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WESTERN MISTIC

Student written, edited, and printed on campus each week.

Year 33 - Issue 19 State Teachers College, Moorhead, Minnesota Friday, March 1, 1957

Student Commission officers to be installed this morning

The new 1957-8 Student Commission will be installed at the 9 a.m. convocation in Weld Auditorium this morning.

Outgoing president Frank Leidenfrost will make farewell remarks before presenting the gavel to incoming president Neil Sussenguth.

After the administering of the oath, Sussenguth, the new president, will give a short talk.

The other commission members will be sworn in, and symbols of each office given to the respective commissioners.

Giving the symbols will be the old commissioners. As vice president, Ronald Miller will give the symbol of his office to Clifford Strommen; as secretary, June Johnson to Solveig Ramstad; as treasurer Ralph Burke to Elmer Reseland.

Outgoing commissioner of athletics Philip Kieselbach will present the symbol of his office to John Chalfant; Jo Sater, forensics, to Nancy Johnson; John Moriarity, music, to Robert Andstrom; Bette Reyes, pep, to Ronald Kragness; Connie Battreall, publicity, to Bette Reyes; James Aagesen, properties, to Eugene Goedel; Delsie Charais, religion, to Larry Foreman; and Joan Fowler, social, to Robert Knutson.

The new school song will be introduced to the student body at this time also. It is entitled "Dragon Golden Jubilee."

President Knoblauch will accept a gift of historical documents from the Moorhead Junior Chamber of Commerce at the beginning of the convocation. These documents are copies of important historical papers and include a replica Declaration of Independence.



President Neil Sussenguth

Strommen named to emcee Songfest

Organizations participating in the AE Songfest and the chairmen of the acts have been announced by Bill Parries and Ken Sugiyama, chairman and assistant chairman of the AE Songfest.

Clifford Strommen, Wadena, Minn. will MC the Songfest.

They are: Alpha Epsilon, Leonard Zimmerman, Herman, Minn.; Owl Fraternity, Dick Cunningham, Moorhead, Minn.; Alpha Sinfonia, John Moriarity, Enderlin, N. D.; Psi Delta Kappa, Vivian Boelsen, Holloway, Minn.

Gamma Nu, Mary Bergford, Moorhead, Minn.; Beta Chi, Faith Efteland, Moorhead, Minn.; Vets Club, Dick Bennett, Crookston, Minn. and Amos Hutchinson, Fargo, N. D.; LSA, Dick Westerlund, Mound, Minn.; Tau Chi Mu, Janice Dodge, Madison, Minn.; and Phi Mu Phi, Joan Hallet, Moorhead, Minn.

The AE Songfest began in 1935 and has been held every year with the exception of 1944-45 during the war and in 1946, when it was sponsored by Tau Chi Mu Music Club.

The acts are in two divisions. They are 12-minute and six-minute acts. Trophies are awarded to the first place act in each division.

"City Sidelights" was chosen as the

AAUP group formed at MS

A chapter of the American Association of University Professors was formed at Moorhead State Teachers College Monday, February 25. At an organizational meeting taking place at 4 p.m. in MacLean Hall, those present voted to found a chapter at the college.

The faculty members discussed the purposes of starting a chapter, deciding that such a group could discuss academic matters and business concerning faculty at MSTC.

Elected temporary chairman was Dr. William Gillis. Others present were Miss Grace Gregerson, Miss Karen Kivi, Mrs. Virginia Grantham, Dr. Amos Maxwell, Dr. Marlowe Wagner, and Dr. J. P. Smith.

There will be a luncheon meeting at noon, March 11, to which all MSTC faculty members will be invited.

theme for this year's songfest. It will be held in Weld Hall, March 22 and 23 at 8:15 p.m. Admission prices are 50¢ with activity tickets of MSTC, Concordia, and NDSC students, and \$1.00 for adults. The proceeds go to the AE scholarship fund.

The AE committees are: Program, Ron Welch, Moorhead, Cliff Strommen and Ken Sugiyama; Publicity, Harold Walle, Darwin Fosse, Larry Foreman, and Elmer Reseland; Stage and Lighting, Jim Rice, Sandy DiBrito, and Dick Bowden; Tickets, Pope Stella and Don Dahlquist; Business Manager, Everett Bjerke; Concession, Tats Tanaka, Larry Kaiser, and Bernard Voegel; Properties, John Odegard, Paul Barcenas, and John Martinson.

MS debate teams travel to St. Paul

Four MSTC debate teams won 10 out of 18 debates at the Eau Claire, Wisconsin tournament on February 15 and 16. The tournament consisted of five rounds of debate on the national inter-collegiate debate question.

Ronald Olson and Art Boss won four of their five rounds; Kay Weber and Therese Dusek won two of their five.

Arriving late for the event because of stormy weather, the other two teams were forced to forfeit the first round. Both teams, Bob Mead and LeRoy Boyer, and Marlys Olson and Geraldine Sorben won two of the four debates in which they participated.

The Eau Claire tournament is considered one of the most difficult in the Midwest. This year first place in the competition was won by Dartmouth College from New Hampshire.

Dr. Franklin Batdorf and Mr. William Marchand, debate coaches who accompanied the eight debaters to Eau Claire, said, "The squad did exceptionally well in a very difficult tournament. All teams more than held their own against top competition."

Yesterday eight MSTC debaters left for the eight-round debate tournament at St. Thomas College in St. Paul, Minnesota. They will return Saturday evening.

MSTCnic

REGISTRATION FOR THE SPRING QUARTER AT MSTC started February 28 and continues until March 11. Approximately 1000 students are expected to register this quarter.

"ARMS AND THE MAN," the George Bernard Shaw play, will be presented by the Concordia College players tonight, Saturday, and Monday, March 1, 2, and 4. Performances are at Old Main Chapel at 8:00 p.m. each night.



RAE GUNDERSEN AND TED PEASE, as Helena and Domin discuss Rossum's Universal Robots in the first night performance of Capek's R.U.R. Photo by Jim Nelson.

Last RUR performance tonight in Weld Theatre

The second performance of RUR will be tonight at 8:15 p.m. in Weld Theatre. Mr. James Highlander is directing the play which was written by Karel Capek in 1921.

Members of the cast are Duane Nelson, Ron White, Sharon Chinn, Jack Renner, Ron Kossick, Don Berry, Dick Wicklund, Bob Melchior, Helen McGuigan, all of Moorhead; Ted Pease, Bob Shiek, and Joanne Lewis

of Fargo; Orville Moran, Little Falls, Dave Montplaisir, Hawley; Dick Westerlund, Mound; Wayne Irey, Pelican Rapids; Cliff Strommen, Wadena; Mrs. Rae Gundersen, Alexandria; Darrell Bertness, Appleton; and Joe Wilson, Donnybrook, North Dakota.

Joan Fowler is the assistant director.

The play introduces Rossum's Universal Robot's, mechanical people manufactured wholesale for every purpose. They are designed to do all the work. They have no feelings until Helena persuades Dr. Gall, their creator, to give them nerves and feelings.

Their first feeling is one of hatred and they destroy the entire human race, with the exception of the woman, Alquist. Because the formula for the production has been destroyed, Alquist can do nothing to continue the species without dissecting one of them.

A robotress is chosen; but when a robot volunteers in her place, Alquist sees love in their eyes and knows he is not needed.

Prexy optimistic on new teachers

Returning from a trip to midwestern and eastern colleges in search of instructors for Moorhead State Teachers College, Dr. A. L. Knoblauch, MSTC president, was optimistic about next year's prospects for bringing college teachers to Minnesota.

At his arrival in Moorhead on Feb. 27, he said, "There are candidates available if the Legislature moves fast enough in adopting the new salary schedule and approving the new positions the college has asked for."

All the positions could be filled right now under a new salary schedule, he asserted. But by April 1, he continued, there will be "a smaller number of able candidates available."

Colleges visited by the president included the University of Minnesota, Northwestern University, Harvard University, and New York University. He also attended sessions of the American Association of School Administrators in Atlantic City, N. J.

Class ponders: Miss ? Sundet

The second grade at MSTC campus school almost had a share in naming the baby born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerold Sundet on February 12.

When Mr. Sundet, who teaches music at the campus school, told the second graders that he and his wife could not decide whether to name the baby Debra or Sarah, a vote was taken. Because one boy observed that "Sarah sounds like a mommy's name," Debra won.

Final decision on the name: Rebecca Sue.

Board chooses Kaisler to edit Western Mistic

Waale is business manager

Rod Kaisler will take over as editor-in-chief of the *Western Mistic* at the end of winter quarter. Kaisler is a junior from St. Paul, Minnesota, and is majoring in English at MSTC.

Replacing Harlan Shuck as editor, Kaisler will officially take over the reins of the newspaper with the first issue of the spring quarter on March 15, and will continue as editor-in-chief until the end of winter quarter, 1958.

Replacing the resigning business manager Elmer Reseland will be Harold G. Waale, Goodridge, Minnesota, sophomore. Waale will be in charge of business and advertising duties for the paper.

Also leaving the staff this week are managing editor Helen McGuigan, feature editor Marilyn Dahlen, and Dave Montplaisir, *Western Mistic* sports editor. Both Miss Dahlen and

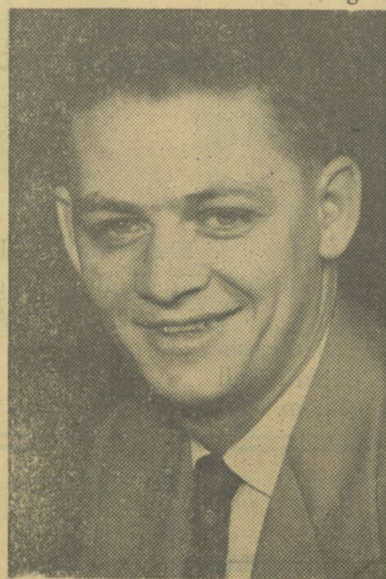
First grade party for school helpers

First graders at MSTC campus school are giving a "School Helpers Party" Friday, March 1, at 2 p.m. Honored will be people of MSTC and the community who have helped the first grade in connection with social studies. These helpers spoke to the first grade on work they do in connection with running the school.

They are Dr. A. L. Knoblauch, MSTC president; Dr. Glaydon D. Robbins, head of the campus school; Miss Alice Corneliusen, principal of the campus school; Miss Evangeline Lindquist, school nurse; Mrs. Hazel Barker, secretary to Dr. Robbins; Mrs. Casper Anderson, PTA president and bus driver; H. T. Jordahl, maintenance department; Jerold Sundet, music teacher; Mrs. Helen Scheer, art teacher; Mrs. A. H. Meland and Mrs. O. T. Reirsgard, food service; Miss Dorothy Jefferson, librarian; Henry Ortner, maintenance; and Fred Meyers, Jr., a sixth grader who is captain of the school patrol.

The pupils will present a program of songs, choral speaking and reading, and they will give each guest a book of drawings.

Student teachers in charge are Marlys Nordstrom and Norma Hornbacher.



Rod Kaisler, Mistic editor

New editor Kaisler says he anticipates no major changes in *Mistic* policy. A complete editorial staff will be appointed by Kaisler within the next few days. Anyone interested in working on the *Mistic* staff may see Kaisler or Dr. Gillis.

"We would like to build up a competent, young staff from which future editorial material may be chosen," said Dr. Gillis.

Editor says adieu

"Year 33 - Issue 19" the masthead states. And with this issue, we regretfully hand over the duties of editor-in-chief to Rod Kaisler. Issue 20 will find the *Western Mystic* under new management.

In the year that we have performed the duties of editor we have edited bales of copy, fought for deadlines, and breathed deeply in relaxation every Thursday night when the presses began to roll.

We have fought with people for our views. (We hope the views for which we struggled were worth the fight.) We have run into obstacles of every imaginable nature. Some of them have been cleared, others merely glossed over in the hope that on one would notice. (Note to the new editor: they never miss an error.)

We have exhorted administration and students to do this or that; to support this; to discontinue that. We have occasionally meted out a little editorial praise for a job well done. (Of course, no editor is so good at this as he is at complaining.)

We have despaired some weeks of ever breaking into print; we have swallowed aspirins; we have cut Friday morning classes.

All in all, however, the experience has been an exhilarating one. We have enjoyed working with the students and the administration of Moorhead State Teachers College. The cooperation, for the most part, has been superb. (And despite a sort of caustic independence, a college editor does need cooperation at times.)

We feel that MSTC can boast of an excellent, alert student body. To edit a newspaper for them has been pleasant. We are sure that Mr. Kaisler will find it just as enjoyable.

We trust your support will be given to the new editor, that your complaints will be justly aired, and that your interests will be ever uppermost in the editorial columns of the *Western Mystic*.

Without further ado - Adieu!! It has been an unforgettable opportunity.

- Harlan M. Shuck.

Robbins reviews two books; Gregerson address to PTA

Dr. Claydon D. Robbins, director of the professional division and the laboratory schools at Moorhead State Teachers College, has accepted assignments to write two articles for the *Minnesota Journal of Education*, which is published by the Minnesota Education Association.

For the March issue of the magazine, Dr. Robbins will write a review of two recent books in professional education, *Professional Problems of Teachers* by Albert J. Huggett and T. M. Stinnett, and *Education As A Profession* by Myron Lieberman.

The April issue of the magazine will publish an article by Dr. Robbins entitled "National Accreditation Of Teacher Educating Institutions," which describes the recent trends in the United States and in Minnesota toward inspection and accreditation of colleges and universities which educate teachers.

The MSTC educator was selected to write these articles because he

serves as chairman of the Minnesota Commission On Teacher Education and Professional Standards.

Gregerson to talk about teenagers

Problems of teenagers is the subject on which Miss Grace Gregerson, MSTC education department, will speak at a meeting of the Agassiz junior high school, Fargo, PTA on Wednesday, March 20, at 3 p.m.

The discussion will focus on two films shown at the last meeting, Feb. 20. The films, "Age of Turmoil" and "Meaning of Adolescence," dealt with teenagers and their parents.

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In the mailbag

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

We favor a campaign that will encourage people not to vote.

There were too many people who were pressured into voting at the last college election. How many people were asked whether they had voted or not and were then dragged to the polls if they hadn't?

Once they had the ballot in their hands, they voted for the person they had heard of the most, a member of their sorority or fraternity, someone who believed in their religion or non-religion, or for some other reason that has no relation to picking a good candidate. Is this not a disservice to everybody?

What students do here will shape their attitudes in later years. It will hurt democracy if people are encouraged to vote who have no interest and no understanding of the issues. It is more likely to result in the choice of the inferior candidates and lowering the prestige of the right to vote.

If people still desire to come and cast a stupid vote, that is their right. But we should not encourage casting a stupid vote.

Let's not encourage voting.

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Here we go again

Despite Shakespearean comment to the contrary, there is something in a name, say the semanticists. Would you buy a filet mignon in a restaurant if it were on the menu as "side of a dead cow"? This is the era in which we try to sell all sorts of things by calling a spade anything but.

For this and for other reasons, the Minnesota teachers colleges are asking to have their names changed. A bill is now before the Legislature to drop the word "teachers" from the names of all five colleges. We would then become Moorhead State College.

But there is objection to this, not only from the college itself, but from Moorhead in general. First, there is the grammatical point: there is no state of Moorhead. (Thus we have been wrong these many years in describing ourselves as Moorhead State Teachers College.)

Second, the college draws its students from a wide state area, not from Moorhead alone. We should therefore have a sectional name. Western Minnesota State College is the choice of many. Most of the other state teachers colleges also want sectional names rather than city names, names which will tell just what the colleges are.

The final objection is that we will be confused with Morehead State College in Kentucky. This is a practical point. The name Moorhead is often misspelled.

In the Legislature one representative remarked that the teachers colleges must be "ashamed" of their function of training teachers since they want the name changed.

We feel only pride in teaching, in the professional for which our college was instituted. And the college will still be primarily dedicated to the training of teachers despite a name change.

For MSTC then, what's in a name? The college is expanding its courses. The name should describe what the college is; that is, an institution offering courses outside the profession of teaching as well as in education training.

A new name would change the widely held idea that everyone going to MSTC is studying to be a teacher, an attitude which may be keeping many students away from MSTC and perhaps away from a college education.

The college would be more likely to expand its offerings so that the great influx of students in the next ten years could be taken care of in inexpensive local institutions.

And it must be admitted finally that the name would give the college more prestige in academic circles. This would enable the college to be assured of obtaining the best instructors to teach here. Minnesota's teachers colleges, as good as any state colleges in the country, otherwise will suffer from the stigma which many inferior institutions have brought to the name "teachers college."

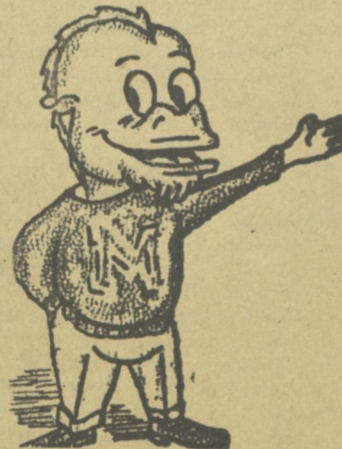
Yes, there is a lot in a name. So much that we will be sorry in a way to see the old one go. After all, Moorhead State Teachers College has made a name for itself.

An interesting sidelight on the suggested name of Western Minnesota State College is that, when the name of this newspaper was officially changed from *The Mystic* to its present title, the new name was adopted to signify the fact that MSTC serves Western Minnesota. This explains the "Western" in our masthead. The paper has been the *Western Mystic* since December 4, 1931.

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Posts go to Johnson, Foreman

LSA senior council elections were held Thursday, February 14, at the Lutheran Student house.

Shirley Kay Johnson, Hendrum, fills the position of president; and Larry Foreman, Moorhead, that of vice president.

Other officers are secretary, Bonnie Kussatz, Alberta; treasurer, Bob Steen, Ortonville; deputations chairman, Donna Nybakken, Hawley; stewardship chairman, Fred Voegel, Wheaton; and program chairman, Marilyn Johnson, Vergas.

Appointed positions include those of the Lutheran Student editor, Judith Nelson, Fergus Falls; publicity chairman, Garnet Badtke, Minneapolis; food chairman, Diana Eide, Gary; and social chairman, Shirley Ellingson, Pelican Rapids.

NDAC LSA'ers will be hosts to MSTC at a square dance party at 8 p.m. tonight. The party will be at the college YMCA.

Attending the party will Miss Joan Honsey, who will be counsellor to Lutheran students at MSTC during Mrs. Othilia Hauge's absence from April through August.

Students will receive rides at 7:30 p.m. at the Lutheran Student house on the MSTC campus.

"God and Our Exams" is the topic on which Mr. Robert Twiton, intern

at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, will speak Sunday, March 3, at 9 p.m.

Group singing followed by refreshments will begin the evening at 8:30.

Lenten Chapel services will be held every Wednesday noon beginning March 13 in Ingleside from 12:30 to 12:45.

"Resurrection of our bodies," and "things to come" are the two ideas to be discussed during Bible Study on Sunday morning, March 3 at 9:30. The passage to be used for the study is I Corinthians 15:1-21.

Tri C Club

The Tri C group held meeting Sunday, February 17, at the First Congregational Church in Moorhead. A supper was served and a film on Christian vocations was shown. This topic will be continued at the meetings until the end of March.

The next meeting of the Tri C will be Sunday Evening, March 3, at 7 a.m. A talk on "Christian Vocations" will be given from a woman's point of view.

Wesley Foundation

The Wesley Club met at the Grace Methodist Church in Moorhead on Thursday, February 28. "Into Darkness," a film on missions was shown to the members after the business meeting.

Pi Mu Phi rushes two...

Pi Mu Phi sorority postrushed two girls: Kay Weber from Fargo, and Marianne Geiger from Kenmare, N. D. A theatre party was held for them on Wednesday, February 20. Kay and Marianne became pledges Tuesday evening, February 26.

Psi Deltas entertain alums

Psi Delta Kappa actives entertained the alums, patronesses, and honorary members on Tuesday, February 26 in Ingleside. Heading the food committee was Marlys Vad. Cathy Cederberg was chairman of the entertainment committee.

Gamma Nu elects Paulsen

Gamma Nu elected officers on Sunday evening, February 17. Installation ceremonies were held last Tuesday evening in the sorority room. New president is Jan Paulsen; vice president is Marvel Froemming. Elizabeth Bockes is the new secretary, with Mary Perreten taking on treasurer's duties. Other appointments were made.

On Monday evening, March 4, Gamma Nu alums will entertain the actives in Ingleside at the annual Founder's Day program. Gamma Nu was forty-eight years old on February 12.

Betas plan bake sale...

Dolores Goodyear, Beta Chi senior, recently became engaged to Paul Bil-

lehus of Starbuck, Minnesota.

The Betas have planned another bake sale, being held today at the Super Valu in Moorhead. This sale is being sponsored by the Betas not living in the Fargo-Moorhead community.

Judy Henning became active through formal initiation at the Beta's 25th anniversary banquet.

Plan Songfest acts...

The four sororities on campus are busily arranging and planning their Songfest acts. Co-chairmen of Gamma Nu's act are Rae Gunderson and Jan Paulsen. Marilyn Gill is the director of this year's Psi Delt act; DeLayne Reidberger is the chairman of the act. Joan Hallett and Mary Ellen Brodigan are co-chairmen of the Pi Mu Phi act for '57.

The Beta Chi's have chosen Sharon Chinn as their general chairman, with different committees working under her. Heading the music committee is Anna Varriano. Sharon Donnan will head the costumes committee; Kay Colwell, dancing; and Carol Frank, sets and properties.

Strommen heads AE's...

Cliff Strommen was elected president of the Alpha Epsilon fraternity at a recent meeting. Strommen is a Wadena, Minnesota junior.

Other officers elected include Ken-ny Sugiyama, vice president; Elmer Reseland, secretary; and Harold Wa-ale, treasurer. Duane Eide was elect-

ed corresponding secretary, Darwin Fosse, sergeant at arms, and Don Dahlquist, historian.

These officers will serve a term of one year for the fraternity.

Holmquist on committee

Miss Delsie Holmquist, MSTC staff member, has been appointed a member of the nominating committee of the twelfth annual National Conference of Higher Education. The nomination was made by the executive secretary of the organization, G. Kerry Smith. The conference takes place in Chicago March 3 to 6.

Wooldrik in hospital...

Miss Marvel Wooldrik, MSTC librarian, will be out of school for two weeks for surgery. Miss Wooldrik is now at home in Sleepy Eye, Minnesota. She hopes to return to MSTC library staff at the beginning of spring quarter.

LIBRARY MATERIALS

DUE MARCH 4

All books, magazines, or reference materials will be due by March 4, librarian Karen Kivi announced. In order to clear the library records for spring quarter, students are asked to return all materials on or before next Monday.

Euterpe to sing for music club

The Euterpe Singers, MSTC women's choral group, will sing for the Moorhead Music Club meeting this afternoon at 2:30 p.m. in Ingleside.

Dr. Maude Wenck, MSTC music instructor, will direct the women's chorus in their performance. Guests are invited to the meeting.

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Beavers down MS 76-65 for TC conference lead

The Bemidji Beavers cinched at least a tie for the championship in the Teachers College Conference with a 76 to 65 win over the cold shooting Dragons at Bemidji last week. St. Cloud has finished its season and is half a game behind the Beavers. Bemidji plays MSTC here Saturday night and if the Dragons win, St.

Cloud and Bemidji will tie for the championship; if Bemidji should win, they will win the title outright.

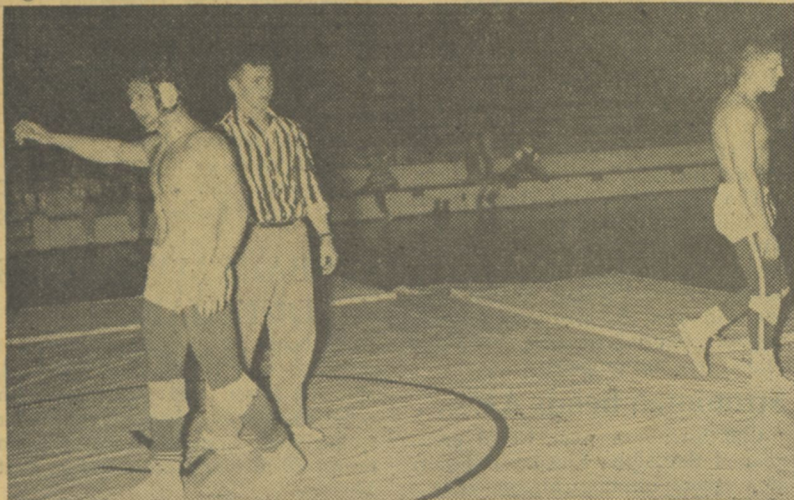
Moorhead held a slim 2 point lead over the Beavers at half time with a 37 to 35 margin. Moorhead widened its margin to 6 points at the start of the second half before Bemidji caught fire and went on to win. MSTC got

only 4 field goals in the second half.

Dennis Anderson came down with a cold and didn't start at Bemidji as Ken Reitan proved to be the only one who was hot. Kenny continued his good free throw shooting with 12 out of 15. Ken wound up the night with 28 points and Sherm Moe hit for 11.

Dick Robbins and Don Otness led the Beavers with 21 and 19 points respectively. Rich Carter and Joe Servon each scored 10 to round out those double figures.

Moorhead	fg	ft	pf	tp
Moe	4	3	2	11
Holte	2	2	2	6
Bolger	3	3	3	9
Goedel	0	0	0	0
Kieselbach	1	4	4	6
Zimmerman	0	0	0	0
Reitan	8	12	3	28
Christensen	1	0	5	2
Nemzek	0	2	0	2
D. Anderson	0	0	1	0
G. Anderson	0	1	2	1



DICK ELRITE leaves the mat after his decision victory over Selchuk of Bemidji. Photo by Hub Zervas.

Wrestlers finish season with 3 wins and 7 losses

The MSTC wrestling team ended its regular season last Saturday with a 28 to 8 loss to South Dakota State. A week ago Tuesday Bemidji edged out the Dragon's 17 to 15 to bring the season's record to a 3 win 7 loss record. It was a good season when you consider that we lost 4 of the 7 losses by the margin of one match.

Back next year will be Ron Kragness, who was 8 and 2 this year. Ron can hardly be expected to improve his record, but you can be sure that he will try. Other experienced wrestlers that will be back include Butch Gibson, Henry Hettwer, Don Tirk, and Jerry Keogh. Gibson is a freshman and had a good first season. He should be a very good college wrestler before he leaves school. Don Tirk was handicapped by experience, but he improved as the season went on and finished the season with a draw against Concordia.

Henry Hettwer and Jerry Keogh fought most of the heavyweight matches. Even though they sometimes gave away as much as 30 to 40 pounds they still managed to give respectable showings. Hettwer improved considerably as the season went on and can be counted on to improve his record next year.

Keith Dyre was hampered by injuries for most of the season and fell

below his previous standards. When Keith was well he was a tiger and was a hard man to beat.

Two of our best wrestlers during the past year are going into the coaching field. Dick ElRite, who surprised everyone with his fine first year showing, graduates this spring. ElRite was probably the strongest man on the squad and improved a great deal as the season went on. Captain Al Holmes proved to be our best all around wrestler. Al was one of the big point getters and gained one of his five pins in 50 seconds.

Rufus Bankole will be finishing his pre-engineering courses and going to the University of Minnesota next fall. Rufus fought some good matches and gained two pins, but inexperience hurt his chance to gain more wins. Dave Montplaisir fought better than he ever did before, but he met much tougher competition as he won 6 out of 10 matches, all of them by pins. Dave is leaving for the Air Force spring quarter and plans to do some wrestling there.

John Hagen, John Eskelson and Toby Horn fought mostly exhibition matches, and that experience should help them next year. Eskelson and Hagen broke even in both of their matches while Toby won his only match.

Bemidji	fg	ft	pf	tp
D. Otness	5	9	5	19
Carter	3	4	3	10
S. Otness	0	0	0	0
Lawrence	4	0	4	8
Wagner	0	0	2	0
Ness	1	0	0	0
Servon	2	6	5	10
Kennedy	0	0	0	0
Robbins	5	11	3	21
Bucek	3	0	2	6

Sater leads Gams; Pi's beat Dandees

Only two games were played this week in the girls' intramural basketball tournament. The Gams defeated the Hotshots and the Dandees forfeited to the Pi's.

The final score of the Gamma Nu - Hotshot game was 31-11. Jo Sater lead the Gams with 12 points. Following close behind with 10 and 9 points were Marlene Gilbertson and Jan Paulson. Thelma Yamasaki was high scorer for the Hotshots with 6 points.

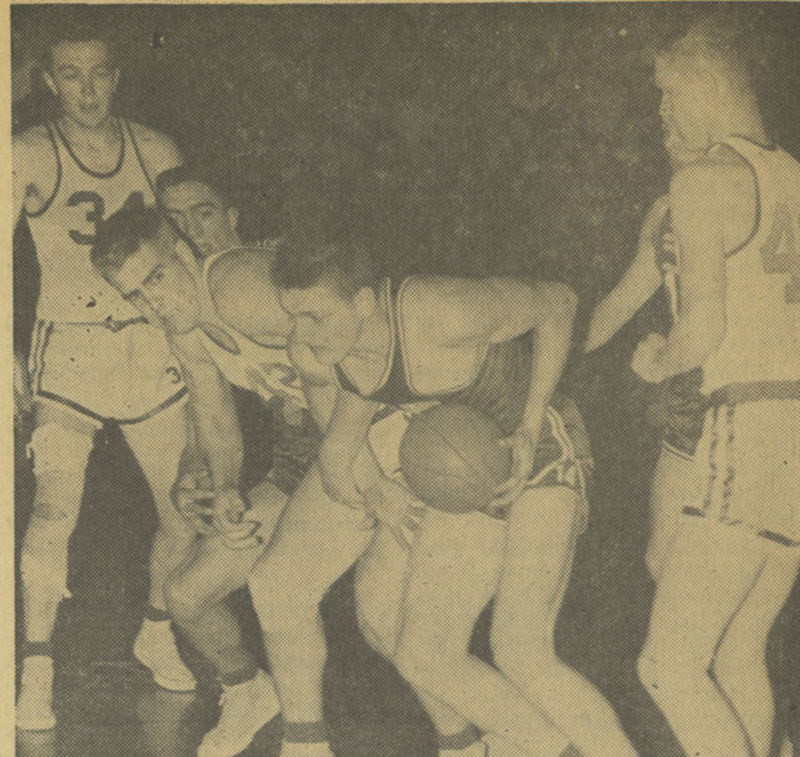
Team	Won	Lost
Derelicts	5	0
Gamma Nu	4	1
Pi Mu Phi	3	2
Beta Chi	3	2
Hustlers	2	3
Hotshots	0	4
Dandees	0	5

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KOD ZIMMERMAN HOLDS TENACIOUSLY to the ball with one hand despite the armlock Bemidji's Ness has applied. Photo by Hub Zervas.

The editor speaks SPORTS NOTES

by Dave Montplaisir
At a small Junior College in southern California, Coach Earl Davis told



his baseball team that he didn't care for those Presley type haircuts. To back up his dislike for the long style haircuts he told his crew one Friday that the one with the longest hair would carry the bag with the balls and bats in it for the rest of the season. Coach Davis gave his men until the following Monday to get their haircuts. The following Monday his entire team reported to practice with shaven heads; Coach Davis will carry the bag.

Yours truly has picked an all-opponent basketball team. The team was at first to consist of only 8 players, but an outstanding array of guards has forced me to choose another guard rather than face the difficult task of leaving out one. St. Cloud led by

placing 3 on the mythical team starting with forwards Jack Kelly and Vern Baggentoss and guard Ted Grams. Winona, North Dakota State, Bemidji, Concordia, Mankato, and Minot each placed one. Robbins represented the league leading Bemidji team at one guard spot, while Winona placed the league's leading scorer, Svenningson at one of the forward spots. Battling it out at the center position are Wayne Deden of Mankato and Art Johnson of Concordia. Filling out the other two guard spots are two Minot boys, Ken Flynn of North Dakota State and Henry Milkey of Minot Teachers.

Since this is the last column I'll be writing I'd like to thank those who have helped me through the past year. I'd like to thank Orville Strommen who covered intramural football last fall, Wes Van Tassel who wrote stories on the basketball team, Dick Bennett who covered intramural basketball and Myron Sondreal who wrote stories on individual basketball stars. I couldn't have done anything without their fine help.

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