicron. Her father, Arleigh Lincoln, was a professor at UND from 1941 to 1956. Ann also attended the University of Louisville, Ky. Ann and her husband, Lyle, live in Fairborn, Ohio. She has three children.

1960

**Donald G. Walz** is the manager of Mandan Steel Fabricators in Mandan, N.D. A 1960 graduate of UND, Donald was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon social fraternity. He and his wife, Gladys, live in Bismarck, N.D. They have two sons attending UND and another son at home.

1961

**Evangeline Mlcoch Jeffrey** teaches learning disabled children for the St. Paul, Minn., school system. In her spare time, she makes and arranges silk flowers. A 1961 graduate of UND, Evangeline lives in Woodbury, Minn.

1962

**Berthold Kinzler** is the elementary principal of the Underwood Public School in Minnesota. Bert is a member of Lions International and is a volunteer fireman. He graduated in 1962 from UND with the bachelor's degree in education. Bert and his wife, Cecelia, have three daughters and live in Underwood, Minn. Their daughter, Cathy, plans to graduate from UND in 1987.

1963

**Delmaine L. Scholler** is the owner and broker of ERA D. L. Scholler Real Estate in Grand Forks. He had previously owned an accounting business. Del is a past president of the Grand Forks Board of Realtors and the North Dakota Association of Realtors. He is also a member of the Elks and the Chamber of Commerce. In 1979, Del was selected Grand Forks Realtor of the Year. He graduated in 1963 from UND with the bachelor's degree in business administration. Del and his wife, June Marie, live in Grand Forks and have six children. A daughter, Kim, graduated from UND and son, Mark, is currently attending.

1964

**Garth L. Wilson** is project manager of the ARGEE Corp. in Salt Lake City. Garth has held several engineering positions that have taken him to California, Colorado, Canada, the Philippines, Burma and Greece. He graduated in 1964 from UND with the bachelor's degree in civil engineering. Garth and his wife, Elizabeth, live in Salt Lake City.

1965

**Mary Ann Funk Benoit** is a cashier with Loblaw Inc. in Willowdale, Ontario. Prior to her present job, she had been an independent day care operator. Mary Ann is active in volunteer work as a teacher's aide and as a coordinator of children and youth group activities. She has been PTA



president for two years and was elected to the Parish Council for three years. Mary Ann graduated in 1965 from UND with the bachelor's degree in home economics. She and her husband, **Clement, '65**, have four sons and live in Willowdale, Ontario. Clement is president of the General Appraisal Co. in Toronto, Ontario. He wrote a procedure manual for appraisers, the Homeowners Annual for Content Evaluation, and other articles and speeches concerning accounting and evaluation. Clement's hobbies are furniture making and woodworking. While he attended UND, Clement was active in the Society for Advancement of Management. He graduated in 1965 with the bachelor's degree in business administration.

1966

**Carole Anderson Jarman** is executive director of the Pine to Prairie Girl Scout Council in Grand Forks. She has been involved with the Girl Scouts since graduating from UND in 1966 with the bachelor's degree in philosophy. She is currently a member of the Grand Forks Chamber of Commerce, the National Association for Executive Women and the Association of Girl Scouts Executive Staff. While studying at UND, Carole was a member of the Social Work Club and president of Smith Hall. **John T. Jarman** is the campus pastor/director of United Campus Ministry at UND. John has served as campus pastor since 1979 and is currently heading efforts to build a new campus ministry center at UND. In 1980 he won the Service to Children Award from the Grand Forks Schools, and in 1972 he was awarded the Outstanding Minister's Award from Dakota Wesleyan University. John was a United Methodist pastor in Rapid City, S.D., and campus pastor for the University of South Dakota before coming to UND. John graduated from UND with the bachelor's degree in philosophy in 1966 and the master's degree in arts in 1984. He is a member of Phi Delta Kappa. John's father, **Lloyd Jarman**, is a UND associate professor emeritus of education. John and Carole have three children and reside in Grand Forks.

1967

**Richard A. Brownson** is an insurance agent for Allstate Insurance Co. in Grand Forks. He was a special education teacher previously. A 1967 graduate of UND, Dick was a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon social fraternity. He and his wife, **Jean Ann (Lindberg), '69**, live in Grand Forks. They have two sons.

1968

**Lane Weber** is a district sales manager for the Melroe Co. where he has worked since graduating from UND in 1968 with the bachelor's degree in business administration. Lane has been honored as Melroe's 1985 Finance Man of the Year, 1984 National Account Man of the Year, 1983 Man of the Year, and 1980 and 1979 Regional Man of the Year. While attending UND, Lane was a member of the Delta Upsilon fraternity. Lane and his wife, Sandra, have three sons and live in Plymouth, Ind.

1969

**Marcia Jean Krook** is a cytopathological laboratory supervisor at the University of Michigan Hospital where she has worked for 12 years. She also has worked in cytology training at the University of Kansas Medical Center and at the Universitat Bern in Bern, Switzerland. Marcia is an associate member of the American Society of Cytology. She has been active in anti-death penalty concerns and was a delegate to the National Coalition Against the Death Penalty. She has coordinated an inmate project for the University of Michigan and has participated in other activities in prison-related issues. Marcia graduated with the bachelor's degree in 1969 from UND, and was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Alpha Lambda Delta. Marcia lives in Ann Arbor, Mich.

1970

**Dr. Thomas Cruden** has a private family practice in Lenoir, N.C. He serves on numerous hospital committees, including chief of staff. His wife, **Nancy Proctor Cruden**, is a registered nurse. She teaches at Caldwell Community College and Technical Institute. Members of numerous professional societies, both are 1970 graduates of UND. They have two daughters and live in Lenoir, N.C.

1971

**Dan Dybwad** is an advisory systems engineer with the IBM Corp. in Grand Forks. He wrote three software products for IBM which have been marketed internationally and has created demos for three IBM hardware products. He is also vice president of the Lutheran Student Association. Before joining IBM, Dan was assistant director of the Turtle Mountain Counseling Center in Belcourt, N.D., chemical technician with Project Lignite at UND, and office manager of Nodak Contracting in Grand Forks. He graduated with the bachelor's degree from UND in 1971. Dan and his wife, **Irene, '70**, live in Grand Forks.

1972

**Paulette Olson Thompson** is an elementary substitute teacher. She taught kindergarten in 1972 and fourth grade from 1973 to 1975. Paulette received the bachelor's degree in education from UND in 1972. She is active in local organizations including education chairman for Lutheran Church Women, leader of the Lutheran youth group, and a Sunday school teacher. She also serves as president of her homemakers group. Paulette and her husband, **James, '71**, live in Alvarado, Minn., with their two children.

1973

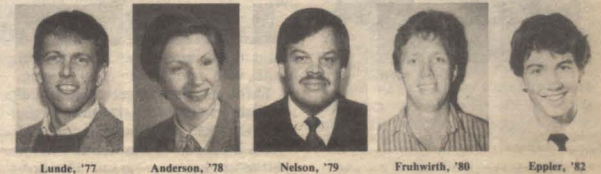
**Mark "Sparkie" Ferg** has been an elementary principal at Pierce Public Schools in Nebraska for eight years. He taught sixth grade in Orleans, Neb., from 1975 to 1978. He graduated with the bachelor's degree in education in 1973 and the master's degree in 1975 from UND. When Sparkie attended UND, he was a member of Phi Epsilon Kappa, and the Sioux hockey team from 1969 to 1971. Sparkie and his wife, Theresa, live in Pierce, Neb., and have three sons.

1974

**Rennae Anderson Bell** is an occupational therapist and coordinator of public relations for Ocean State Rehabilitative Services in Cranston, R.I. Rennae specializes in occupational therapy for patients with neurological disabilities. She is a member of several professional occupational therapy societies and serves on the board of directors of Puppet Workshop. She has two children and is active in the PTA. Rennae and her husband, Gregory, live in North Providence, R.I.

1975

**Lisa Wheeler** is an attorney for Wheeler, Wolf, Peterson, Schmitz, McDonald and Johnson in Bismarck, N.D. She obtained the bachelor's degree in 1975 and from 1976 to 1979 she was a physical therapist at Ohio State University. Lisa earned a law degree in 1982 from UND. She is a member of the American Physical Therapy Association, American Trial Lawyers Association, North Dakota Trial Lawyers Association, North



Dakota Bar Association and plays French horn in the Elks Band. Lisa lives in Bismarck, N.D.

1976

**David B. Aas** is the trust department manager at First Western Bank in Minot, N.D. He serves on the Board of Directors of the North Dakota Society of Certified Public Accountants and of the Companions for Children Inc. David was president of the Minot chapter of CPAs, and currently is chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee. David and his wife, Kathleen, live in Minot, N.D. They have one daughter.

1977

**Keven Lunde** farms 1,600 acres near Cooperstown, N.D., with his father. He received the bachelor's degree in arts and sciences from UND in 1977 and later attended North Dakota State University, taking agricultural courses. While Keven was at UND, he was an executive committee member of InterVarsity Christian Fellowship. He is a director on the Zion Lutheran Church Council and was a member of the Cooperstown Board of Education from 1980 to 1986. Keven and his wife, Deborah, like to travel. They spent five weeks in Europe in 1983. Keven's brother, **Nathan, '81**, is a medical missionary in Africa. Keven and Deborah have a two-year-old daughter, Kari, and live in Cooperstown, N.D.

1978

**Lorri Ann Anderson** is the human resources director of Norwest Banks for central Minnesota. A 1978 graduate of UND, Lorri and her husband, **James P. Beck, '78**, live in Princeton, Minn. They have one son.

1979

**Gregory Nelson** is the general manager of B&N Oil Co. in Grand Forks. A Grand Forks native, Gregory graduated from UND with a degree in business administration.

1980

**Greg Fruhwirth** is a sixth grade teacher, head girls basketball coach and assistant football coach in Fowler, Colo. He received the bachelor's degree in elementary and special education from UND in 1980. Greg began coaching girls basketball two years ago and has a winning record of 35 and 10. His team took second place in the state tournament in 1985. He is active in the Big Brother program and is membership chairman of the Council for Exceptional Children. He also serves on the Advisory Council for Expansion of the UND Student Union. Greg and his wife, Barbara, live in Fowler, Colo. They have one daughter.

1981

**Deborah Mollison** is an adolescent addiction counselor at United Recovery Center in Grand Forks. She received the bachelor's degree in criminal justice from UND in 1981 and the master's degree in counseling and guidance in 1984 from North Dakota State University. Deborah is a certified addiction counselor and member of the North Dakota Addiction Counselors' Association and the National Association of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselors. She also serves on the Mayor's Task Force on Chemical Dependency. Deborah lives in Grand Forks.

1982

**Dale B. Eppler** is an attorney with Modrall Spertling Roehl Harris & Sisk in Albuquerque, N.M. He graduated from UND in 1982 with a degree in political science, and earned a law degree from the University of New Mexico last spring. He lives in Albuquerque, N.M.

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# UND's three new deans

## Teaching



Dean Harris

By SUE BERG

For the first time in more than 10 years, the University of North Dakota will have more student teachers looking for field experience this spring than the classrooms of the Grand Forks Public Schools may be able to handle.

Placing 158 students, and providing adequate supervision, is an immediate goal for Dr. Mary Harris, the new dean of the UND Center for Teaching and Learning.

"We're looking for creative cooperative relationships with other school districts to place our student teachers," Harris said. In a plan similar to one practiced at the UND School of Medicine, student teachers would live and teach in a community other than Grand Forks. The student's supervisor would be a teacher in the community affiliated with CTL.

"It is an opportunity for our students to receive professional experience in a community setting," Harris said.

## Harris fine tunes for field experiences

Another project for Harris is to expose students to a teaching experience earlier than their senior year of study. The dean points to statistics that show 15 percent of new teachers quit after the first year. During the second year another 15 percent quit.

Harris wants to fine-tune the student teaching program to provide field experiences to sophomore and junior students to allow them to discover earlier on whether teaching is the right field for them.

The education of teachers is the subject of nationwide scrutiny by the Holmes Group, an organization of top-level educators who recommends that all teachers should be required to earn a

master's degree before being allowed to teach.

The Center for Teaching and Learning is considering the recommendation of the group. The dean and the faculty are discussing at length the pros and cons of endorsing the proposal.

"We always like to stand for improvement in education," Harris said. "But this is a proposal that requires serious consideration of its implications, and what it means for teachers and this region."

Harris came to UND from Kansas State University where she was head of the department of curriculum and instruction. While there, she won an outstanding undergraduate teaching award in 1979.

Teaching has been a life-long interest for Harris, who also has taught at the elementary and junior high school levels. She received an undergraduate degree in English from Goucher College in Maryland and a master's degree in education from Shippensburg State College in Pennsylvania. In 1974, she earned a doctorate in language communication from the University of Pittsburgh.

## Business



Dean Lawrence

By AMY L. GEISZLER

In 1968, W. Fred Lawrence took a leave of absence from Georgia Lockheed Corp. to earn a master's degree in business administration at Georgia State University. He fully intended to return to his sales job to climb the corporate ladder at Lockheed.

But now, almost 20 years later, Lawrence is the dean of the College of Business and Public Administration at the University of North Dakota. He was appointed dean July 1, after a national search was conducted for the replacement of Clair Rowe, who retired after 15 years as dean.

Lawrence said his main objective right now, as head of the college, is to make sure the undergraduate programs are accredited once again in 1989 by the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business. The college's

## Lawrence looks to maintaining quality

undergraduate programs were accredited in 1984.

Another goal is to have the two master's degrees offered in business administration and accountancy accredited again, he said.

"This is a time to take a hard look at the quality of the college and make sure we're maintaining quality programs," Lawrence said.

The business college boasts an enrollment of 1,428 majors in the six departments of managing, marketing, economics, accounting, political science, and business and vocational education.

Lawrence believes the enrollment is at its peak now, and won't show any substantial increase, but it will continue a steady growth.

Many of the business college students are involved in the airport administration and aviation administration programs offered jointly with the Center for Aerospace Sciences.

Lawrence said he takes a real interest in that link since his original career choice had been in an aviation field — aeronautical engineering. He received both a bachelor's and master's degree in that area from the University of Kansas in 1960 and 1961. He worked in the Air Force as a research and development officer in nuclear weapons in New Mexico between 1961 and 1964, before working at Lockheed as an engineer and sales planner until 1968. He was involved in business administration at Georgia State University until coming to UND.

Lawrence joined the UND faculty in 1976 and has served as acting chairman of the management department, assistant dean and associate dean.

## Nursing



Dean Merrill

By SUE BERG

Nurses with a master's degree are in short supply and increasing demand.

Nursing programs offering the master's degree also are in short supply and increasing demand.

Trying to fill both needs is a goal for the College of Nursing at the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks.

"Nationally, there is a great need to continue to expand the graduate level programs," said Dr. Lois Merrill, the new dean of nursing at UND. "The health care field is increasing in complexity, and there is a critical need for nurses with graduate degrees."

The master's degree program in nursing at UND focuses on adult health. A priority for Merrill is the implementation of two new master's degrees in anesthesia nursing and community health, with an option in rural nursing.

Through the interest of local hospitals in Grand Forks and Fargo, N.D., the College of Nursing prepared a federal proposal to establish a nurse anesthetist degree program. The pro-

## Merrill gears up for graduate programs

posal received a grant of \$500,000 for the next three years to implement the program.

In the community health program, students will concentrate on wellness promotion and health assessments, and participate in practicums and home health care, a growing new field in nursing, Merrill said. A rural nursing option will be offered.

"We recognize that the needs in rural settings are different than those in urban settings. Nurses need to be trained to respond to those needs," Merrill said, describing situations varying from pediatric to geriatric nursing care.

Upgrading nursing education levels is part of a nationwide trend, Merrill said. And North Dakota has been in the forefront. Recently, the state approved

a licensing requirement that nurses must have a bachelor's degree in nursing to practice.

As a result, many nurses with two-year degrees and hospital certificates have been returning to the classroom to earn the bachelor's degree.

"Five years ago, we had five nurses returning to earn the bachelor's degree," Merrill said. "This year, we have 65."

The undergraduate enrollment at the nursing college has been fairly stable at 360 students, which is in contrast to the national trend of declining enrollments, Merrill pointed out. An additional 70 students are enrolled in the graduate program.

Merrill was a hospital nurse who entered the teaching field rather accidentally. After completing a bachelor's degree in her home state of Connecticut, Merrill worked at Cincinnati General Hospital which soon offered her a chance to teach some courses. From there, she went on to earn a master's degree from the University of Colorado and a doctorate from the University of Nebraska. Merrill came to UND from the University of Evansville, where she also had been dean and professor of nursing.

# News notes

## 1920s

**Leo P. A. Sweeney, M.D., '22**, a retired ophthalmologist, was elected president of the 50 Year Club of American Medicine, and re-elected president of a seniors club at Evergreen Park, Ill. He also was elected surgeon of the Chicago chapter of the Military Order of World Wars. Leo lives in Evergreen Park, Ill.

**Ragna Toren (Pederson), '24**, is retired and living at Covenant Village in Northbrook, Ill. She was a teacher at UND, at North Park College in Chicago and at several public schools.

## 1930s

**Verrill J. Fischer, M.D., '35**, is teaching UND students in family practice residency in Minot, N.D. Verrill retired July 30, 1984. He and his wife, Ruth Ann, live in Minot, N.D.

**Carroll S. Svare, M.D., '36**, has been practicing geriatrics for 20 years. He retired from the U.S. Army as a colonel in 1967, and retired from practices in Colorado in 1974 and in Washington in 1986. Carroll and his wife, Cora, live in Tacoma, Wash.

**Donald A. McCallum, '36**, '38, retired in 1973 as chief attorney in the Veterans Administration regional office in Chicago. Donald and his wife, Lucille, live in Punta Gorda, Fla.

## 1940s

**Luella M. Steil, '40**, plans to graduate ("at long last!" she writes) with a degree in English from California State University in Sacramento. Luella retired in 1985 after 43 years with the federal government, mostly with the Bureau of Reclamation in Bismarck, N.D., and since 1963 in Sacramento, where she resides.

## 1950s

**Cliff A. Herman, '51, '57**, is interviewing, hiring and training people for Interstate Engineering Corp. of Anaheim, Calif. He retired from Field Enterprises Education Corp. of Chicago after 25 years, where he was the international sales manager. Cliff lives in La Vista, Neb.

**Lloyd Erfle, '53**, is retired and living in Burnsville, Minn.

**Judge Jim R. Carrigan, '53**, was elected chairman of the Board of Trustees of the National Institute for Trial Advocacy for 1986 to 1988, and elected to the Board of Directors of the American Juridical Society for 1985 to 1987. Jim also was chosen to represent the 10th Circuit on the Board of Directors of the Federal Judges Association. Last summer, he participated in "The Trial Lawyer" at the Smithsonian Folklore Festival program in Washington, D.C. Jim and his wife, Bev, live in Boulder, Colo.

**Pamela M. Enlow (Coburn), '59**, is an assistant professor of nursing at the University of Evansville in Evansville, Ind. She and her husband, Merle, '62, live in Newburgh, Ind.

## 1962

**Dr. Donald L. Bartlette, '62**, is a full-time public speaker. He is the author of "Macaroni at Midnight," an autobiographical profile about his social, psychological and educational experiences as an Indian child growing up with severe speech and physical handicaps in a poverty environment. He has given more than 4,000 presentations and has received numerous honors and recognition. Most recently, the City of Cincinnati proclaimed Nov. 15 as Dr. Don Bartlette, Ph.D., Day. Don and his wife, Julie, live in North Canton, Ohio. They have six children.

## 1963

**Dr. Morley D. Glicken, '63**, is the director of the social work graduate program at the University of Alabama. Morley also has written several articles about the workplace that have appeared in national journals. In January, Morley was named executive director of the Jewish Family Service Agency. Morley and his wife, Virginia, live in University, Ala.

**Maris Beeson, '63**, was promoted to director of wholesale sales for Enron Liquids Marketing Co. in Houston. Maris and his wife, Barbara Ann, live in Houston.

## 1965

**Clark F. Cronquist '65**, was elected president of the National Rural Water Association, which he helped to organize in 1976. In 1985, Clark was selected National Rural Water Man of the Year. He is president and manager of Agassiz Water Users at Gilby, N.D., where he and his wife, Harriet (Simmet), '79, reside.

## 1968

**Douglas N. Thompson, '68**, recently



Cronquist, '65

was promoted to cashier at Blackduck State Bank in Blackduck, Minn. Douglas and his wife, Brenda, live in Blackduck, Minn.

## 1969

**Dr. Richard K. Hofstrand, '69**, was named director of the Career Occupations Program at Eastern Illinois University in Charleston. He also serves as director of occupational education at the university. Richard and his wife, Judy, live in Charleston, Ill.

## 1970

**Maj. Paul D. Romanick, '70**, is the deputy squadron commander at the Air Force Squadron Officer School. He also is the rules interpreter and trainer for Central Alabama High School Basketball Official's Association. Paul plans to be married in March. He lives in Montgomery, Ala.

**Lt. Col. Edward W. Avent III, '70**, retired from the Air Force in 1984. He now teaches Air Force Junior ROTC at Smith Senior High School in Fayetteville, N.C. He is the department chairman of 186 students and writes that he "loves it!" Edward and his wife, Rebecca, live in Fayetteville, N.C.

**Robert J. Brostrom, '70**, recently was named the audit and accounting quality control partner of Charles Bailey & Co. in Fargo, N.D. Robert also is a general services partner. He and his wife, Cassie, live in West Fargo, N.D. They have two sons.

## 1971

**Maj. Fred M. Sundstrom, '71**, is a member of the briefing team for the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. He is responsible for presenting operation's briefs to the chairman and to the Secretary of Defense. Fred and his wife, Eileen, live in Springfield, Va. They have two daughters.

**Valerie A. Evje, M.D., '71, '74**, prac-

tices internal medicine with Aspen Medical Group in Minneapolis. She also serves as clinic chief for the group. Valerie lives in St. Paul, Minn.

**Betty A. Omvig (Flath), '71**, plans to graduate with a master's degree in special education from Minot State College. She works for the Northwest Human Service Center in Williston, N.D., where she and her husband, Dennis, '72, reside. They have two children.

## 1972

**William E. McLean, '72, '73**, is the development officer for Dakota Hospital in Fargo, N.D. His wife, Judy (Fossum), '70, '76, is an assistant professor of accounting at Moorhead State University. William and Judy live in Fargo, N.D. They have two children.

**Peggy Ann Hanson (vangnes), '72**, is the choral director at Sage Valley Junior High School in Gillette, Wyo. Peggy is an active downhill skier and runner. She and her husband, Tom, live in Gillette, Wyo.

**Kevin P. Kolbo, '72**, is the first blind person ever to be elected to the North Dakota Legislature. He serves on several governor's committees and on a national advisory committee for the Library of Congress. Kevin lives in Mohall, N.D.

## 1973

**Glenn R. Fried, '73**, is a design engineer with Rocky Mountain Prestress in Denver. Glenn recently earned a master's degree in engineering from the University of Texas in Austin. He now lives in Denver.

**Donald R. Nydam, '73**, is an engineering services manager at Malco Products in Annandale, Minn. He and his wife, Clara, live in Golden Valley, Minn. They have one daughter.

**F. Wade Johnson, '73**, is a marketing representative for Advantage Healthcare Net Inc. in Grand Forks. He was working in sales and promotion for Vigen Construction in East Grand Forks. Wade and his wife, Paula (Stechmann), '78, live in Grand Forks.

**Harold W. Miskavige, '73**, is the new manager of customer services at the Grand Forks Post Office. Harry and his wife, Jewell (Herzog), '76, live in Grand Forks.

## 1974

**Curtis L. Davis, '74**, retired from the Air Force in 1986 after serving 21 years. He now works as a logistics analyst for RJO Enterprises. Curtis and his wife, Shirley, live in Dayton, Ohio.

## 1975

**James R. Lunseth, '75**, works in Tempe, Ariz., as a digital design engineer for Motorola Government Electronics Group. He earned an engineering degree from the University of Southern California in 1984. His wife, Elizabeth "Libby" (Walker), '77, is a tax accountant for Arthur Young & Co. in Phoenix. She earned a degree in accounting from Arizona State University in 1985. Jim and Libby live in Phoenix.

**David E. Lee, '75**, wrote the book "North Dakota at the Crossroads of the Future: A Blueprint for Our State." David lives in Grand Forks.

## 1976

**David W. McClenon, '76**, was selected as the outstanding reserve Air Force admissions officer, representing the Air Force Academy and Air Force ROTC, for the western United States. He also was promoted to lieutenant colonel in the Air Force Reserve. David works for Hughes Aircraft Co. He and his wife, Jerry, live in Cerritos, Calif.

**Carol J. Nelson, M.D., '76**, practices primary care adult medicine at Spring Lake Park Group Health. She and her husband, Keith Henry, live in White Bear Lake, Minn. They have two sons.

## 1977

**Gloria Jean Frolek Clark, '77**, specializes in pediatrics in her private practice as an occupational therapist. Gloria and her husband, Steve, live in Storm Lake, Iowa. They have two children.

**Colleen A. Kelly, '77**, is the new coordinator of the Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants and Children in Clay County, N.D. Colleen was working for the WIC program in Cass County, N.D. She lives in Fargo, N.D.

## 1978

**Pamela R. Hendry (Rodahl), '78**, is a vice president of Barclays Bank in Atlanta. She and her husband, Brad, live in Stockbridge, Ga. They have one son.

**Keith H. Carlson, '78, '80, '82**, was selected for the second year in a row as the recipient of the Minnesota Society for the Prevention of Blindness and the Preservation of Hearing 1986 Research Award. He is a second year ophthalmology resident at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn. Keith and his wife, Charlotte, live in Rochester, Minn.

## 1979

**Maj. Eric O. Wallace, '79**, is the chief of the manufacturing operations division in the Air Force plant representative office of Fairchild Republic Co. in Farmingdale, N.Y. Eric's wife, Carol (Johnson), '76, is the manager of the tabletop department of Macy's in Garden City, N.Y. Eric and Carol live in Garden City, N.Y.

## 1980

**Timothy J. Hornung, '80, '81**, works for Standard Oil Co. as a data base administrator. His wife, Tracey (Thoen), '81, is an assistant to a soft sculpture artist. Tim and Tracey live in Houston.

## 1981

**Dr. Sharon Ervin Johnson, '81**, was appointed assistant superintendent for secondary schools and instruction in the Bismarck, N.D., school system. She was the director of extension and professional services in the UND Division of Continuing Education. Sharon and her husband, Arnold, live in Bismarck, N.D.

**Dawn L. Walker, '81**, works for MITRE as a systems engineer in the space defense operations center at the North American Aerospace Defense Cheyenne Mountain Complex in Colorado Springs, Colo. She recently earned a master's degree from the University of Southern California. Dawn lives in Colorado Springs, Colo.

## 1982

**Karla Smart Kadrmas, '82, '85**, was appointed an assistant professor of secondary teacher education at Concordia College in Moorhead, Minn. Karla and her husband, Douglas, live in Fargo, N.D.

**Peter T. Loeffler, '82**, is a geologist with Exxon's Western Exploration Division in Colorado. His wife, Virginia "Ginny" (Kennedy), '82, won seven medals at the First International Masters Swimming Meet held in New Zealand. She also supervises the computer graphics department at Pallas Photo, Denver's largest photo lab. Peter and Ginny live in Denver.

## In memoriam

**Melfred Anderson, '12**, Dec. 6, 1986, Kalsipet, Mont.

**Edith M. Derr (Humphrey), '13**, Dec. 12, 1986, Mohall, N.D.

**Milton N. Thompson, '18**, Dec. 5, 1986, Cambridge, Ohio.

**Eta B. Barud (Knowles), '19**, Nov. 18, 1986, Altadena, Calif.

**Jack W. Lefor, '19**, April 14, 1984, Fairmont, Minn.

**Hazel Ferguson (Bond), '20**, August 1985, Santa Barbara, Calif.

**John F. Swanson, '20**, Dec. 15, 1986, Hamilton, Mont.

**Dr. Raymond P. Hawkinson, '25**, Nov. 19, 1986, Minneapolis.

**Hazel Nash (Krogness), '26**, 1986, Pembina, N.D.

**Oliver C. Abbott, '26**, Fullerton, Calif.

**Mrs. Oliver Abbott (Gladys Hendrickson), '27**, Fullerton, Calif.

**Ruby M. McKenzie, '28**, Nov. 25, 1986, Grand Forks

**Dr. Charles M. Whitto, '28**, Dec. 11, 1986, Laguna Hills, Calif.

**George D. Sherman, '29**, Aug. 3, 1986, St. Paul, Minn.

**Mrs. C. C. Eggmann (Alice E. Gilbertson), '30**, Dec. 25, 1986, Fargo, N.D.

**Hazel E. Cole (Olson), '30**, Dec. 11, 1986, Hatton, N.D.

**Oriando Jeglum, '31**, March 1985, Fargo, N.D.

**Era Bell Thompson, '31**, Dec. 30, 1986, Chicago.

**Walfred F. Hultberg, '32**, Dec. 19, 1986, Mesa, Ariz.

**T. E. "Teddy" George, '34**, Dec. 3, 1986, North St. Paul, Minn.

**Rev. Clarence A. Larson, '35, '39**, Oct. 19, 1986, Edina, Minn.

**Howard B. Senn, '35**, Nov. 27, 1986, Rialto, Calif.

**Earl M. Dalness, '36, '37**, Oct. 27, 1986, Walnut Creek, Calif.

**Carolina Schlafmann, '36**, Nov. 29, 1986, Turtle Lake, N.D.

**Allen W. Morque, '38**, Nov. 6, 1986, East Grand Forks, Minn.

**George Tollefson, '40**, Oct. 8, 1985, Lakewood, Colo.

**Corrine F. Fredrickson, '42**, Dec. 24, 1986, Minot, N.D.

**John J. Ralles, '42**, 1982, St. Louis Park, Minn.

**Leonard A. Erickson, '43**, Sept. 29, 1986, Crookston, Minn.

**Irwin G. Heinle, '48**, Dec. 23, 1986, Tioga, N.D.

**Philip B. Cory, '51**, Nov. 30, 1986, Grand Forks

**Mrs. Donald DeKrey (Ione L. Anderson), '51**, Dec. 9, 1986, Bemidji, Minn.

**Dr. Samuel J. Saden, '51**, Dec. 28, 1985, Tampa, Fla.

**F. John Smith, '51, '52**, Dec. 6, 1986, Bismarck, N.D.

**John King, '57**, Nov. 16, 1985, West Fargo, N.D.

**Robert J. Forest, '60**, Dec. 14, 1986, Weeping Water, Neb.

**F. Gerald Kline, '63**, Feb. 3, 1986, St. Paul, Minn.

**Mrs. Thomas Numedahi (Mary A. Vasichek), '63**, Dec. 5, 1986, Thief River Falls, Minn.

**Dr. Denis M. Ward, '63, '68**, Dec. 8, 1986, Kansas City, Mo.

**William W. McDonald, '74**, Dec. 22, 1986, Grafton, N.D.

**Mark R. Shand, '76**, Dec. 6, 1986, Goodridge, Minn.

**Dr. Jaroslav Terlecki (Friend), Dec. 6, 1986**, Minnewaukan, N.D.

**Lenada Larson (Friend), May 1986**, Williston, N.D.

**George H. Saumur (Friend), Dec. 21, 1986**, Grand Forks

**Kathleen J. Korgel, '82**, is a physical therapist at Trinity Medical Center in Minot, N.D., where she resides.

**Capt. Kelly V. Norman, '82**, is a company commander with the Army 19th Support Command in South Korea. He and his wife, Jodi, live in South Korea.

### 1983

**Shawne B. Sass, '83**, is a critical care/coronary care registered nurse in the intensive care unit at Miller-Dwan Medical Center in Duluth, Minn. Shawne lives in Superior, Wis.

### 1984

**Kristie A. Netzer (Hell), '84**, is a registered nurse working at a sports medicine clinic in Renton, Wash. Kristie and her husband, Cory, live in Kent, Wash. They have one son.

### 1985

**Angela G. Baumann (Hornvedt), '85**, works for First National Bank of Alamogordo. She and her husband, Brett, live in Alamogordo, N.M.

**Paul J. Richter '85**, works for Robson Contracting, a company specializing in residential swimming pools and spas. He lives in Northglenn, Colo.

**Connie L. Frisby, '85**, is a sub-representative for Colbert & Associates, selling

women's accessories to stores in North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and Nebraska. Connie lives in Minneapolis.

**Wesley V. Moll, '85**, is stationed as a communication officer with the Armed Forces in Korea.

### 1986

**Steven J. Byron, '86**, joined the Peace Corps and will serve as a drought relief technical officer in Botswana, Africa.

**Karen B. Reinke, '86**, is a first year medical student at the Mayo Medical School in Rochester, Minn., where she resides.

**Brian J. Blair, '86**, works for the Naval Undersea Warfare Engineering Station in Keyport, Wash. He lives in Bremerton, Wash.

**Kari K. McIntire, '86**, is a first year medical student at the Mayo Medical School in Rochester, Minn. where she resides.

**Sister Mary Kay Litzinger, '86**, pronounced her perpetual vows as a Sister of Saint Francis at St. Francis Motherhouse Chapel in Hankinson, N.D. She will be missioned to St. Joseph Convent in Oakes, N.D., and work as a nurse at Oakes Community Hospital. Sister Mary Kay lives in Oakes, N.D.

**Rebecca J. LeFebvre, '86**, is a general assignment reporter for KXJB TV in Grand Forks. She was a reporter for KFJM radio at UND. Becky lives in Grand Forks.

Elizabeth Walter, Cloquet, Minn., and Helen Woutat, Grand Forks.

### '83' Society

Don and Beulah Anderson, Grand Forks; Robert J. Boone, Grafton, N.D.; Dr. Albert Boosman, Pleasant Hill, Calif.; Marjorie Briggs, Denver; Tim Bryan and Colette Strehlow Bryan, Grand Forks; Alice Carlson, New York; Alfred O. Dahlen, Springfield, Mo.; Paul Erickson, MD, Jamestown, N.D.; Louis Eschenberg, Charleston, S.C.; Dr. Kenneth and Judy Etterman, Sturgeon Lake, Minn.; Exxon Education Foundation, New York; Richard and Barbara Faletti, Clarendon Hills, Ill.; Robert Falstad, Bloomington, Minn.; Don and Myra Flint, Dallas; Anna Frissell, Fargo, N.D.; Dr. Jerry and Katie Geisler, Great Falls, Mont.; William Gray, III, Minneapolis; Patricia Gregory, Glasgow, Mont.; Dr. Clifford and Fern Haugen, Larimore, N.D.; Thomas J. Heck, Katy, Texas; Roy Hodgson, LaMirada, Calif.; Jean Dean Holland, Grand Forks; Larry Jodsaas, New Brighton, Minn.; Bryan Johnsrud, Salem, Ill.; Dr. Curtis and Linda Juhala, Bismarck, N.D.; Clarence Karmark, Stanford, Calif.; Margaret (Peggy Paupst) Kruta, Paradise, Calif.; Kirk and Karla Marchell, Humble, Texas; Minerva King McCanna, Santa Barbara, Calif.; Dr. David and Patricia Mersy, Minneapolis; Dr. Patrick and Rox Anne Moore, New Rockford, N.D.; Jeffrey N. Nelson, Tioga, N.D.; Ralph and Opal Newman, Kerville, Texas; Lisa Nygard Nichol, Winnipeg, Manitoba; Judge Dale Nordquist, Centralia, Wash.; Richard and Kathleen Powers, Seattle; Gary Royal, Bedford, Texas; William Saumur, Grand Forks; David and Mary Strand, Finland; Robert and Lois Varland, Wilmington, Del.; Ginny Ward, Inver Grove Heights, Minn., and Everette and Phyllis Webb, Renton, Wash.

and into perimeter security equipment in 1985. Robert Page is a 1945 UND graduate and his wife, Kathleen (Law), attended UND in 1949. Brothers Greg and Peter graduated in 1973 and 1978 respectively, and brother Tom attended summer school in 1970 but later graduated from the Air Force Academy. James Page is married to Pamela (Kornkven), '82.

Page constantly brainstorms with new products and new markets and has been described as a "loose cannon" at times. The entrepreneur recently started an Oriental take-out food franchise system called Wok-n-Roll. Although the new company is based in Denver and still in the embryonic stages, Page is optimistic about the future for that endeavor. Page and a partner also started a Washington, D.C., based company to develop, promote and operate seminars and symposiums on technological developments in security systems and related areas.

"We're on target," Page stated.

## Foundation news

### Rita Slama Gratton Memorial Scholarship Endowment

The Rita Slama Gratton Memorial Scholarship Endowment has been established by George and Mary Wilson, '79, in memory of her mother, Rita Slama Gratton, within the University of North Dakota Foundation.

The scholarship will be awarded to a junior or senior student in a health science field, but not necessarily intending to pursue a medical degree.

A native of Wales, N.D., Rita Slama Gratton was a teacher in Easby, N.D., until 1947 when she married Alvin Slama. The couple encouraged their 11 children to place a high priority on education. Five of their children are UND graduates. In 1974, Rita married Ernest Gratton. She died in 1980.

Earl Strinden, executive vice president of the UND Foundation, said, "Rita Slama Gratton and her family epitomize the highest ideals of education. The establishment of this scholarship is their contribution to the continuation of excellence in education."

### Kenneth M. and Frances M. Swenson Endowment

The Kenneth M. and Frances M. Swenson Endowment has been established within the University of North Dakota Foundation by Kenneth and Frances Swenson of Detroit Lakes, Minn.

The recipients of the scholarship will be second or third year students at the UND School of Law.

Kenneth, a native of Napoleon, N.D., received the bachelor of science degree in commerce in 1954 and the LL.B. in 1956 from UND. Frances, of Fargo, N.D., is a 1944 graduate of North Dakota State University. They are both retired from key positions within the Veterans Administration in Knoxville, Iowa.

"It is with great pleasure that the UND Foundation administers the Swenson Endowment," said Earl Strinden, executive vice president of the UND

Foundation. "Kenneth and Frances have never forgotten their North Dakota roots and this scholarship will enable students to obtain the education required to succeed in the law profession."

### Chris and Hannah Hardland Memorial Scholarship Endowment

Leonard and Geraldine Hardland, in honor and memory of his parents, have established the Chris and Hannah Hardland Memorial Scholarship Endowment within the University of North Dakota Foundation.

The scholarship will be awarded to electrical engineering students who have distinguished scholastic performance, and show a potential for success and leadership in the field of electrical engineering.

Leonard Hardland graduated from UND in 1939 with a degree in electrical engineering. He spent the majority of his career with the U.S. Department of Commerce. In 1965, he became manager of invention programs with the National Bureau of Standards until his retirement in 1974.

His father, Chris Hardland, immigrated to Buxton, N.D., from Norway in 1883. He worked in a Larimore, N.D., grocery store, and in the 1920's he went into partnership in the Petersburg Cash Store until 1949. Chris and Hannah were married for 55 years until his death in 1969. Hannah died in 1981.

"We administer this endowment with great pride," Earl Strinden, executive vice president of the UND Foundation, said. "Leonard and Geraldine Hardland have, through the establishment of the Chris and Hannah Hardland Memorial Scholarship Endowment, taken steps to insure that the memory of their parents will live on. The scholarship will enable qualified electrical engineers to receive the education necessary to reach their full potential."

## Giving clubs

Loyal alumni and friend support is an important part of the great University of North Dakota tradition. The UND Foundation Giving Club designation honors those who, by reaching a level of giving, are investing in the ongoing growth and development of UND. Below are the names of members who have joined since the lists were last published.

### Benefactors

Jerry and Katharine Dunlevy, Grand Forks; Glenn and Mary Geiger, Scarsdale, N.Y., and Dr. Karl and Carolyn Kaess, San Diego.

### Presidents Club

Aldene Barrington, Washington; Forrest Bjerkaas, Katy, Texas; Robert and Ann Furst Jr., Lake Forest, Ill.; Carlton and Florence Helming, Edina, Minn.; Mike and Lori Hendrickson, Denver; Lyle Kasprick, Edina, Minn.; Katun Corp., Minneapolis; Dr. Reed and Mary Ann Keller, Grand Forks; Robert and Ruth Mautz, Salt Lake City; DuWayne and Patricia Muth, Fargo, N.D.; Wilford and Biona Nelson, Tustin, Calif.; Irwin R. Rector, Carefree, Ariz.; Schoen Associates/Bill Schoen and Jim Kobetsky, Grand Forks; Martin and Doris Spargo, Bismarck, N.D., and Evelyn Veitch, Oakland, Calif.

### Old Main Society

Dr. Bill and Azella Harris, Lafayette, Calif.; John L. Hulteng, Spokane, Wash.; Dr. John and Marcia Jarrett, Eugene, Ore.; Leo and Marge Kessel, Hunt Valley, Md.; Elaine Kukowske, Perham, Minn.; Wallace C. Olson, Corona Del Mar, Calif.; Dr. T. C. and Alma Ritter, Williston, N.D.; Genevieve Taylor, Washington; John and Patricia Walsh, Virginia Beach, Va.; Henry and

## Anti-terrorism barriers

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"We have had no less than eight state or community development entities contact us, some with rather lucrative financing plans, to relocate to other sections of the country. While we are native North Dakotans I must admit that we are actively contemplating a relocation. Financial institutions in most totally agriculturally oriented states think in terms of spring crop loans which makes it difficult for us, at least through those types of financing avenues, to grow our business at much more than 20 to 25 percent a year. We like the idea of 150 to 200 percent annual growth rates."

Born and raised in Bottineau, Page earned a degree in business administration from the University of North Dakota and then returned home. Because Western Manufacturing is a small company, Page constitutes the entire engineering staff, as well as conducts a major portion of the product marketing.

The company started manufacturing farm equipment in 1978 with Page and his father, Robert. The company then moved into asphalt equipment in 1983

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Fifth in a series

# FINANCIAL UPDATE

A monthly report on planned giving from the UND Foundation

The Tax Reform Act of 1986 is a reality.

Lower tax rates, fewer deductions and hundreds of rule changes will affect your tax bill and spendable income this year.

**FORTUNATELY, FAVORABLE TAX CONSEQUENCES STILL EXIST** for the many methods of giving arrangements available with the University of North Dakota Foundation.

**THERE ARE MANY FACTORS TO CONSIDER** when planning your gift in order to attain maximum satisfaction and minimum after-tax cost. Should you make a direct gift of cash or securities... life insurance... or real estate? Possibly, a testamentary provision in your Will or a trust arrangement would make the most sense. Also, should your gift be immediate... or deferred for a period of time?

A member of our staff will be happy to help you answer these questions and assist you in planning your gift to the University of North Dakota Foundation. Of course, all contacts with our office will remain confidential.

For more information on the Tax Reform Act and how you can continue to support programs at UND with maximum tax benefit, please return this coupon for your copy of "Understanding the Tax Revolution of 1986."

**Let us help you plan a giving arrangement today!**

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# Remember when

## February 1927

Winning the Carney Sing for the second consecutive year and for the first time in Carney history was the junior class, led by Roy LaMeter. Other choregi were senior Norma Devol, sophomore Jean Hannah and freshman Paul Yoder.

The sixth annual Military Ball had a colonial theme. Ball manager was Earl Bergquist. Norma Devol was elected regimental sponsor and honorary colonel. During elections, the military units disqualified women candidates who would not fit into the women's military uniforms available.

For Founders Day, classes were cancelled, football letterwinners were announced and the basketball team lost to the Agricultural College in Fargo 26-21.

The Dakota Student reported that the parents of most students at the University were farmers.

## February 1937

Winning the Carney Sing was the senior class under the direction of choregus Bert Christianson. Other choregi were Junior Lyle Mayer, Sophomore Vivian Coghlan and Freshman Grant Herreid.

Named the Coed Sponsor of the University Concert Band was Dorothea Sitz. Elected president of Blue Key was Edward Olson.

Elected to the Freshman Class Council was Helen Oppegard, George Vaughn, Ruth Fursteneau, Orville Bergen, Patricia Saylor, Russell Durfee and Paul Ducharme.

## February 1947

The freshman class won the Carney Sing under the direction of Dave Miner. Other choregi were sophomore Alice Woelk, junior Karl Ulmer and senior Irene Holkesvig.

The Lily scandal sheet made its annual appearance at the Carney Sing. It was published by Matrix, women's journalism honorary society.

The Sweetheart Ball was sponsored by the Women's League. President of Women's League was Marion Linfoot.

President of the Independent Students' Association was Joseph McIntee.

## February 1957

Two new events were added to King Kold Kar-nival — human dog sledding and barrel stave races. Queen Aurora was Joan Smith with attendants Carolyn Berkeland and Virginia Katsuki.

Winning the Ugly Man title was Howard Grumbo.

Barry Thorndycraft won the annual Beard Bust, trimmed division.

President of Mortar Board was Mary Helen Hillman. Other members were Joan Roller Goehl,

Connie Carignan, Mary Foss, Mary Simmet, Anne Melstad and Karen Nelson Jensen.

## February 1967

Suzette Bieri was president of the Inter-Dormitory Council. Linda Trengen was secretary-treasurer.

Named Arnold Air Society's Little Colonel was Joan Meyers.

John Odegard was president of the Flying Club. The club was working to get the University to offer a beginning aviation course.

Jerry Bass won the Ugly Man Contest.

Elected Queen Aurora of the King Kold Kar-nival was Mary Lawrence. Due to a poor sound system and the practice of keeping the election results secret until the last minute, Jane Boekelheide was crowned Queen at the hockey game. Helen Blume was the other attendant.

## February 1977

Two journalism students worked in public relations at the State Legislature for a semester. Bert Miller Jr. worked for the Democrats and Sarah Jones worked for the Republicans.

Fall semester Phi Beta Kappa initiates were Russell Jensen, Gregory Gores, Francis Danik, Paul Legler, Joel Jahraus, Yasmin Johnston, Jeffrey Rienstra, John Palenberg, Patricia Dhuyvetter and Dani Ulrich.

Anita Peterson won first place in the UND Bow Show.

Cast in the lead roles of the theatre arts production "The Hostage" were David Finn and Marcy Stanslowski.

# Class chairs

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## 1983

**Debbie Verhassel** received the bachelor's degree in nursing from UND in 1983. She is a staff nurse at Community Memorial Hospital in Sidney, Mont. Her hobbies include bike riding, camping and doing various crafts. Debbie lives in Sidney, Mont.

## 1984

**Emer Kostick** works for 3M TelCom division in Austin, Texas. In her spare time, Emer enjoys tennis, swimming and reading. A 1984 graduate of UND, Emer lives in Austin, Texas.

## 1985

**Aaron Schultz** is enrolled at UND in the distributive education master's program after receiving the bachelor of science degree in 1985. Prior to attending UND, Aaron graduated cum laude from North Dakota State University - Bottineau with an associate's degree in distributive education. He is active in many organizations including DECA, Toastmasters International and American Vocational Association. He was named to Who's Who in Junior Colleges of 1982-83, and he received the O.M. Hager Leadership Award in 1985. A native of Noonan, N.D., he served in the North Dakota Army National Guard for six years.

## 1986

**Dhru Girard** is a student at the University of South Carolina. A native of Bismarck, N.D., Dhru was a member of the Delta Upsilon fraternity and the student alumni association Telesis. He graduated from UND in 1986 with the bachelor's degree. Dhru lives in Columbia, S.C.

# Amos Martin

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a week." Perhaps, he suggested, he might spend part of the winter researching how some of this nation's great southern cities operate.

But he will be involved in the city. "A man can't devote 20 years to a community and simply walk away," he said. Reprinted with permission from the Minneapolis Star and Tribune.

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** The author, Dick Youngblood, is a 1958 graduate of UND. Amos Martin's wife, Grace (Whiteside), '54, served on the Alumni Association Board of Directors from 1972 to 1979. The Martins have four children. Son Paul graduated from UND in 1974. As a student, Amos Martin worked for the UND Alumni Association under the direction of J. Lloyd Stone. Upon Stone's retirement, Amos and Grace Martin established the J. Lloyd and Grace Stone Leadership Award to honor his former mentor and friend.

# University of North Dakota alumni tours

## 1987

Your University of North Dakota Alumni Association has again scheduled two excellent tours for alumni and friends who enjoy the good value, comradery and convenience of group travel. Space is limited, so why don't YOU join us today.



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A continent of startling contrasts. Your destinations are as cosmopolitan as they come, yet each has a personality all its own. There's Montevideo, sometimes called the "Switzerland of South America" and the "Latin Riviera, the friendly seaside resort of tiny Uruguay. Buenos Aires in Argentina, known as the "Paris of the Americas" for its chic atmosphere and abundant night life. And fabulous Rio, a city so generously endowed with natural beauty and glamour, you may never want to leave! Add to this the splendor of Iguassu Falls, one of the world's great wonders, and you've got a trip that's both fun and fascinating from start to finish. Only \$2395 per person, double occupancy, from Miami.

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A totally new tour providing an in-depth look into one of the world's most fascinating and exotic areas — Southeast Asia! This tour highlights the Republic of Singapore and features the best of Indonesia, Bali and the fascination of Hong Kong. It is an area of the world of awesome beauty, friendly people, and history reaching back in time. Special Alumni price of \$2795, double occupancy, from Los Angeles.

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# Alumni Days are May 20-22

## Reunions scheduled for classes of '27, '32, '37

Alumni Days is a time to reminisce with classmates and friends from years gone by. Now is the time to make plans to attend three days of exciting activities planned for alumni and friends May 20-22 at the University of North Dakota.

"We were impressed with the growth of the University in numbers of students and programs offered, as well as the number of new buildings," Edna Doyle, '36, from Berkeley, Calif., said of the 1986 Alumni Days festivities. "The closing luncheon on Friday was one of the highlights of the week. It provided an opportunity for relaxed conversation for the group who really did not want to have the reunion end. As a graduate of the University of North Dakota, Class of '36, I am very proud of my alma mater."

Swanson Hall, opened in 1985, is reunion headquarters. This attractive building houses more than 200 UND students during the academic year and is conveniently located adjacent to the Memorial Union where most Alumni

Days meals will be served. Swanson Hall has accommodations for the disabled and is utilized as a full-service convention facility when school is not in session.

Registration and room check in will begin at 1 p.m. Wednesday, May 20. All alumni and friends are invited to the J. Lloyd Stone Alumni Center for an open house from 3-5 p.m. followed by a get-reacquainted dinner in the Ballroom at the Memorial Union. The evening will end with a cabaret mixer and class photos at 8:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 21, will be an exciting and enjoyable day, beginning with a cultural tour of the UND campus. The tour will leave Swanson Hall at 9 a.m. and go to the Chester Fritz Auditorium to hear Tanya Walsh performing live. Walsh is enrolled at UND as a vocal performance major. She is a versatile singer of opera, classical and more contemporary music. She is the featured vocalist for the newly composed North Dakota Centennial song, "Winter Skies."

The next stop will be the Hughes Fine Arts Center to view the Margaret Cable and James Carley pottery collections. Famous landmarks on campus and fraternity and sorority row also will be pointed out by the tour guides along the bus route.

The tour will be followed by a luncheon cruise aboard the Dakota Queen Riverboat which will travel on the Red River of the North. Transportation leaves from Swanson Hall at noon. President and Mrs. Tom Clifford will hold a reception at their home on Yale Drive from 3-5 p.m.

The Alumni Days and Sioux Awards banquet will be held Thursday evening at the Westward Ho. Social hour begins at 6:30 p.m. followed by dinner and the program at 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 21, will feature a reunion breakfast for engineering and law alumni in the Memorial Union. Friday, May 22, beginning at 7:30 a.m., a medical school recognition breakfast will be held in the Memorial Union. Special reunion classes of 1927, 1932

and 1937 will be featured. All graduates and friends from these schools are welcome.

Friday's events include a special aerospace presentation and program at the Center for Aerospace Sciences at 9:30 a.m. Campus tours are available upon request to Hyslop Sports Center, Winter Sports Center, Chester Fritz Library, Energy Research Center and other buildings of your choice. The farewell buffet will be held at noon in the Ballroom of the Memorial Union.

Everyone is invited to remember and to enjoy themselves this spring at Alumni Days on the UND campus. For reservations and more information contact the Alumni office at P.O. Box 8157 University Station, Grand Forks, ND 58202 or call (701) 777-2611.

## Highly ranked wrestling team may be best in UND history

By LEE BOHNET, '51

Fighting Sioux sports fans are excited about wrestling prospects this season and for good reason. The University of North Dakota may have the best wrestling team in its history.

A poster advertising UND wrestling meets is headlined, "Gunning for the NCC Title." As never before, this is the year the Sioux just might be able to capture that elusive conference championship.

Competition in the art of grappling in the North Central Conference is extremely tough. There is only one recognized collegiate wrestling poll in the country and in that poll, five of the 10 NCAA Division II conference members were ranked in the top 10.

The Sioux were ranked fifth in the most recent poll. The number one ranked team in the country on our level is — you guessed it — North Dakota State University.

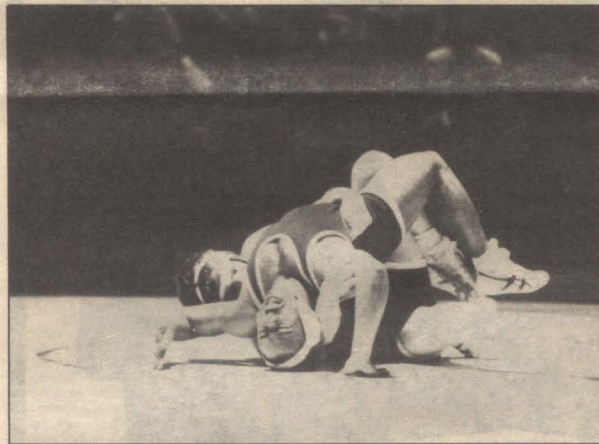
"We wrestle them Feb. 11 here at UND," said second-year Sioux head coach Brad Kerr. "All our matches against the Bison should be good. I don't see any blowouts by anybody in any of the weight classes. And the matches all should be close."

"By far this is the strongest team UND has ever had," Kerr said. "Our fifth-place ranking in the poll is also the highest we've ever been ranked. NDSU has a well balanced team. We have more balance than in the past and are fairly solid at every weight. We think the Sioux-Bison dual here Feb. 11 will be a good show."

In four dual meets so far this season the Sioux have a 3-1 record. They have manhandled Northern Michigan, 32-10, overwhelmed Portland (Ore.) State, 46-5, and defeated Northern Colorado, 39-10. On an extended tour of California during the Christmas vacation, they lost to number-two ranked Cal State-Bakersfield, 26-16.

Last season, UND finished fourth in the NCC tournament and 13th in the NCAA Division II national tournament. Returning NCC champions are John Christen at 118 pounds and Andy Leier at 134 pounds. Christen is a senior this season, Leier a junior.

In the national meet last season Christen placed third and earned All America honors. Kerr was named NCC



John Christen, a UND senior, wrestled at 126 pounds to pin his opponent, Keith Scheney, during a match with Northern Colorado. UND won the dual, 39-10.

Coach of the Year in 1985-86.

In early season open tournaments this year Kory Mosher, at 158 pounds, won titles in the Sioux and Bison Open tournaments. Christen won his weight (118) in the Sioux Open and Leier won at 142 in the Sioux Open.

Christen, who also has been a stand-out UND tennis player, earning All Conference honors in that sport, is 17-6 and moving in on a number of UND records. He ranks second on the best career won-lost record behind former All America heavyweight Jerome Larson. Christen needs 14 more wins to tie Larson. Christen came to UND from Minot, N.D.

Leier, a two-time national qualifier, captured his first NCC title last season at 134. He currently has a 16-7 record and ranks seventh on the list of best career records at UND. With 11 more wins he could move into third place on that list behind Christen and Larson.

Mosher currently has a 19-3 season record. He finished last season with the best record ever recorded by a Sioux freshman wrestler at 24-13-1, and placed fourth in the NCC tourney. Mosher had some excellent off-season training last summer. He won the 163-pound title in the USA Wrestling Federation central

region Greco-Roman championships at Chicago and later won a silver medal in the U.S. Olympic Festival in Houston in Greco-Roman style.

Junior Brent Hoffner, a standout in the 167-pound class, has a 17-5 season record. He is tied with Leier on the list of all-time best UND career winners. The 167-pound class is one of the most competitive in collegiate wrestling and Hoffner has done extremely well. He qualified for the nationals as a freshman, finishing seventh and earned All America honors. Last season Hoffner suffered an injury and did not wrestle in the NCC championships.

### Sport Scores

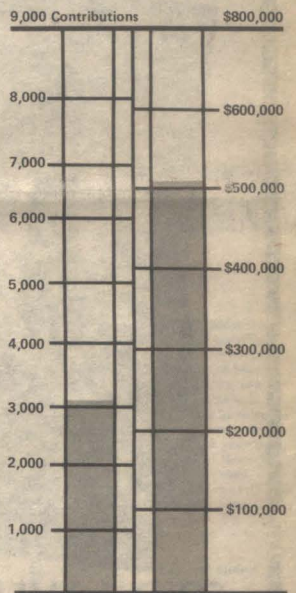
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UND 72, Nebraska-Omaha 54  
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## 1986-1987 SUSTAINING FUND GOALS



As of January 22, the UND Annual Sustaining Fund Drive had received \$511,994 as compared to \$405,053 at the same time last year. Total Annual Drive and Major Contributions now total \$1,482,423 from 3,128 contributors.



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