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#### ON OUR COVER:

Graduate Candy Dannenberg of Storm Lake, Ia., receives her degree from Morningside president Dr. Thomas S. Thompson. It was a scene often repeated as the president handed out diplomas to the largest graduating class in the College's history. But the thrill of graduating is a very personal thing, and it is evident in the face of Miss Dannenberg who will enter public school teaching this fall in Omaha.

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### Alumnotes . . .

#### East Coast Meetings Well-attended . . .

Alumni meetings at Plainview, New York; Saddle Brook, New Jersey; and Washington, D.C. in late March drew excellent turn-outs of alumni, parents and prospective Morningside students. President Thompson was the speaker at the three meetings.

The two gatherings in the metropolitan New York area were arranged by Christy Morell, East Coast admissions representative for the College. Over 100 persons attended the two sessions.

Bob Josten, '64, presided at the Washington, D.C. meeting. He and Mrs. Josten (also '64) join Mr. ('54) and Mrs. ('64) Stan Greigg and Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton, both '53, on a committee which will plan future meetings.

#### Alumni Attend Presidential Inaugurations . . .

Ron Hileman, '37, represented Morningside at the inauguration of Alfred Rosenbloom as president of the Illinois College of Optometry on June 4 in Chicago.

Reverend John Payne, '43, represented Morningside at the University of the Pacific in Stockton, Calif., for the inauguration of Stanley McCaffrey as president on May 26.

Amos W. Hartman, '20, attended the inauguration of Ivan Frick as president of Elmhurst College of Illinois on April 23.

Henry Kamphoefner, ex '28, was Morningside's representative at the inauguration of James Hargraves as president of Shaw University of Raleigh, N.C., on April 8.

Robert Shulenberger, '51, represented his college at the inauguration of Donald Kleckner as president of Chapman College in Orange, Calif., on April 7.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
Homecoming, 1972 is on October 14
Football foe is USD

# Commencement | 1972

## - - Largest Graduating Class Ever

The appearance of a Supreme Court Justice, the graduation of the largest class in the College's history, the return to the campus of 22 members of the Class of 1922—these were highlights of Morningside's Commencement Weekend during May 12-14.

The weather provided the only note of gloom. Rain and a stubborn overcast forced the commencement exercises indoors to Allee Gymnasium after grand plans had been made for a colorful ceremony on the turf of Roberts Public School stadium which adjoins the campus. Allee Gym proved adequate, however, as an estimated 4,000 persons witnessed the commencement ceremonies.

In his address Justice Blackmun referred to the present era as "both the best times and the worst times" for the United States. Citing the long list of social problems being wrestled with by the Supreme Court, the Justice lauded the general tone of awareness by college students to these issues (pollution, racism, welfare reform, capital punishment, abortion). "There has never been a time when so many people have been so concerned with injustice or more devoted to peace," he said.

The Justice looks upon the Supreme Court as "an institution vested with awesome power — but power used only in the role of an umpire." The court, he said, is made up of nine men "of varied types and varied roots, who operate independently."

In expressing his hopes to the Class of 1972, Justice Blackmun asked the graduates to "be content with the steady pull, avoid the cult of synicism, think more and emote less, learn to accept disappointment and interim defeat, seek times of aloneness ('this is when we mature'), ever seek wisdom."

Dr. Arnold Herbst, senior minister of St. Paul's United Methodist Church of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, earlier spoke of the trend toward "quality rather than quantity in life" at traditional baccalaureate services in the Eppley Auditorium. While earlier generations placed economic security at the top of their priority lists, Dr. Herbst said, "many of today's graduates give the quality of life a higher place."

Asking graduates to take a hard look at their priorities, Dr. Herbst said: "Look at your investment of time and your investment of money. They reflect your sense of values." Calling for commitment to a disciplined life, Dr. Herbst said that the quality of our life is reflected in the way discipline occurs. "There is going to be discipline," he said. "The question is whether we discipline ourselves or someone else does it for us."

Alumni Days activities — ranging from a special dinner for the Class of 1922 at the home of President Thompson to the annual Alumni-Senior Dinner at the Commons — were well attended.

Addressing members of reunion classes at a Saturday luncheon, Dr. Leon Hickman, '22, spoke of the vital place in our country's educational system occupied by small liberal arts colleges such as Morningside. "The need for values in our society is painfully evident," Dr. Hickman said, "and Morningside, as a private, church-related college, can teach these values in addition to the strictly factual matter all schools offer."

Maintenance of a viable private sector in higher education is "insurance for freedom in this country," Hickman said. "As we face the danger of having education stereotyped, Morningside and schools like it become a voice for freedom and values," he said. "Morningside will prosper only so long as people who have been here believe in it, run up its flag and support it."

(more on Commencement Weekend on pages 10 and 11)



Honorary degree recipients join President Thompson following commencement exercises. They are Justice Harry Blackmun (to the right of Dr. Thompson), Ernest Raun and John Swanson.

## COMMUNICATIONS - - AN

Editor's note . . .

The author of the article below is a Summa Cum Laude graduate of Morningside and is the recipient of an assistantship for graduate study at the University of Arkansas. Active in many facets of campus life, Miss Steele has a special gift for writing. She was asked by the editor to survey the workings of a most uncommon department of the College.

A college could not exist without a huge volume of printed materials of all sorts — letters, tests, notices, course outlines, memos, reports, and publications such as **The Morningsider**. Most of Morningside College's avalanche of printing is channeled to the Comunications Center, under the direction of Marilynn (White) Larson, ex '39.

Mrs. Larson and the co-eds who work at the Communications Center are challenged daily to handle an enormous amount of work. During 1971 the Communications Center sent out a total of 389,268 pieces of mail (excluding first class) as well as a considerable number of films, tapes and packages. The Center's work also included the running of over 500,000 mimeograph copies and over 165,000 ditto copies.

Ten years ago when Mrs. Larson took over the Communications Center, which is located in three rooms in the basement of Lewis Hall, only two machines - a graphotype and an addressograph - were found there. The assignment given Mrs. Larson was to build and expand the communications process while striving to make the operations more economical and efficient. According to a consultant to the Program for Academic Advance, she has succeeded. He wrote: "I wish to personally commend one individual - Marilynn Larson, director of the Communications Center - for transforming an often tedious and complicated operation into as efficient, clean and pleasant an operation as I have seen."

Mrs. Larson estimates that responsibilities of the Communications Center have increased tenfold in the last ten years. There are now 14 girls who work six to 18 hours a week in the Center during the regular school year. The Center can now boast of ten machines, excluding typewriters, that have streamlined operations and saved money for the College.

The mailing machine in the Communications Center is the same type used by the Post Office to put postage on large volumes of mail. The Center also houses a master maker which produces ditto masters or stencils from original copy and is able to produce overhead transparencies.

The Center's punch and bind equipment allows for easy binding of Board of Directors' reports, lab manuals, and financial development proposals. A plastic sealing machine saves the College the cost of sending brochures and catalogs in manilla envelopes.

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The processing of The Morning-sider is an excellent example of the organization and efficiency of the Communications Center. The College sends 12,000 copies of the magazine quarterly to alumni, Iowa United Methodist ministers, parents of currently enrolled students, businessmen and friends of Morningside throughout the United States. The magazines usually arrive at the Communications Center from the printers a few days before all must be in the mail.

Communications workers address The Morningsider magazines by running metal plates through the addressograph. A metal plate is on file for each of the 12,000 recipients of the mailing. These

A familiar scene in the Morningside Communications Center—Marilynn Larson takes a telephone request for the services of her department.



## UNCOMMON OPERATION

by Marty Steele, '72

plates, along with 18,000 others, have been made on the graphotype machine and are stored alphabetically in a series of metal drawers. Plates are cross-tabbed and color-keyed to avoid duplication such as a situation where a person is a minister, a parent and an alumnus and is represented by a plate in each of these files. Plates are arranged by Sectional Facility Centers (the areas represented by the first three digits of the Zip Codes) and by states.

The next step in processing **The Morningsider** is the tying of the
magazines into bundles according
to the Zip Code Centers or towns.
Then, magazines must be bagged
— again by Zip Code Centers.

Because the Communications Center does the sorting, tying and bagging, the College saves money. Cost to the College in mailing 12,000 copies of the magazine is \$90. The mailing is made under a second class non-profit permit.

In addition to processing **The Morningsider** four times a year, the Center has a heavy load of daily work. It is responsible for sorting and dispersing incoming mail and dispatching outgoing mail which is metered and delivered to the Post Office twice daily.

Mrs. Larson states that "most of the duplicating on campus is done in Communications." This means that, in an average day, there is a barrage of tests, bookstore lists, student papers, inter-office memos, and general campus mailings to be run on the duplicating machines.

Communications is responsible for sending out mailings for campus organizations and administrative offices including the Admissions Office; Wills and Estates; the Collegian Reporter; Religious Life Council; Alumni Office; Student Government; Drama, Music, and Art Departments; and the M Club. General catalogs and graduate school, summer school and evening division bulletins must also be mailed periodically.



Marilynn Larson supervises the work of Gayle (Prince) Yeska, '73, Lynne Erickson, '74, and Barbara (Larson) Uhl, '73, in the Morningside Communications Center.

With all this work to be done and deadlines to be met, one might suspect that the Communications Center is a gloomy, impersonal place. This is hardly the case. Although the girls work under pressure, there is a cheerful, casual atmosphere in the Center. Pictures of all the girls who have worked in the Center are found on one shelf. Also prominent is a bulletin board with clippings about the girls, wedding and shower invitations, and baby announcements.

Mrs. Larson states: "Communications is a department unto itself. I have a special relationship with the girls that is different from most boss-employee relationships. I try to be a 'Mother Away from Home' to them, and I feel that they, in turn, have a special loyalty to me."

Mrs. Larson expresses her personal interest in the girls who work for her in a number of ways. On a girl's birthday, she bakes a birthday cake and brings it to work for everyone to enjoy. When a girl graduates, Mrs. Larson asks her to keep in touch on at least three occasions — at Christmas, when she marries, and when she becomes a mother. A scrapbook

is kept on all girls who have worked in the department in which Mrs. Larson records their honors, engagements, and activities.

The girls, of course, invite Mrs. Larson to many bridal showers, and she traditionally gives the prospective bride a miniature milk glass sugar and creamer.

In addition to working 40 or more hours a week in Communications, Mrs. Larson finds time to be a mother to three daughters, a grandmother to five grandchildren, and a wife to Duane Larson, owner of a television and radio service in South Sioux City, Nebraska.

A fitting tribute to Marilynn Larson and her girls is the following, written by a grateful Morningside College administrator:

"In this day of practicalities I find it very pleasurable to be transported to that marvelous land where miracles can still be wrought...the Morningside Communications Center. I hope that we all remain appreciative of the extra hard work that you and your wonderful team of girls produce, and that we never take your miracles for granted."

## Sports Recap . . . Trackmen Shine

#### TRACK

Although short on numbers, the Morningside track squad was long on talent during the 1972 spring campaign as the Chiefs galloped through major meets with victory after victory. Headed by sophomore sprinter Freeman Berry and All-American Mickey Everett, the Chiefs put together a formidable team in the sprints and relays.

Berry turned in a :9.7 clocking enroute to winning his second straight North Central Conference 100-yard dash title and came back to win the 220-yard crown in :21.9 on a muddy track in Grand Forks, N.D. The lanky sprinter had earlier won crowns in five other races including the first running of the A.R. Van Wyngarden Relays hosted by Morningside. He posted an outstanding :21.3 at that event.

The Chiefs finished 1-3-4 in the 100 at the NCC meet with sprinters Mark Bigler and Bill Asprey nearly giving the Chiefs a sweep. They combined with Everett and Berry to give Morningside one of the best 440-yard relay teams in the midwest — winning in the Iowa College Division of the Drake Relays, winning at the Howard Wood Relays, and taking the NCC Championship.

Freshman Delbert Christensen set a school record in the mile with a 4:25.7 clocking, and the 880-yard relay team set a school mark of 1:27:7 at the Kansas Relays. Another record was established in the long jump when Bigler surpassed the conference mark with a leap of 23-11½, but missed the conference title and the new conference record by ¼ inch.

#### BASEBALL

Struggling to a 5-17-1 record, the Morningside baseball team had trouble at the plate and saw half of its losses occur by two runs or less.

Despite a 2-8-1 conference record, the Chiefs had three of the top pitchers in the NCC in Rex Johnsrud (2-0, 1.86 ERA), Dave Andros (1.80 ERA), and Lee Westergaard (2.25 ERA).

### Football Flight

Morningside alumni are being given an opportunity to help the Maroon Chiefs open the 1972 football season on September 9 when they battle Tennessee Tech University in Cookville, Tenn.

Athletic Director R. D. "Dewey" Halford has announced that seats are available on the DC 9 charter jet that will transport the team from Sioux City on the morning of the game. The round-trip flight to Nashville, Tenn., bus trip to and from the game site, and ticket to the contest are included in the \$50 package.

The game will be played at 7:30 p.m. Immediately following the contest, the team and fans will be bused to Nashville and will fly

back to Sioux City the same night.

Reservations for the trip will be processed on a first-come, firstserved basis. Those alumni interested in the Football Flight are asked to write: R. D. "Dewey" Halford, Athletic Department, Morningside College, Sioux City, Iowa 51106.

#### 1972 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE (home games in bold type)

Sept. 9 - Tennessee Tech University, Cookville, Tenn., 7:30 p.m.

Sept. 16 - SOUTHWEST MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY, 7:30 p.m. (SHRINE NIGHT)

Sept. 23 - University of Nebraska-Omaha, Omaha, Nebr., 1:30 p.m. Sept. 30 - North Dakota State University, Fargo, N.D., 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 7 - UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA, 1:30 p.m. Oct. 14 - UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA, 7:30 p.m.

(HOMECOMING)

Oct. 21 - University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls, Ia., 1:30 p.m. Oct. 28 - MANKATO STATE COLLEGE, 1:30 p.m.

Nov. 4 — AUGUSTANA COLLEGE, 1:30 p.m.

Nov. 11 — South Dakota State University, Brookings, S.D., 1:30 p.m.

Outfielder Mike Pomerenke led the Morningside attack and was named to the All-NCC team. Pomerenke (.300), pitcher-infielder Westergaard (.333), freshman Rod Nordstrom (.320), and Mike Snyders (.304) were among the leading hitters in the conference.

Next year should be a different story for the baseball Chiefs they lost only catcher Dave Dittmer through graduation.

#### TENNIS and GOLF

The Morningside tennis team ran up a fine 5-3 record against strong opposition. Junior Larry Mason charted a 7-1 dual meet record and led the Chiefs to wins over Northwestern College (twice), Westmar, Briar Cliff and Augustana.

The golf squad posted a 2-2-1 dual meet chart including wins over Westmar and Briar Cliff. Dennis Cmelik led the Morningside team with an average of 75.4 strokes.

#### **SMOKE SIGNALS**

Morningside will be the site of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics' National Wrestling Tournament in Sioux City on March 8-10, 1973, in Allee Gymnasium. Morningside coach Arnold Brandt will be the tournament director. The three-day affair will attract approximately 400 of the best wrestlers in the nation and will focus the national wrestling spotlight on the campus . . . Recruiting was the big item for football and basketball during the spring months. Football mentor Dewey Halford has signed 23 top high school and junior college athletes to letters of intent for the coming season . . . Basketball coach Chuck Obye has inked six prospects including a pair of guards that averaged nearly 30 points each per game. Also included is a 6-6 forward and a 6-4 junior college forward.

The goals of the Women's Liberation movement are well-known at Morningside College and in Sioux City. — primarily through the efforts of the Sioux City Women's Diberation Group. One of the group's organizers is the author of the article below. She is Ms. Rochelle Stefanson, wife of Morningside English professor Dr. Donald Stefanson and an artist of many talents. Holder of an M.F.A. degree from the University of Iowa, Ms. Stefanson is a creative writer, painter (she will present a one-woman show at the Sioux City Art Center in December), and printer. She and her husband are the possessors of a fully equipped print shop where Rochelle sets type and runs the press in the printing of her own poetry. She has found time to take courses at Morningside and to teach writing to Indian children through the auspices of Siouxland Indians, Inc. She will teach an upper level seminar dealing with women's liberation this fall at Morningside.

Of the many changes demanded by women in the last few years, one of the strangest to many people is the demand to replace Miss and Mrs. with Ms. Both are traditional titles of respect, and even people who grant the justice of "equal pay for equal work" are puzzled by the use of Ms. Yet, in spite of the current resistance, the Ms. title will replace Miss and Mrs. because if women are to be considered equal to men, they need a form of address that will express that equality.

Does Miss or Mrs. refer to a woman? Not really; such titles refer to a condition as our dictionary reveals. "Miss, the conventional title of respect for an unmarried woman, prefixed to the name; (Without the name) a term of address to an unmarried woman; a young unmarried woman; a girl." Mrs. is "short for mistress; a title prefixed to the name of a married woman."

The point I am trying to make with all these definitions and titles is that a man with his title of Mr. is always a person of a distinct nature. That is, he is someone who may or may not be married. But a woman is identified as married or unmarried by Mrs. or Miss. Her identity is linked exclusively to whether or not she is attached or not to a man. Ms. is a title which would indicate "female" and nothing more or less, but I did not find this abbreviation in the dictionary.



Rochelle Stefanson, looking not at all like the popular stereotype of the woman's libber, answers a reporter's question at the site of a display of women's liberation literature in Morningside's library. Most of the literature is from her collection.

Ms. is being adopted as a standard form of address by women who want to be recognized as individuals. For more than twenty years, Ms. has appeared in secretarial handbooks as the suggested form of address when a woman's marital status is unknown; a sort of neutral combination of Miss and Mrs. To my mind, Ms. at last provides woman with an identity. It signifies a female human being. It's symbolic, and important. There's a lot in a name.

Like Mrs. and Miss, the term Women's Liberation creates difficulty as it denotes and connotes something different to each person. Names, titles, labels present problems to any organization, especially ours, which was inspired by the grand concepts of the women's liberation movement. When our group was formed in September, 1970, members at the time were not opposed to the title — Sioux City Women's Liberation Group. A year and a half later, we find ourselves a new and larger group with the question being raised — should we change our name?

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# Potpourri | A Summary

#### TWO NEW BOARD MEMBERS NAMED . . .

James H. Gerkin, president of the Gerkin Company of Sioux City, and Frank A. Major, president of Major Corporation of Chicago, have been elected to Morningside's board of directors.





MR. GERKIN

MR. MAJOR

A Sioux City native and 1951 graduate of Morningside, Mr. Gerkin is well known for his leadership in community organizations. He is a former president of the College's Alumni Association and a recipient of the Sioux City Jaycees' Distinguished Service Award.

Mr. Major heads a manufacturing corporation which has grown to a four-plant operation in the past ten years. He has served as chairman of the Chicago Chapter of the Young Presidents' Organization.

Mr. Gerkin and Mr. Major replace Ernest Raun who retired from board service after 29 years and R. G. "Honie" Rogers who ended a 13-year term on the board. Both men were voted Directors of Honor and thus may attend future board meetings.

The Morningside board at its April meeting approved the appointment of James Walker, '70, as co-ordinator of the efforts of a long range planning committee to include representatives of the College's student body, faculty, board of directors, and the Sioux City community.



Youngsters at a Sioux City grade school are obviously involved in the poem being read to them by John Ciardi. Internationally recognized as a poet, scholar and journalist, Mr. Ciardi spent three days on the Morningside campus in April. He presented lectures, met informally with Morningside students and writers' groups, and met with the grade-schoolers where he worked in a field of special interest to him — children's literature.

## PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR AWARD SHARED . . .

Dr. John Lawrence and Prof. Jon Lewis were joint recipients of the "Professor of the Year" award at the annual Honors Day convocation.

Dr. Lawrence, associate professor of philosophy, has been a member of Morningside's faculty since 1966 and was a leader in the formulation of the new curriculum plan.

Mr. Lewis, assistant professor of biology and a second year member of the faculty, will take a year's leave of absence to complete work on his Ph.D. in biochemistry from the University of Kansas.

The Professor of the Year award was made by the membership of LASS and Blue Key scholastic honorary societies.

#### PROJECT AWARENESS WORKS WITH SCHOOL SYSTEM . . .

Project Awareness, the studentoperated drug information program at Morningside, continued its active program of education to all age groups during the scholastic year.

The students, under the supervision of psychology professor Dr. Earl Moore, developed special programs and public media messages about drug use. Perhaps the best known program involved teaching grade school youngsters in three Sioux City public schools. The kids created posters and radio spots. Awards went to the best entries. The grade school program was carried out by three students — Jean Farley of Sioux City, Larry Bayless of Sioux City, and Michael Coborn of Des Moines.

# of Campus News...

#### A definition . . .

"Liberal education leads people to a human community in which the infinite variety of species is an endless delight, and in which people can respond to each other in peace, in kindness, in quiet strength. Liberal education looks beyond confrontation to intended goals. It does not confuse ends with means, and seeks ultimately the humane goals of peace on earth, good will among men. Confrontation is the means; understanding and accommodation the ends."

-Dean Raymond Nelson, in an Honors Day address

#### NEW DAY TOURS SEVEN STATES . . .

The New Day — a singing group composed of five Morningside students — began a tour of United Methodist churches and camps shortly after the close of the school year. They have engagements in Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Kentucky, Illinois, Missouri and Tennessee on a tour lasting through July 2.

The New Day is sponsored by the Religious Life Council of the College. They have performed in area churches for two years.

Members of the group are Jackie Gandy of Webster, S.D.; Nancy Lemke of Dows, Iowa; Al Ricks of Afton, Iowa; Dennis Schackel of Worthington, Minn.; and Steve Sparks of Sioux City.

#### MORNINGSIDE PROFESSOR HONORED . . .

Dr. Phillip Rice, assistant professor of psychology, was named Outstanding Religious Leader at the Sioux City Jaycees' annual Distinguished Service Awards Banquet.

A member of Morningside's faculty since 1969, Dr. Rice was cited for the special courses he has held for Sioux City ministers.

### DEBATERS FINISH WITH OUTSTANDING RECORD . . .

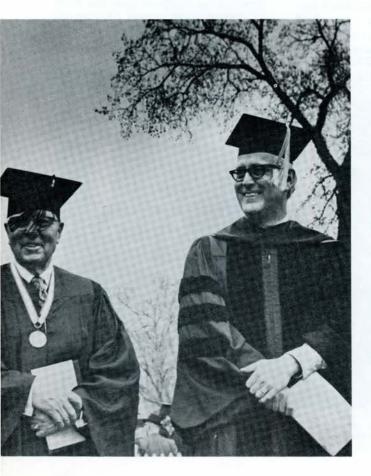
When Mike Ellwanger of Sioux City and Mike Neu of Urbandale, Iowa, graduated this spring, they left an impressive array of trophies at Morningside — trophies accumulated over a four-year career as a debate team.

Ellwanger and Neu developed into one of the nation's finest debate duos and accomplished their top feat during the second term of the school year just ended when they won the championship trophy in two successive tournaments. First came the top prize in the University of Nebraska tourney. A week later, Ellwanger and Neu took first place in the prestigious Northwest Debate Tournament at St. Thomas College of Minneapolis.



Morningside's Concert Choir, directed by Dr. James Wood, is shown during the singing of an anthem at the Easter Sunrise Service on the grounds of Walter Reed Army Hospital in Washington, D.C. The Washington appearance was a highlight of the choir's spring tour of eleven eastern states.





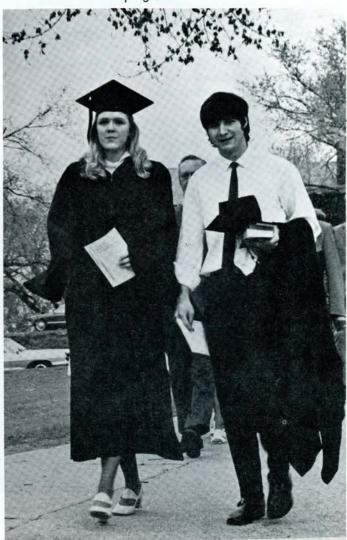
## The Many Faces of

Several aspects of Morningside's busy Commencement Weekend are captured in the photographs on this double page.

At the left, Supreme Court Justice Harry Blackmun talks with Morningside Student President Ed Johnson outside Eppley Auditorium following the baccalaureate program. Obviously enjoying the relaxed atmosphere on campus, the Justice conversed with many people attending the various programs — from parents of students to justices of the lowa Supreme Court.

In the lower left picture, R. G. "Honie" Rogers (at the left) and board chairman Bruce Crary greet well-wishers following commencement. Mr. Rogers, a former basketball coach and member of the College's board of directors, was awarded membership in the Order of Morningside — an honor reserved for those who have rendered distinguished service to the College over a period of years.

In the picture below, the commencement day is over for graduates Bev Weseman of Paullina, Ia., and Dennis Besley of Freeport, Ill., as they join the throng leaving Allee Gymnasium, site of the commencement program.



## Commencement ...



The four recipients of Distinguished Service Awards from the Morningside Alumni Association view the map of the campus in the Commons building. They are (from left) Dr. Eugene Emme, '41, historian for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Stanley Greigg, '54, deputy to the chairman of the Democratic National Committee; Dr. Leon Hickman, '22, retired executive vice president of Aluminum Company of America and former longtime chairman of the Morningside board; and Dr. Roger Burgess, '50, president of the Council of Secretaries of the United Methodist Church.



Dr. James Van Peursem, '22, proved a spirited leader of the songfest which closed the Alumni Reunion Luncheon. Dr. Van Peursem, a member of the 50-year class, stood on a chair to assure the attention of the alumni.

The number 22 was prominent at commencement as 22 members of the Class of '22 attended special events in their honor, including a dinner at the home of President and Mrs. Thompson where the picture below was taken. Class members are (from left), seated; Golda Kane Moser of Crestline, Calif.; Beatrice Spangler Raun of Storm Lake, Ia.; Ruth M. Wedgwood of Sioux City; Esther Walters Bashaw of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Blanche Smith Wilson of Wauwatosa, Wisc.; Edna Bekins Moorhead of Moorhead, Ia.; and Eva Shelton Smith of Terril, Ia. Standing: Elmer F. Rankin of Phoenix, Ariz.; Lola Heikes Flack of Lincoln, Nebr.; James Van Peursem of Richmond, Ky.; Arthur Schuldt of Spirit Lake, Ia.; Zazel Mary Kane Waggoner of Los Angeles, Calif.; Lloyd Scheerer of Des Moines, Ia.; Marlowe Evans of Sioux City; Dorothy D. Skewis of Storm Lake, Ia.; Leon Hickman of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Zaidee Stanford Brewer of Early, Ia.; Hillis Lory of Fairfax Station, Va.; Park Moorhead of Moorhead, Ia.; Ira Gwinn of Sioux City; and Mary Decker Benz of Athens, Ohio.



# Ma. from page 7

Recently we spent an entire evening session discussing other possible euphemisms that would be comprehensive and yet non-offensive, especially to women. For it is true that many women, even in Sioux City, feel aligned with the goals of women's liberation yet will not attach themselves to the movement in any visible way for fear of being dubbed a "braburner."

Many women will say, "Yes, I believe women are equal human beings who deserve equal pay, equal job opportunities," and "Yes, I agree that we need child-care centers and that women should make their own social and political decisions," but, "No, I'm not for women's liberation." Why? Because the term connotes crazy bra-burners to them, an image which has been projected onto the movement by the male-dominated media.

According to Gloria Steinam, in fact, no bra ever got burned. "Women protesting the Miss America contest in 1968 threatened to burn a bra, just as, earlier, suffragists burned corsets," she says. Both bra and corset are symbols of the crazy notion that women's identities rest on their outsides more than their insides. But the women didn't actually burn the bra because they couldn't get a fire permit . . . And yet even now, four years later, male reporters write about that supposed bra-burning every day."

Some women think "Human Liberation" might be a more acceptable label, for it is true that freedom from sexual stereotyping would indeed enable men and women to be more human and less involved or concerned with the restrictive roles which deem us masculine or feminine. Too many men are restricted and dehumanized by foolish ideas of masculinity. Substitute the words women and femininity, and the same holds true. But somehow this term is too

general. It doesn't motivate either men or women to change their attitudes or behavior.

Our group also gave much thought to the name "Feminists." Feminism is the doctrine advocating extension of the activities of women in social and political life. However, The Feminists in New York strongly oppose marriage and stated, in the winter of 1969: "All the discriminatory practices against women are patterned and rationalized by this slavery-like practice. We can't destroy the inequities between men and women until we destroy marriage. We must free ourselves. And marriage is the place to begin." No matter how true that may be, to many of us, especially those of us who are indeed married, "Feminists" does not strike a pleasant chord.

"Women's Rights" was another possible choice, but that sounded too exclusive. dogmatic, "Women, Inc." alienated the men and children. "OOW" for Organized and Oppressed Women might really wound egos and puncture personalities. "VOW" for Voice of Women appealed to some of us. The discussion included a wide range of different names, but many of us still believe a "rose is a rose is a rose," and if women can liberate themselves and be liberated also, then, ultimately, men and children will be liberated, so that we may truly say America is for liberty, equality, and eternity.

A definition of liberty in my faithless dictionary reads "freedom from control, interference, obligation and restriction, hampering conditions, etc.; power or right of doing, thinking, speaking, etc. according to choice." If there are not more women involved in the women's liberation movement than there are presently (no statistic is available), perhaps it is because they have not escaped their own historical trap, their own psychological and economic slavery

which keeps them bound to a certain ascribed role in society.

What I'm getting at here is that women cannot, for the most part, operate independently of men because they often do not have sufficient economic freedom. What is sufficient? Sufficient is enough so that a woman can feel that she has some worth as a person, so that she is not dependent or contingent on something else for existence.

How many women have never worked in their lives? None, I think, for even women who have been labeled "housewives" have been toiling at chores or caring for children but without remuneration. If they were to receive recompense how much more confident they would be that what they do is significant.

I am an imaginative writer. That is, I feel most comfortable when I am creating poems or short stories or novels. My recognition thus far has been appearance in small unknown magazines, but the greatest pleasure I experienced was last December (1971) when I was invited to read my poetry at a festival for money as well as applause. I know that this feeling is perhaps unique to me, but I also know that other women experience similar feelings and are able to comprehend what I mean. That's why I am delighted that I will be teaching a course next fall at Morningside College on the subject of women's liberation.

I will still be writing, painting, and printing, for these interests are the first concerns in my life, but I will also be gaining sufficient economic freedom. Sufficient, remember, in relation to my personal needs. As a woman, you may have different needs and ideas on the subject of women's liberation. I have many more than what I have put down here, but it is written, and it represents a minute piece in the large puzzle of women's liberation.

## Alumni Profiles | Mary Clark and Edna Robbins

Editor's note . . .

Research on a Student Initiated Experience project during the semester break led to a meeting between two Morningsiders — Mrs. Mary Clark, '28, and Steve Bean, '72. A part-time photographer for the College's public relations department, Mr. Bean volunteered a picture of Mrs. Clark and was asked to write some lines about her. His story appears below.



Mary Kees Clark, '28, leafs through a new book in the library of the Mental Health Institute of Cherokee, lowa, where she has been chief librarian for 30 years.

Mrs. Mary Clark will soon celebrate her 30th anniversary as librarian of the Health Services Library of the Mental Health Institute of Cherokee, Iowa.

Known during her college days as Mary Kees, she majored in English at Morningside and taught both primary and secondary grades in public schools before taking on her present responsibilities. She and her husband, who has retired from his hardware business, now reside in Ashton, Iowa.

Because the Cherokee hospital is also a training facility, its library is an integral part of the total program. Psychologists and psychiatrists join students in using the library's vast holding of medical literature in their research.

Obviously enjoying her work immensely, Mrs. Clark is able to meet a variety of people and to enrich her own knowledge of developments in medicine. "Working here I feel I am making good use of my Morningside education," she says.

An avid reader of **The Morning-sider**, Mary Clark stays in touch with former classmates and takes pride in the new programs at Morningside. Commenting on the S.I.E. program (See the March, 1972 issue), she said: "I think it is wonderful that today's students have more freedom in their college programs. The opportunities for students to engage in practical day-to-day experience away from the classroom should prove invaluable."

Although her school days ended some 40 years ago, Mrs. Clark is playing an important part in to-day's Morningside curriculum. She is enthusiastically aiding the current crop of Morningside students who come to her library as part of their learning experiences.

Edna Robbins is one member of the Class of 1922 who did not return to Morningside's campus for the 50-year reunion — but not because she didn't want to. Arthritis caused her confinement to a wheelchair some 20 years ago, and in recent years she has been unable to travel from her home in Linn Grove, Iowa.

Mrs. Robbins (the former Edna Gaffey) has led an active life in spite of her handicap, and it is a life that we felt should be written about in **The Morningsider**.

She and her husband, Charles, were involved in farming and the operation of a hatchery for over 30 years. They celebrated 51 years of marriage in April of this year.

Although unable to physically travel to places of interest, Edna Robbins is able to span the world with the opening of a book. The book is filled with postcards which she has collected since arthritis became her constant companion in 1933. She has amassed over 10,000 postcards from Iowa alone.

Collecting cards is more than a hobby for Mrs. Robbins. It is a way to "get out" and to meet other people without ever leaving her home. She has built an army of friends through her correspondence with other postcard collectors, and usually writes several letters a day. "Cards are a lifeline from lonesome hours to many people — for friends are just as close as the nearest mailbox," Mrs. Robbins writes. "So many people I write to are in their 80's and often few letters come their way."

Cards are not the only objects of Mrs. Robbins' yen for collecting. She has a stamp collection and an assortment of china in what she calls "my private museum."

Her first love is her cards, however, as indicated in her letter to Morningside president Dr. Thomas S. Thompson in response to his invitation to the reunion of the Class of '22. Included with the letter was a postcard printed shortly after the turn of the century and depicting the Morningside campus which then included only two buildings.

## Class Notes...

#### 1910-19

CHARLES CUSHMAN, '11, was recently honored by members of the First Methodist Church of Miami, Fla., as he began his 60th year as the church's choir director. A fund has been established in his honor and will be used to equip a music room in a new sanctuary for the church. The room will be named the Cushman Room.

MRS. IRENE YEAGER, ex '24, has retired after serving eleven years on the staff of Chico State College of Chico, Calif. She served as head resident of a men's dormitory and was employed in the registrar's office and library. Mrs. Yeager's address is 325 lvy Street, Chico, Calif.

#### 1920-29

MRS. HAZEL HOY, '20, received a Distinguished Citizen Award at the annual banquet of the Vermillion, S.D., Development Company. Mrs. Hoy, wife of retired University of South Dakota athletic director Carl Hoy, was cited for her work with UNICEF and in teaching English to immigrants in a volunteer adult education program.

#### 1930-39

MRS. VIRGIL SHEPARD (MURIEL IRWIN, '32) has been elected president of the lowa Board of Public Instruction. She is the first woman to hold the office. She and her husband — a lawyer — reside in Allison, lowa, where she assists in the family law firm and is organist for the United Church of Christ.

DR. EVERETT TIMM, '36, has been elected vice president of the National Association of Schools of Music. Dr. Timm is dean of the school of music at Louisiana State University. His address is 465 Magnolia Woods, Baton Rouge, La. 70808.

#### 1940-49

WALTER L. HURD, JR., '40, has been reelected vice president of the American Society for Quality Control. Mr. Hurd is manager of product assurance in the Space Systems Division of Lockheed Missiles and Space Company of Sunnyvale, Calif. He is a Brigadier General in the U.S. Air Force Reserve.

FRANCIS JONES, '42, a high school coach in Northwest lowa for 25 years, recently announced his retirement from coaching. He will complete the school year at Webster City, lowa, High School where he is basketball coach. He plans to enter secondary school administration.

ROBERT W. SHAFFER, '42, has been named president of General Telephone Company of Illinois. He will move from California where he was a telephone company area manager to the headquarters of the Illinois Company in Bloomington.

FRANCIS KINGSBURY, '43, recently displayed his prize winning photographs of wildlife at the Sioux City Art Center. Mr. Kingsbury is a banker in Ponca, Nebr.

HAROLD BOMGAARS, ex '44, has been elected president of the Westy Organization, an association of Sioux City businessmen.

#### 1950-54

DR. RALPH WEAVER, '51, has been appointed superintendent of the South Sioux City, Nebr., Community School District. A former football coach at Sioux City's East High School, he received his doctorate in school administration at the University of South Dakota.

WILLIAM FOX, '51, and MRS. FOX (NANCY HUBBARD, '53) are teaching in San Bernadino, Calif. He is a football coach and she is teaching physical education. They have five children.

ALBERT E. SCOTT, '53, is on sabbatical leave from his teaching position at New Mexico Military Institute and is working toward an educational specialist degree in reading at Eastern New Mexico University. His address is P.O. Box 777, Roswell, New Mexico 88201.

CHARLES A. RUSH, '54, has been named chief accountant for Amoco Peru Oil Company. He is being transferred from London to Peru. Mr. Rush has been in the Standard Oil of Indiana organization since his graduation from Morningside.

SHERMAN W. "BILL" MC KINLEY, '54, is an accountant with the urban renewal department of the city of Sioux City. His address is 111 Fairview Drive, South Sioux City, Nebr.

DR. MANOU C. ATASH, '54, a Sioux City surgeon, became a citizen of the United States at naturalization proceedings in the U.S. District Court in April. Dr. Atash, who is in private practice with Dr. Donald Kivlighn, resides at 3923 Orchard St., Sioux City. He and his wife are natives of Iran. They have three children.

#### 1955-59

DON VAN DER WEIDE, '55, was again named state sales leader for lowa during the 1971 calendar year among representatives of New York Life Insurance Company. He and his wife and two children reside at 524 Dover Avenue, Orange City, Ia.

CHARLES E. DEERY, '57, has been appointed car merchandising manager at the Ford Motor Company's Omaha district sales office. He and Mrs. Deery (BARBARA PALMER, '58) live at 3312 S. 105th Avenue, Omaha, Nebr.

SHELBY JOHNSTON, ex '57, has joined the American Pop Corn Company in the area of field sales and merchandising. He resides at 1001 South St. Marys, Sioux City 51106.

RON AND BETTY (GRAHAM) DIRKS, both ex '58, are residing in Sioux City where he is president and general manager of the Sioux City Driving School. The Dirks and their six children live at 2410 Court Street.

NORM FALK, '58, has been named head basketball coach at the new North High School of Sioux City. He moves to the new school from Leeds High School, also in Sioux City.

JOHN MC CARTHY, '58, has received his master's degree in education from the University of Iowa. He resides at 1422 Summit Street, Sioux City.

RONALD MOHLER, ex '58, is manager of the Thermogas Company which serves Storm Lake and Ida Grove, Iowa. He and his wife and daughter reside at 724 Walnut, Storm Lake, Ia.

ARNOLD AND CAROLYN (EBEL) SCHANKE, both ex '58, reside in Westfield, New Jersey, where he is assistant advertising manager for the Woolco Company. Their address is 764 Warren Street, Westfield, N.J.

GARY HULST, '59, has been named assistant basketball coach at the University of Colorado. Mr. Hulst has been head coach at Montana State University for the past three seasons. His overall coaching record is 183 wins and 96 defeats.

#### 1960-64

GARY MITCHELL, '60, has been elected president of the Sioux City Education Association for a one-year term. Mr. Mitchell is a counselor at Hayworth Junior High School of Sioux City.

WALLY DELZELL, '60, has joined the office of Charles A. Cannon III of Sioux City as an administrative assistant. Mr. Delzell, his wife and three children reside at 1017 South Mulberry, Sioux City, Ia. 51106

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THOMAS CALE, '60, has been elected to the board of directors of the Grocery Manufacturers Sales Executives of Chicago. He and his wife and daughter live at 6703 Carpenter Court, Woodridge, III. Mr. Cale is associated with the Hormel Company.

ROBERT GOURLEY, '63,' has been promoted to vice-president of the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company of Winston-Salem, N.C. He and his wife and two children live at 421 Oaklaws Price Winston Salem

Oaklawn Drive, Winston-Salem.

DR. ROBERT R. MENTER, ex '63, has been appointed assistant professor of physical medicine and rehabilitation at the University of Colorado School of Medicine. Dr. Menter is a specialist in spinal cord injuries and recently completed a fellowship in spinal rehabilitation at Baylor University Medical Center in Houston.

JOHN S. SCOTT, '64, has been named law enforcement and judicial co-ordinator for the Sioux City Alcohol Safety Action Project. He has been taking graduate work at the University of South Dakota.

DR. JOHN A. CHALSTROM, ex '64, is now practicing medicine in Taylorville, III. Dr. Chalstrom, his wife and daughter live at 517 West Market Street in Taylorville.

GARY HOWARD, '64, has been named assistant controller at Iowa Public Service Company in Sioux City. He is working toward a master's degree at the University of South Dakota. He and his wife and two daughters live at 2401 South Olive, Sioux City, Ia. 51106

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MARTHA ARD, ex '64, was a featured soloist in the final presentation of the concert year by the Sioux City Symphony Orchestra Association. Miss Ard is working on her master's degree at the University of Arizona.

DWIGHT AMES, '63, is now Manager of the Taylor Food Service at Doane College in Crete, Nebraska.

#### 1965-69

RICH VANDERLOO, '65, will join the Cherokee, Iowa, school system this fall as head basketball coach at Washington High School. He will also assist in other sports and teach social studies. He leaves the Baldwin, Wisc., school system where his teams compiled a 32-11 record. His Cherokee address is 207 North 11th St.

GARY DAVIS, '65, has earned his Ph. D. in religion from the University of Iowa. Dr. Davis resides at 221 South Saunders, Maryville, Mo. 64468.

RAY R. SMITH, '66, is a social worker with the Clinton County Department of Social Services in Clinton, Ia. Mrs. Smith is a homemaker supervisor for the same office. They reside at 846 Gateway Court, Apt. 7, Clinton, Ia.

DR. LARRY HEIKES, '66, is teaching in the Fiji Islands as a member of the Peace Corps. He earned his Ph.D. in chemistry at the University of Nebraska where he studied under a fellowship from the National Science Foundation. His address is Box 1168, University of the South Pacific, Suva, Fiji.

RICHARD A. PETERS, '67, is now a general agent for the National Travelers Life Company. He and his wife and two sons reside at 3231

Court Street, Sioux City.

REV. JOHN HARMS and MRS. (CONNIE) HARMS, both '67, will return to the United States this summer from England where Rev. Harms has been carrying out a research project funded by a grant from the University of Cambridge. Mrs. Harms has been teaching at the air base in Cambridge.

DR. STEPHEN YOUNGBERG, '68, received his medical degree from the University of lowa in May and will begin his internship on July 1 at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn.

KENNETH KUCHEL, '68, has been named executive director of the Woodbury County Action Agency headquartered in Sioux City. Mr. Kuchel for three years had been employed by Mid-Sioux Opportunity Corp. of Remsen, Ia.

ROGER NICOLAISEN, '68, has received his M.B.A. degree from the University of Iowa and is employed by the Union Pacific Railroad Company as a project analyst. His address is 5056 S. 86th Parkway, Apt. 9, Omaha, Nebr. GARY NASHLEANAS, '68, has joined New

York Life Insurance Company as a field underwriter. He lives at 1703 South Cecelia St. in

Sioux City.

DON MATHEWS, '68, is working as a juvenile parole officer for the state of Iowa. He and his wife, the former BARBARA RINGGEN-BERG, '68, live at 3232 Idlewild, Sioux City. They have an 8-month-old son.

GARY JONES, '68, received his C.P.A. certification recently and is employed as an auditor with Arthur Anderson and Company of Omaha. He and his wife, the former JUDITH MURPHEY, ex '70, live at 2820 South 99th, Omaha.

DAVID HAWKINS, '68, has been named head swimming coach at the new North High School in Sioux City. He moves from Hayworth Junior High School where he was a

physical education instructor.

PATRICK OKONKWO, '69, has been named to the faculty of General Motors Institute as an assistant professor of management. He moves to his new position in Flint, Mich., from Wellington, N.J., where he was employed by the Ford Marketing Corporation — a division of Ford Motor Co.

REV. GORDON CIVALIER, '69, has been ordained into the Catholic priesthood at Trinity Cathedral in Trenton, N.J. The ceremony of ordination was performed by the Right Reverend Alfred Banyard, Bishop of New Jersey.

LYLE OLHAUSEN, '69, has been promoted to the new accounts department of the Security National Bank of Sioux City. He resides at 1002 South Rustin, Sioux City.

GORDON HUSETH, '69, is employed as an auditor by Arthur Anderson and Co. of Omaha. He received his C.P.A. certification in February.

#### 1970-71

S. RON OLIVER, '70 has been named director of the new computer center at Wayne State College of Nebraska. He is completing work for his master's degree at the University of Kansas.

RUSTY MAYES, '70, is a corrections agent with the state training school in Red Wing, Minn. His address is Apt. 206, 2127 Twin Bluff Road, Red Wing, Minn. 55066.

TERRY LINDUSKI, '70, is assistant to the treasurer of Postal Finance Company of Sioux City. He and his wife, Linda, have one son. TERRY HUSETH, '71, has joined his father

in the Huseth Sales Company of Sioux City. He resides at 2544 S. Coral, Sioux City, Ia. 51106.

ROBERT WATKINS, '71, is a chaplain's assistant with the U.S. Army serving Fort Shafter and Fort DeRussy in Hawaii. He and his wife, the former MARCIA DRAPER, '71, live at 243 Liliuokalani Ave., Apt. 108, Honolulu, Hawaii.

TIM JACKES, '71, has completed eight weeks of basic training at the U.S. Army Training Center at Fort Polk, La. GREG IMWIEHE, '71, has been assigned to

the Madigan General Hospital at Tacoma, Wash., as a personnel specialist in the U.S. Army. He was last stationed at Fort Sam Houston in Texas.

GARY FRIDLEY, '71, was a member of the orchestra which performed at the silver anniversary convention of the American String Teachers Association in Atlanta in March. Mr. Fridley is a string teacher and orchestra director for the Sioux City Public School system.

KERRY FRAMPTON, '71, has been named

administrative assistant for the Alcohol Safety Action Program in Sioux City. He works with the project budget and provides liaison between the project director and the several program co-ordinators.

STEVEN SPEICHINGER, '71, has completed a personnel specialist course at Keesler Air Force Base in Mississippi. Airman Speichinger has been assigned to Ellsworth Air Force Base in South Dakota for duty with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

DENNY BLATCHFORD, '71, has joined Don Severeide Realtors of Sioux City as a salesman.

### In Memoriam . . .

DANIEL P. MAHONEY, '12, former president of the Sioux City Brick and Tile Co., died in early May at the age of 83. Mr. Mahoney spent nearly 60 years in the clay products industry and was a consultant and advisor to the brick industry on a nationwide basis. He served as president of two firms other than his own Sioux City business and was chairman of the board of similar firms in Iowa and Minnesota. He was a trustee of Morningside from 1912 to 1937, first chairman of the Sioux City Community Chest drive, a 32nd degree Mason and longtime member of United Methodist Churches in Sioux City. Survivors include the widow, two sons and a daughter. A scholarship in his name is being established at the College.

H. A. JACOBSEN, trustee emeritus of Morningside and the man for whom the Jacobsen Computer Center was named, died in April at the age of 76. Mr. Jacobsen was co-founder and chairman of the board of Sioux Tools, Inc. of Sioux City. He was a pioneer organizer of the Sioux City United Fund and past president of the Chamber of Commerce. He was named national winner of a Good Citizenship Award in 1970. He headed Morningside's Fine Arts Building Fund Drive and made the Jacobsen Computer Center a reality through his generous gift to the College. Survivors include

the widow and two sons.

EVA L. FAIR, ex '08, died in March in Burbank, Calif., at the age of 84. Funeral services were held in North Hollywood, Calif. Survivors include a sister, Mrs. D. L. Young (Emma Fair, '05).

JULIA A. ROYSE, '09, a retired teacher in Muskegon Heights, Mich., died at the age of 86 at a Muskegon Heights nursing home. Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Mary Held of Hinton, Iowa. Memorials may be made to the Memorial Fund of Temple United Methodist Church of Muskegon Heights.

REV. WALTER ELLISON, '12, died in February at Imperial Beach, Calif. A memorial service was held at the Imperial Beach United Methodist Church.

BARRETT P. DOLLIVER, '12, died in May at Armour, South Dakota. He was 84. Funeral services and burial were at White Lake, S.D.

MRS. W. B. CLIMENTSON (PEARL CAMP-BELL, ex '12) died at the age of 80 at a Sioux City nursing home. She had resided in Sioux City since 1923.

L. ERTEL STONEBRAKER, ex '15, a former Sioux City teacher, died at the age of 87. She taught in several Sioux City junior high schools before retiring in the early 1960s and moving to a Canton, S.D., nursing home. Funeral services and burial were at Sioux

MRS. THERON F. PEEL (ONA BELLE MARSH, ex '17) died in March in McMinnville, Oregon, where she had resided with a daughter for the past four years.

LAVINA DRAGOO, ex '20, a retired Cedar Rapids, Iowa, school teacher, died at the age of 79 at a Sioux City hospital. She had lived in Pierson, Iowa, following her retirement from a 30-year teaching career.

MRS. EDWIN H. MORSCH (Mabel Rutledge, ex '22) died in February at her home in Bentley, Alberta, Canada. Her husband is among the survivors.

MRS. CHARITY (BEKINS) SMITH, '24, died in April at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

E. WIGHT BAKKE, ex '25, one of the nation's leading authorities on industrial and personnel relations, died in November at his home. He was Sterling Professor of Economics at Yale University at the time of his death. He had been a member of the Yale faculty since 1932 and was a former director of the school's Labor and Management Center. A native of Onawa, Iowa, he served as pastor of a Methodist church while a student at Yale. He has co-authored ten books and has served as a consultant to departments and boards of the federal government in the field of labor relations. Survivors include his wife, the former Mary Sterling, ex '25, a daughter and two

RALPH W. BASTIAN, '29, president of Mac-Donald's Vitamized Feed Company, died at the age of 65 at a Fort Dodge, lowa, hospital. He was immediate past president of the lowa State Bar Association and past president of the Iowa Elks Association. He was a past Republican chairman of Iowa's 6th Congressional District and a former delegate to the party's national convention. Survivors include the widow.

GORDON FOGG, '29, a former Sioux City resident and grandson of Edwin C. Peters, pioneer Morningside area developer, died in Dallas, Texas, at the age of 62. He was a member of the American Bar Association and was a Baptist Church deacon in Dallas. Survivors include the widow and one son.

ROBERT S. THOMAS, '32, died in March. Funeral services and burial were at Westminster, California.

MARIE DOEKSEN, '33, died in February. She had resided in Sioux City.

SAM GARMIRE, ex '36, died of injuries sustained in an automobile accident in February. He had resided in Walla Walla, Wash.

ARNOLD W. STEINBRENNER, ex '36, died in January in Lexington, Kentucky. He had worked for 36 years for Huntington Laboratories, Inc. His father was the Rev. S. C. Steinbrenner, chairman of Morningside's language department for many years. Survivors include the widow (the former June Spencer), a daughter and a son.

LYLE J. GALUSHA, '51, died in Spokane, Washington, at the age of 56. He was employed as a field representative for the Social Security Administration in Spokane. Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Viola Livermore of Sioux City. Funeral services and burial were at Spokane.

ESTHER BACON, '57, a medical missionary in Liberia for 31 years, died at the age of 56. She reportedly died of a rare form of African fever and was buried in Zorzor, Liberia, where she had lived more than half her life. Her missionary work was supported by the Lutheran Church in America.

## Wee Morningsiders . . .

To Mr. and MRS. Robert Lundquist (JO-ANNE SCHNELL, '60), Route 3, Cherokee, Iowa, a son, Kent Michael, born September 21, 1971. The Lundquists have two other sons, Allan Scott, age 6,, and John Robert, age 4.
To MR., '65, and MRS. STEPHEN HOUSTON

(JUDY HULL, '65) Dow City, Iowa, a daughter,

Carmen Merie, born January 29, 1972. To MR., '56, and MRS. JACK D. POMMREHN (JANET GOETTSCH, '65) 2585 S. Dahlia, Denver, Colorado 80207, a daughter, Jill Suzanne, born March 1, 1972. She joins brother, Jay

Stanford, two years old.

To DR., ex '64, and Mrs. JOHN A. CHALSTROM, 517 West Market Street, Taylorville, Illinois 62568, a daughter, Ann Catherine,

born January 1, 1972.

To MR., '70, and Mrs. ROBERT BARRETT, 1115 Hiawatha Avenue, Hopkins, Minnesota 55343, a son, Jason Robert, born November 19, 1971.

To Mr. and MRS. LONNIE HANSON (PA-TRICIA DAVIS, '66) Quimby, Iowa, a daughter, Cara Lynn, born May 20, 1971. She has a "big" sister, Cherie who is 21/2.

To Mr. and MRS. GERALD WARRENDER (MARCIA DAVIS, '64), Box 141, Washta, Iowa, a daughter, Heather Lea, born June 24, 1971.

To MR., '65, and MRS. MEL WHEELER (PAM KNEELAND, '67) 217 W. Territorial, Battle Creek, Michigan 49015, a daughter, Tiphanny Michelle, born February 4, 1972.

To MR., '69, and MRS. RODNEY NICOLAI-SEN (BARBARA NEWMAN, '69) 4310 Morningside Avenue, Sioux City, a daughter, Sherry Lynn, born April 4, 1972. To MR., '60, and Mrs. ROBERT DANFORTH,

Route 3, Elk River, Minnesota 55330, a daughter, Jennifer Carole, born December 24, 1971.

To REV., '65, and MRS. RON NEUMANN (CAROL SANDERS, '65) 9636 Gage Street, Elk Grove, California, a daughter, Kimberly Michelle, born January 20, 1972, and adopted February 25, 1972. She joins Todd Charles,

To REV., '68, and Mrs. BENJAMIN HANG, P.O. Box 117, Libertyville, lowa, a daughter, Anna Marie, born February 23, 1972.

To MR. and Mrs. ROBERT GOURLEY, '63, 421 Oaklawn Drive, Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27102, a daughter, Caroline Burgin, born April 19, 1972. She joins brother, Bobby,

To MR., ex '63, and Mrs. DOUGLAS M. BROWN 5933 Telegraph Road, Los Angeles, California 90022, a daughter, Stacy Elizabeth,

born on April 9, 1972. To Mr. and MRS. MICHAEL HALLINAN (CHRISTINE LEONARD, '66) 700 S. Lashley Lane, Boulder, Colorado 80303, identical twin daughters, Kathleen and Maureen, born on St. Patrick's Day, March 17, 1972.

To MR., '69, and MRS. DAVID FEHR (PAM ERICSON, '69) West Bend, Iowa, a daughter, Dawn Renee, born November 21, 1970.

### Marriages . . .

Janet J. Easter RAY R. SMITH January 14, 1972, Letts, Iowa At Home: 846 Gateway Court, Apt. No. 7 Clinton, Iowa 52732

LYNDA LOU PETESEN, '70 Martin Edward Wales April 28, 1972, Onawa, Iowa At Home: 414 26th Street Sioux City, Iowa 51103

Kathy LeMaster LARRY W. BURT, '72 May 12, 1972, Morningside Lutheran Church Sioux City, Iowa At Home: 2709 S. Cornelia Street

SUSAN J. BUNCE, '71 DAVID J. FRASER, '71 April 15, 1972, Ames, Iowa At Home: 1024 Northwestern Avenue Ames, Iowa 50010

LAURA MUELLER WEHLAGE, '29 RICHARD SCHALEKAMP, ex '28 June, 1971, at Spirit Lake, Iowa At Home: Summer-Lake Okoboji, Iowa Winter-4919 Mineola Street Brandenton, Florida 33507

VICTORIA KELLY, '71 MILES C. KNUDSEN, '71 December 27, 1971, United Church of Christ Franklin, Nebraska At Home: 2054 South Clinton

Sioux City, Iowa 51106

## Do You Know?

In a feature started in the September, 1971, issue, The Morningsider is publishing names of alumni whose whereabouts are unknown to the Office of Alumni Relations. The names printed below are from the class roll of 1926. If you have any information about these people, please inform us. We want to keep them in touch with Morningside College. Write to: Office of Alumni Relations, Morningside College, Sioux City, Iowa 51106.

Floyd Barber Dora Bartlett O'Letha Bartley Henry N. Bassett Casper Benson Louis Bloom James Bolton Fave Dawson Booker Clyde Brant Milton Oliver Brown Merle Camerer Alva Clair Mary Alice Cole Bessie Corrington Eugenia Ellis (Mrs. Hugh Tudor) Howard Fedderson Mary Isabel Fletcher (Mrs. Donald Reid) Erma Faith Gibson Margaret Gordon Everett Gray Arabelle Gross (Mrs. George Robinson) Marie Mable Grossenburg Gretta Blanche Hagan Ella M. Helder William Hanson Ruth Hathaway (Mrs. Bruce Packard) Elizabeth Hayden (Mrs. W. T. Garvey)

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