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## COLLEGE EVENT FETES PARENTS

Parents day was celebrated Saturday, November 12th, on the Morningside College Campus, when more than 450 parents of students were guests of the college for campus tours, luncheon and an afternoon football game.

Highlight of the day's program was the pigskin battle between Morningside's Maroons and Central College of Pella, Ia. The campus visitors helped the student body cheer the Morningside team on to a 26 to 7 victory over the Central team.

More than 700 parents and students were served luncheon at Lillian E. Dimmitt Hall and the campus Barn Saturday noon. Dr. Earl A. Roadman, college president, introduced faculty members and singled out several of the visiting parents for special honor.

Gordon Lockard of Provo, Utah, father of Mary Jo Lockard, was recognized as the parent who traveled the longest distance, 1,000 miles, for the day's festivities. Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Brewer of Early, Ia., were cited as the couple with the most children at Morningside. Their children are Barbara, Carol and Bob Brewer.

The mother of Ken Bengford, sidelined Maroon guard, was honored as the mother present having the most children. Mrs. Bengford has 13 children.

Tours of the campus, during which the parents saw such recent additions as the Jones science hall and the nearly completed Allee fieldhouse, were conducted by students during the morning.

## DR. GRABER RECOGNIZED IN WHO'S WHO

Dr. Myron E. Graber, present dean of men and head of the physics department since 1919 at Morningside College, has received the distinction of being honored in both the International Who's Who, 48-49, and in The International Blue Book, 48-49. In the International Who's Who, the biography is printed in three languages, English, French and German. Dr. Graber is a member of the Mathematico Circulo Di Palermo, an exclusive Italian mathematical society.

## REGISTER FEATURES MORNINGSIDE

The photogravure section of the Des Moines Register for Sunday, November 6, carried a number of pictures of students at Morningside College.

## DEBATERS WIN SEVEN FIRSTS AT SAMPSON

Morningside's debaters were rated highest in seven of eight debates in competition at the Simpson College preseasonal debate tournament at Indianola, Ia. Members of the squad were Bob Eidsmoe, Nelson Price and Georgia Dandos, all of Sioux City and Eleanor Mohr of Terrill, Ia. Eight Iowa colleges and 75 debaters participated in the tournament.

## FOREIGN STUDENTS GIVE WORLD FAIR

An open house was held Sunday afternoon, November 6, in the student union building by members of the Cosmopolitan Club, whose membership of 38 includes 16 students from other lands who are enrolled in Sioux City colleges. The event is open to the public. On display were exhibits of handwork from various countries. A feature was foreign dancing and singing by students from other lands. The foreign born members of the club are from China, Malaya, Hawaii, Greece, Bolivia, Peru, Panama, Guatamala and Canada. The membership also includes Negroes, Indians and American born Japanese. The Morningside Cosmopolitan Club is a charter of Corda Fratres, the association of Cosmopolitan clubs of the United States. The local chapter was organized in 1926 and has been active since that time. Its purpose is to bring together persons of all nationalities for mutual benefit socially and intellectually and to stimulate international friendship. The officers of the club are Bernard R. Hensley, president; Charlene Stevens, vice president; Maurine Rathje, secretary, and Russell Rasmus, treasurer. Malcolm Katsumato, of Hawaii, is publicity director, and Clinton Burris, college librarian, is adviser to the group.

## ALUMNI REPRESENT COLLEGE AT INAUGURATONS

Mrs. Joseph Hopkins (Lou McCallum, '48) of New Wilmington, Pa. was the Morningside representative at the inauguration of W. W. Orr as the tenth president of Westminster College in New Wilmington, Pa. on October 14.

A letter to Dr. Roadman from Lyle L. Knudsen, '46, of Durham, N. C., states that he was present at the inauguration of Arthur Hollis Edens as the new president of Duke University on October 21 as the representative from Morningside.

Dr. Wm. Bruce Blackburn, '26, head of the psychology department at Marietta College at Marietta, Ohio, represented his Alma Mater on October 15 at the inauguration of President Irvine as the new head of Marietta College.

Robert C. Hempstead, '42, Springfield, Ohio, attended the inaugural ceremonies for Dr. Clarence C. Stoughton as president of Wittenberg College in Springfield on October 21. Present for the exercises were representatives of 230 schools and organizations.

## MORNINGSIDERS MEET IN DES MOINES

A Morningside reunion is held annually in Des Moines during the Iowa State Teachers Convention so that teachers in the Des Moines area and Morningsiders in the city can get together. This year a luncheon on Friday noon was enjoyed at the Standard Club, with Rolland and Mary Grefe, president and vice-president of the Des Moines alumni, in charge of arrangements. Although other luncheons required the attendance of many teachers, twenty-two Morningsiders were able to be present at our reunion. In the absence of Dr. Roadman, Prof. Russell Eidsmoe, head of the education department, briefed the group on the program and activities on the campus.

Officers elected for the coming year are Rev. Earl Josten, '26, president; Wilson Reynolds, '43, vice president and Miss Iris Anderson, '27, secretary. Tentative plans for an afternoon coffee hour instead of a luncheon were made for next year.

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**MORNINGSIDERS**

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Present for the luncheon were: Helen Rutledge Hufford, ex'28; Margaret Ferguson Luin, '23; Myrtle Geake, '48; Katherine Hughes, Iowa State Teachers; Mr. (ex'50) and Mrs. Robert Irwin (Charlene Goetschius, ex'46); Joyce Tronsrue Whitlow, '48; Mr. ('40) and Mrs. Rolland Grefe (Mary Cruikshank, '43); Rev. Earl Josten, '26; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Johnson (Helen Surber) both '25; Mildred Johnson Wilson, ex'30; Robert Kiepura, '32; Wilson B. Reynolds, '43; Douglas P. Beggs, ex'40; Mrs. C. C. Jones (Elsie Johnson, '15); from Sioux City, Prof. Russell Eidsmoe Miss Marjorie Walton and Miss Mildred Hoar, representatives of the Morningside Future Teachers, and Florence Kingsbury, alumni secretary.

**ENROLLMENT A PLEASANT SURPRISE**

A big drop in enrollment was expected. Instead, the enrollment this fall is practically the same as last year:

Regular students.....	1020
Evening session.....	102
Special students.....	34
Expected at mid-year.....	112

Total.....1268

**CAPTAIN HAKALA WRITES FROM JAPAN**

In a letter to the Morningside Blue Lodge No. 615, Captain Robert Hakala, '40, describes life at his army camp in Japan. Mrs. Hakala, '45, is the former Lucile Pippett.

"A lot has happened the past year. I now am located in Hokkaido, Japan. We are 3 miles from Sappora on Japan's northern most island. We have truly a nice camp and equal to anything found in the States. My wife joined me in March. We have a fine apartment. This is truly a beautiful part of Japan at any time of the year. I arrived here last year, about January 5th, and entered into a winter wonderland. We have fine skiing and winter sports which I enjoy. During the year we have any type of sports activity one would desire, from a fine 18-hole golf course to a 60-horse stable. We get to travel about a bit, roads permitting. We have our auto here, which is quite handy. Don Halverson, a Sioux City boy, is also here in our regiment; see him quite often. Lucile and I expect to return to the States sometime next year in April or May. I will have been gone about 2½ years. The first year was really tough, being in Korea, but this has been pretty near Stateside, our camp in Japan. The time goes swiftly, so fast one doesn't have enough time to do all one would like to do, as our work demands are so great."

**Dutchmen Fail to Gain**

Halfback Don Heller, (52) of Central was stopped cold in this play by Callahan (49) and Hohns (55) with Oscar Jones (43) coming up to lend a hand. Left to right in the picture: Maroons Burt Merriman (51) Floyd

Lindgren (78) and Hooks (49) on the ground. The Central players are Nisely (34) and Anderson (25). The familiar figure of the referee in the picture is Gerry Rosenberger, '38, of Omaha.

**MANY '49ERS ARE TEACHING**

Following are the alumni of the class of 1949 who started in new teaching positions this fall:

Gail Akeson, Marcus  
 Fred Ashley, Woodbine  
 Ann Barrett, Luverne, Minn.  
 Robert Bower, Osceola  
 Mary Lou Brand, Merville  
 Wm. Collopy, Kingsley  
 Donald Coome, Merrill  
 Eleanor Everett, Galva  
 Cleta Everson, Woodbine  
 Edith Fiderlick, Avon, S. D.  
 Forest (Jack) Fowler, Marshalltown  
 Milo Hall, Stanhope  
 Marilyn Hansen, Milford  
 Howard Harmon, Rock Valley  
 Janice Haupt, Maxwell  
 Phyllis Hensley, Lawton  
 Robert Horsfall, Durant  
 Gwyneth Johnson, Onawa  
 Don Kelsey, Plainview, Nebr.  
 Edward Kern, Sergeant Bluff  
 Henry Langstraat, Harris  
 Michael Loffredo, Rock Rapids  
 Howard McConnell, Pierson  
 Norma Jean McIntosh, Sioux City  
 Wm. Mesmer, Hinton  
 Marjorie Mugge, Ocheyedan  
 Patsye Olson, Audubon  
 John Palmolea, Rock Rapids  
 Ernest Parry, Luverne, Minn.  
 Russell Pederson, Coleridge, Nebr.  
 Ione Prescott, Sioux City  
 Don Protexter, Gruver  
 Lyla Rehnblom, Kiron  
 Wm. Sander, Primghar

Bonnie Schultz, Paullina  
 Leon Shortenhaus, Sanborn  
 Wm. Shugart, Cheyenne, Wyo.  
 Walter Spade, Bloomfield, Nebr.  
 Frank Starr, Laurens  
 Donna Tappan, Sulphur Springs  
 Ward Tappan, Sulphur Springs  
 Willard Top, Schleswig  
 Dick VanZanten, Inwood  
 Virginia Walker, Lake Mills  
 Raymond Wallace, Lytton  
 Chleo Weins, Sioux City  
 Mary Williams, Missouri Valley  
 Wayne Wise, Quimby  
 Dorothy Zimmerman Corkhill, Sioux City

**CAMPUS VISITORS**

Don D. Kelsey, '49, Plainview, Nebraska  
 Frances Forsberg Keiser, '41, 333 South Jefferson St., Neosho, Missouri  
 Major Morgan R. Harrison, '40, Headquarters Air Training Command, Scott A.F.B., Illinois  
 Mrs. Ted Forward (Marion Hempstead, ex'48), Sheldon, Iowa  
 Rev. S. A. Kruschwitz, '32, Denison, Iowa  
 Rev. Leslie B. Logan, '16, 2363 Forest St., Denver 7, Colorado  
 Daisy English Lovelace, '15, 1014 Montana, El Paso, Texas  
 Ray Lindhart, '30, Humboldt, Iowa  
 "Pete" Cropley, '49, Mason City, Iowa  
 Myrtle Geake, '48, Harlan, Iowa  
 Mr. ('11) and Mrs. H. Clifford Harper (Helen McDonald, '12), Sioux City  
 Celia Cole Asmussen, ex'30, Sioux City

## CALLAHAN AMONG NATION'S TOP PERFORMERS

Football fans in these parts have seen Connie Callahan play so many games his feats may seem commonplace, but if you look at the statistics you'll find the crack Morningside College halfback has an enviable record.

Through his Trinity high career and now for four seasons at Morningside, Connie has been dazzling football fans with his punting, passing and running. He's a real triple-threat performer. You try to stop his passing and he'll run you ragged on his pet "hidden ball" bootleg. You set up a defense to stop that and he'll rock you on your heels with a quick kick.

Incidentally, he's a master at the art of quick kicking. Time after time this season he has booted the ball over the defensive safety. Once he did it for 75 yards, the ball rolling dead on the enemy 1-yard line. Another time the punt went 67 yards and rolled dead on the 9-yard strip.

Connie, Morningside's candidate for Little All-American honors, cracked the two thousand mark in total net yardage gained this season.

Callahan amassed 227 yards against Quincy College Saturday night, November 19, to boost his grand total to 2,006 yards for the season. In the eleven games played by the Maroons this year, Connie has carried the ball 1,284 yards and passed for the remaining 722. He hurled 103 aeriels and completed 55 of them for an average of .544. His punting average has been among the nation's leaders; at the end of

the season it stands at 43.7 yards per boot. He placed second in the North Central Conference individual scoring standings with 36 points, and in nonconference tilts he picked up an additional ten touchdowns to raise his total to 96 points for the year.

Callahan was also a standout on defense. From the safety position, he intercepted several passes which he returned for considerable yardage. In the 660 minutes of football which were possible, Connie played 650.

Connie played his last intercollegiate game Saturday and will graduate next June. He has won four letters in the grid sport and has participated in intercollegiate baseball.

If Connie gets "little all-America" recognition this year, the reaction can only be that the honor is well deserved. If he doesn't, you can blame for the most part, the more or less geographic isolation of the North Central Conference.

## OUR THANKS FOR YOUR DUES

The response to the first general request for Alumni dues has been most encouraging. This is the first mailing that has been sent out to former Morningsiders since before the war. During the past few years dues have been collected at the Commencement and Homecoming dinners with the same faithful alumni paying every year. The dollar contributions which are arriving daily are boosting the somewhat depleted status of the treasury as well as the morale of the office staff.

## LOYAL ALUM DONATES PRINTING SERVICES

When Mr. ('11) and Mrs. Hal H. Hudson (Hazel Shumaker, '13) of Titusville, Fla., paid a visit to the campus this fall, Hal very generously offered to take care of any printing which might be needed in the Alumni office in the print shop which he has in connection with the publishing of the Titusville-Star Advocate. As you all know, printing these days is an expensive item in any office budget, and having cards and other memoranda printed free of charge has been a real service. The Alumni office staff wishes to express its appreciation to Hal and Hazel for their help.

## CAGERS DRILL FOR OPENING GAME

The Maroons will start their strenuous cage season at the Alumni gym Saturday, November 26th.

The game will culminate an all day basketball clinic. Visiting team for the occasion will be an always rough Wayne State Teachers. The following Monday the Morningside cagers will play host to Westmar.

The Maroons go on the road December 6th when they meet one of the nation's headline basketball teams in Hamline University. The following day the cagers return for a home stand. Coach Buckingham states that if progress on the new field-house continues at its present rate only the first two games will be played in the old gym with the remaining home schedule being played in the new field house.

## CONNIE ELUDES THE COYOTE PACK



Connie Callahan, running back a Coyote kick from behind his own goal line, carries the ball for 102 yards for a Maroon touchdown in the Morningside-South Dakota game on October 22, played before a Homecoming crowd in Vermillion. This is the longest run recorded in the annals of football history at Morningside. The battle ended in a 6-6 tie.

## EAST SIDE NEIGHBORS FETE MINISTER AND WIFE

From Leon E. Hickman, '22, of Pittsburgh, comes the following 2 column article from the New York Times describing a testimonial dinner in honor of Rev. ('17) and Mrs. Donald Walton, (Bessie Reed, '21). Leon comments: "I attended the dinner and must report that I never saw anything quite like it. It was given by the Jewish neighbors of Donald and Bessie Walton, and the keynote of the program was appreciation of the good neighborliness of the Waltons, regardless of race or creed. The dinner was given in one of the large Jewish restaurants on the lower east side and at least 500 people, nearly all of them Jewish, paid \$5 apiece to attend the dinner. There must have been 15 or 20 speakers, some of them Jewish Rabbis, others lay leaders of Jewish congregations and still others, men who had grown up in the neighborhood of DeWitt Memorial Church and had known and felt the impact of Donald Walton while growing up."

The gilded frescoes and the enormous chandeliers topped with ruby glass in Saul Birns' Central Plaza Hall at 111 Second Avenue on the lower East Side looked down last night on an extraordinary neighborhood tribute to a Protestant minister and his wife.

Four hundred East Side residents—pushcart peddlers, grocers, bakers, tailors, rabbis, tenement housewives, and their spouses, as well as men and women born in the neighborhood but risen to influential position—poured gifts on the couple and lavished affectionate tribute upon them.

The guests of honor were the Rev. Donald J. Walton of the old De Witt Memorial Church in Rivington Street between Cannon and Columbia Streets, and Mrs. Elizabeth Reed Walton, both from the Iowa corn country. They have been good neighbors with the East Side tenement dwellers for almost twenty-eight years.

### Tributes Come From the Heart

No stuffy formal committee spoke the tribute. It gushed spontaneously from the hearts of people who had come to love the two quiet Iowans through the long years. The dinner sponsors were Berkowitzes, Cohens, Greenbergs, Rosenbergs, Yereshesksys, Epsteins, Hershkowitz—and many others.

They had caused illuminated testimonials to be drawn for the occasion. They had brought handsome luggage, a folding umbrella, an expensive wallet, a traveling kit, a fountain pen set—all for the Protestant minister. For Mrs. Walton they had fetched in the largest bouquet of American beauty roses one man could carry.

The speeches were brief and halting and one or two were edged with dialect, but they were sincere and unrehearsed and their meaning was clear. The minister and

his wife were touched. The meal was a kosher meal—the East Side's traditional stuffed goose-neck, dill pickles, pickled tomatoes, gefuelte fish with horse-radish and chicken soup with matzoth balls, but the minister and his wife have long been familiar with all these.

Dr. Kenneth D. Miller, president of the New York Mission Society, which includes the De Witt Memorial Church among its many parishes in the city, sat with the other guests of honor. He received written tributes to the Waltons from various church organizations, including one from Dr. Samuel McCrea Cavert, general secretary of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America. It said:

"I have long been a warm admirer of the work of Dr. Walton at De Witt Memorial Church. I shall be grateful if you will express my sense of gratitude to Dr. Walton for the devoted and effective Christian service which he has rendered, and my best wishes for the future."

The Waltons, both gray now, with two children, recalled what their parish was like when they came to it on May 9, 1922. He was fresh from Princeton Seminary and had spent his boyhood on his father's farm at Hawarden, Iowa. Elizabeth Reed, born in Guthrie Center, Iowa, had met him at Morningside College in Sioux City, Ia. They were married in the East Side Church.

The church had been built in 1881 when the lower East Side's population was chiefly German and Irish. When the Waltons came to it the red brick was already faded and the steeple's copper edging had greened with time. Virtually all their neighbors were Jewish families living in the crumbling tenements that hem the church in on all sides.

Mrs. Walton remembered last night that "it was a little lonely at first," for a girl from Iowa, but there was so much to do she soon got over homesickness. Robert, their son, now 16, and Mary, 15, were born in the parsonage.

### Gifts for the Children

Mrs. Walton had studied German and found it not unlike Yidish. She could understand her foreign-born neighbors. They started leaving gifts at the parsonage—gefuelte fish, napkins filled with holiday pastries, strudels, dill pickles and pickled tomatoes from home vats, stuffed goose-neck. The Waltons came to like these dishes.

In 1926 the Waltons visited Palestine. They brought back little silken bags of soil—"dirt from the Holy Land," the neighbors called it—which religious Jews prize highly. When old Mrs. Roth died, the Waltons gave a bag of it to be placed in her coffin. One by one other oldsters ventured in to ask for similar gifts. The Waltons gave freely.

Abe Geibar, the paint store man down the block, gave the Walton children paints to play with. At Christmas time bashful

neighbors left boxes of candy and other gifts for the parsonage tree, or perfume, or little toys. When Mrs. Walton fell ill three years ago and needed a blood transfusion, Max Weiner, a Rivington Street boy, joined with four friends to donate their blood.

When the Waltons moved there, Rivington Street was crowded with old women who covered their heads with shawls or who wore the "sheitel," or wig, of the Jewish housewife. There is much less of this now, Mrs. Walton said, but she came to know the religious old ladies and they came to know her. When she got her M. A. at New York University they left gifts at her house.

The Waltons shop at neighborhood stores, among the pushcarts, where they get double measure; at Linderman and Berner's, at Hi and Al's, at Dashowitz's and Miner's. On Jewish holidays the bells of the old church sound, along with Hebrew music played through records and an amplifier. On Sundays the steeple calls the Christian parishioners.

New housing developments have brought more Christians back to the East Side. Dr. Walton ministers to worshipers who represent twenty-one nationalities. His elders include Chinese, Puerto Ricans, Italians, Germans, Indonesians and Russian, and church visitors preach in Spanish and Russian after Dr. Walton delivers his sermon in English.

"The Waltons?" said a couple flushed with eating at last night's testimonial dinner as they paused in their lusty intake. "There should only be more such people."

Dr. Walton smiled on his neighbors benevolently. Dr. Miller smiled too, and shook his head. "I have never known anything quite like this to happen before, certainly not in this city," he said.



## MARRIAGES

Orgine Meents, '45

Mark C. Huss

Oct. 1, Unitarian Parsonage  
Baltimore, Md.

At home: 2902 Dunran Rd., Baltimore, Md.

Jean Wagner

Captain James J. Cobb, ex'42

Oct. 28, St. Paul's Lutheran Church  
Albuquerque, New Mexico

At home: Sandia Base, Albuquerque

Joyce O'Rourke, ex'50

Charles Harley

June 25, Chicago, Ill.

At home: 1237 N. 4th St., Columbus, O.

## COLLEGIAN REPORTER WINS TOP RATING

The Collegian Reporter, student publication at Morningside, has received an All-American rating from the National Scholastic Press Association for the 1949 spring term. The N.S.P.A. is an affiliate of the Associated Collegiate Press. The groups critically examine and compare collegiate publications submitted from schools all over the United States. All-American is the highest rating given in the survey. Editor-in-chief for the current year is Roger L. Burgess of Storm Lake, Iowa.

## ALPHA KAPPA DELTA INITIATES MEMBERS

Seven new members were initiated into the Alpha Kappa Delta national honorary sociology fraternity.

Initiation ceremonies took place November 9th at Dimmitt Hall. Mrs. Helen Schwartz, Mrs. Violet Smith, Mr. Alfred Candik, Dr. T. W. Bauer, Dr. R. N. Miller, Lenore Schultz and Marie Russo received the ritual of the national organization from Miss Mary Treglia of the Sioux City Community House. To be eligible for membership all candidates must have an over-all scholastic average of three point and have a special interest in sociology. Teachers and city social workers are also qualified for membership.

## MUSIC CRITICS ACCLAIM CHICAGO CHORAL LEADER

John Halloran, Morningside College graduate of '38, rapidly is achieving recognition in the music world as a choral conductor with his Chicago choir, the Choralists.

Regarding his appearance in Grant park this past summer before 40,000 persons, Louis Palmer of the Chicago Sun Times said, "Mr. Halloran knows what he wants from his singers and gets it."

In the two initial performances by this group, it was acclaimed by the music critics as "having no peer among local choruses" and that "such is the control, artistry and blending of voices present in their work that only superlatives seem fitting."

Another reviewer stated that "this new group looks like the first word in Chicago's answer to the Robert Shaw choral," while another critic made a rebuttal speech in his column the following day saying "it seemed to me that the last word is not out of their reach. Their imaginative and youthful leader, John Halloran, has trained them into a meticulously balanced ensemble that can sing with hobbyist's enthusiasm and professional polish combined."

The Choralists are an a capella group, organized two years ago by Mr. Halloran and a small group of experienced singers who wanted to explore the fields of choral literature.

From this nucleus sprang this group of 32 professional and student musicians about whom Felix Borowski wrote: "Only the warmest praise must be given to the singing, which was so admirable in tone quality and in artistic understanding that it is to be hoped that the Choralists will not again wait two years before they are heard anew."

After graduation from Morningside, Jack taught in the public schools of Hawarden, Ia., and then received his master's degree in music from Northwestern University.

He now resides in Evanston, Ill., and since 1945 has been active in Chicago radio, appearing on Club Time, A. B. C. hymn program, Mutual's Theater of the Air, and N. B. C.'s Music from the Heart of America, on which he is frequently heard as tenor soloist. For several years, he was a member of the Cadets, male quartet on the Breakfast Club, and now has his own quartet, the Songsmiths, which has been seen and heard recently on local radio and television programs.

Mr. Halloran this fall began his fourth season as director of the North Shore Choral Society, and is tenor soloist at the Winnetka Congregational Church.



Word has been received at the alumni office that E. Elihu Shoemaker, 1915, died of cancer in May, 1949. Elihu's home was in Hermiston, Oregon.

Mr. P. E. Fredendoll, '07, died July 5th in Hattiesburg, Miss. after a brief illness. He was at the time employed by the R.E.A. as pole inspector in the southeastern states.

Word has come from Mr. A. B. Eckerson, formerly Frances Amthor, a student in the Normal School in 1906 and 1907, that her husband, an ex-student of the class of '07, passed away some time ago. Among his duties as accountant, he had been secretary of an irrigation and domestic water service in Bloomington. Since the death of her husband, Mrs. Eckerson has taken over his work.

Aiberta Greene, ex'37, who owns Alberta's Art Array at Spencer, Ia., sent word to the Alumni Office of the death of her sister, Mrs. Everett Kees (Florence Elaine Greene, ex'40) in Rochester, Minn. She had been ill for more than a year with acute leukemia. Funeral services were held in the Methodist Church at Laurens, Ia., where the McKees had lived the past eight years. Besides her husband, Florence leaves three children, Bill, aged 7; Suzanne, 5, and Snerylee, 3. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greene, of Spencer and three sisters also survive.



Nancy Herrick, born to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hopewell (Dawn Herrick, ex'35) of Tekamah, Nebr., on May 24, in Omaha, Nebr. The Hopewells older daughter, Barbara Anne, was two in April.

Kim Frances, born to Mr. (ex'37) and Mrs. Page Townley on September 27th in Grand Junction, Colo.

Steven Sargisson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Orval Nielson (Barbara Sargisson, ex'48) on October 2 in Osage, Ia.

Rickman Thomas, born October 4 in Natick, Mass. to Mr. ('40) and Mrs. B. LeRoy Sheley.

Sabra Lynn, born to Mr. ('42) and Mrs. Leslie Pruehs on October 17 in Erie, Pa.

Sigrid Linnea, born to Mr. and Mrs. Carsten Ahrens (Dorothy Anderson, '31) on October 18 in Pittsburgh, Pa. The Ahrens have three older children, Carsten, Karen and Leif.

Leonard Philip, born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard S. Daniel (Phyllis Tronsrue, '36) on October 19 in Warrenton, N. C.

Gary Lee, born to Mr. (ex'45) and Mrs. Floyd Wilson (Earlene Schenck, ex'45) of Farnhamville on October 19. The Wilsons have a daughter, Gwendolyn, and a son, Roger Lynn.

Douglas Loren, born to Mr. and Mrs. Loren Watson (Mary McCoy, ex'46) on October 21 in Memphis, Tenn. The Watsons live at 122 N. Evergreen in Memphis.

Craig Robert, born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerrold L. Travers (Jane Holland, ex'38) on October 21 in Anaheim, Calif. The Travers have a 21 months old daughter, Lynette Kay.

Marsha Jean, born to Captain (ex'41) and Mrs. Stephen O. Brown (Betty Lou Saunderson, ex'42) on October 30th in Maryville, Mo.

Jana Ruth, born to Mr. ('49) and Mrs. Donald Lester on November 3 in Sioux City.

Roger Michael, born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kass (Beverly Borland, ex'41) on November 7 in Sioux City. Pamela Jean, who will be three in December, is Roger's older sister.

Patricia Ann, born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Speckhart (Mary Lou Lembcke, '48) on November 7 in Sioux City.

Lamar Stewart, born to Mr. ('47) and Mrs. Lamar Jones (Ruth Elliott, ex'46) on November 11 in Sioux City. The Jones have a four year old son, Gary.

Mary Elizabeth, born to Mr. ('37) and Mrs. Finley Rosenberger on November 15 in Sioux City. The Rosenbergers have two sons, Gary 11, and John, 9.

## 1949 MAROONS CLOSE SUCCESSFUL SEASON



Left to right, front row: Hjelm, Renfro, Callahan, McDonough, Pickford, Hanson, Pelelo, Styczynski, and Clark. Second row: Don Preston, Stephens, Piper, Gregorvich, Irwin, Lindgren, Hohs, Weaver, Bengford and Bob Hamblin. Third row: Reardon, Fox, Nelson, Clark, Barks, Rydell, Wickstrom, Fitzgerald, Haugen, Fleming and Adams. Not present for the picture were Oscar Jones, Loren Moll, Bob Hooks, Bill Kjose and Burt Merriman.

### IOWA TEACHERS 30 MORNINGSIDE 10

Morningside was eliminated from the North Central Conference race by Iowa State Teachers on Saturday evening, October 29, at Cedar Falls. The Teachers, trailing until the last play of the first half on which a pass clicked for a touchdown and gave them a 14 to 10 lead, turned back the Maroons by a 30 to 10 margin. Morningside put up a dogged resistance during the first half but their defense wore out in the second half under the pounding of Teacher's powerful attack. Connie Callahan, whose evening's passing produced six completions for 113 yards, used his good right arm to tie the score for Morningside in the second period. In a 70 yard drive, he hit Darrell Haugen for 14 yards, then passed to him again, and Haugen lateralled to Bruce Pickford for a 37 yard gain. Finally on the Teacher 7, Callahan pegged on the third down to Wally Piper in the flat who snared the pass on the 5 yard line and went over. The Maroons moved downfield again in the same period but wilted on the Panther 5. On fourth down, Bob Hooks booted a field goal from a difficult far-sighted angle to give Morningside a 10 to 7 lead, its only advantage of the game. Teacher partisans said the first half defense was the best the Panthers had faced here all season. But the Tutors had a definite edge at the end. Their blocking began to click and the tiring Morningsiders—lacking full-scale replacements to check

the tide—simply caved in when courage no longer could make up for physical exhaustion.

### MORNINGSIDE 21 — OMAHA 19

On Saturday afternoon, November 5th, the Maroons spoiled Omaha Dad's Day celebration by whipping the Indians 21 to 19 in a game featuring rough tactics by an overly aggressive Omaha team.

The Maroons opened the scoring in the first quarter when Callahan raced 15 yards on his pet, hidden ball play. Hooks, who played brilliant ball throughout the game, kicked the first of his three conversions. The Indians, undismayed by Morningside's early threat, took the following kickoff and marched to a touchdown without once giving up the ball, but failed to convert leaving the score 7 to 6.

Morningside received and in the next series of plays fumbled with Omaha recovering on the Maroon twenty. Minutes later the Indians blasted across the goal line and converted to go out in front 13 to 7.

Later in the second quarter the Maroons completed a drive from their own 39 with Hooks smashing over and converting to end the first half scoring with Morningside ahead by a score of 14 to 13.

Morningside dropped into a deep hole at the opening of the second half when the Indians recovered a fumble on the Maroon 18. After a tremendous goal line

stand by the maroon and white suits, Omaha passed for a touchdown. A conversion gave them a 19 to 14 lead.

The Maroons later capitalized on a piece of luck when the Indians intercepted a Callahan pass, then lost the ball in the next series of downs on a fumble. Working brilliantly, the Morningside gridders uncorked a down field drive of 80 yards, with Callahan again scoring on the bootleg. Hooks converted to end the scoring with the Maroons out in front 21 to 19.

### MORNINGSIDE 26 — CENTRAL 7

The Flying Dutchmen from Pella, Ia., made a crash landing at Public School Stadium Saturday afternoon, November 12, when they were shot down by an alert Morningside tribe, 26 to 7.

Hooks stopped the first Central advance by intercepting a pass and returning it 25 yards to midfield. On the next series of plays the Maroons scored on a 14 yard pass play from Callahan to Moll. Hooks kicked for the point and the Maroons led 7 to 0.

Morningside again threatened late in the second period when Callahan connected on a pass to Piper on the forty. Piper was finally forced out on the 17 yard line, but the gun sounded before another play could be run.

The Maroons scored again in the third quarter on a 36 yard line drive after Jones had made a punt return of 24 yards. Jones

finally scampered 18 yards to score on the next series of plays, making it 13 to 0.

Again, early in the fourth quarter, a passing attack put the Morningside squad on the Dutchmen's 16. Piper passed to Callahan who raced 15 yards to score. Hooks booted the point making it 20 to 0.

Cevrant, the Central ace, took the kick off on his own 15 and raced all the way to the Maroon 16 before he was hauled down. Then in quick succession a pass was intercepted by Haugan, but the Dutchmen recovered the ball behind the goal on a last Maroon handoff attempt. They converted to make it 27 to 7.

The Maroons garnered their last six points on an 85 yard drive with Callahan pushing over the score, 26 to 7.

Central was outdone 15 to 9 in the contest and also lost out on yards passing when their vaunted aerial game failed to materialize. The Maroons led in total offense 444 yards to 198 yards. Both sides completed 9 out of 23 pass attempts.



Captain Bob Gregorvich

**QUINCY 28 — MORNINGSIDE 14**

Over 7,000 fans watched a strong team from Quincy, Ill. wrap up a 28-14 victory over the Maroons in the final game of the season at Public Schools Stadium, Saturday evening, November 19. The Maroons finished the season with a record of seven wins, three losses and one tie. Trailing by 14 points midway in the second period, the Maroons suddenly hit their stride with single tallies in the second and third stanzas to knot the count at 14-all. Callahan started the ball rolling in the second by returning a Quincy kickoff 38 yards to the Maroon 43. Len Styczynski and Bruce Pickford then handled the major portion of the ball carrying by driving to the Hawks' 13-yard line. Callahan pitched to Bob Hanson for eight, Styczynski picked up two on a buck before Callahan thrilled the gathering with his favorite—a bootleg sneaker around right for the final three yards. Bob Hooks converted.

Morningside drove 78 yards to the Quincy 3 in the third but Callahan lost five on a fumble and a fourth down pass failed. However, the Maroons were given new life when the Hawk's Bobby Brunette dropped the pass from center on fourth down. He was nailed on the Quincy 9 by a host of Maroons. Ossie Jones then ripped through center for 7, Callahan added 1 and Jones followed by slipping over for the game-tying touchdown. Hooks again converted to throw the contest into a 14 to 14 stalemate with a minute and a half left in the third. Prompt retaliation came from the Quincy Hawks who scored another touchdown three minutes later by driving 60 yards in six plays. An intercepted Callahan pass picked off by Quincy's Belz set up the final score.

It was the final game for six Maroons, Captain Bob Gregorvich, Alex Pelelo, Bruce Pickford, Don Preston, Len Styczynski and Connie Callahan.

**TUTORS TIE JACKRABBITS FOR NORTH CENTRAL CROWN**

By defeating the Coyotes of South Dakota University, 21-14, in an Armistice Day game at Vermillion, Iowa State Teachers won a share of the North Central Conference grid crown with South Dakota State. The Panthers and Jackrabbits finished their conference schedules with a record of five wins and one loss. Tied for third and fourth places are Morningside and North Dakota University with 3 wins, 2 losses and 1 tie. In fifth spot is South Dakota University, with Augustana rating sixth place and North Dakota State occupying the cellar.

**MORNINGSIDE COLLEGE 1949-50 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE**

- Nov. 26—Wayne Teachers (Clinic)---Here
- Nov. 28—Westmar College-----Here
- Dec. 6—Hamline University-----There
- Dec. 7—Minnesota U. (Duluth Br.)\_There
- Dec. 12—Wayne Teachers-----There
- Dec. 17—River Falls (Wisconsin)---Here
- Dec. 19—Eastern New Mexico-----Here
- Dec. 22—Idaho University-----Here
- Dec. 29 and 30, Christmas Tournament, Grinnell, Kansas Wesleyan and Omaha-----Here
- Jan. 7—North Dakota University---There
- Jan. 9—North Dakota State-----There
- Jan. 13—South Dakota University--There
- Jan. 17—South Dakota State-----Here
- Jan. 21—North Dakota State-----Here
- Jan. 24—Augustana College-----There
- Jan. 28—Iowa State Teachers-----Here
- Feb. 3—South Dakota State-----There
- Feb. 6—Omaha University-----There
- Feb. 11—North Dakota University---Here
- Feb. 14—Westmar College-----There
- Feb. 18—Phillips 66'ers-----Here
- Feb. 20—Iowa State Teachers-----There
- Feb. 25—Augustana College-----Here
- Feb. 28—South Dakota University---Here

**CLASS NOTES**

Clifford T. Grove, '39, is a mechanical engineer, employed in Omaha, Nebr.

Carrol Lee Cook, ex'46, is teaching the second grade at Guthrie Center, Iowa this fall.

Merlin Davies, '49, is attending the Divinity School at Duke University in Durham, North Carolina.

Dr. Robert Hilker, '38, was a campus visitor on September 22. He has completed his work in medicine at Northwestern University and will soon begin his internship in Chicago. He graduated in the upper five per cent of his class, being fifth in a class of one hundred and forty seven students.

Dr. Clarence T. Craig, '15, spoke on "Methodist Emphasis in Theological Education" at Drew University's annual Founders' Day exercises recently. It was the first major address on the campus since he became dean of Drew Theological Seminary, September 1.

Mrs. M. E. Graber was notified of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Paul A. Otto, artist of Tiffin, Ohio on September 8. He was the father of Lillian Otto Miller, who graduated in 1926, and of H. Paul Otto, who attended Morningside College in 1929.

John B. Phelps, '48, of Kingsley, Iowa is a graduate assistant and student in physics at Colorado College in Colorado Springs.

Dr. Horace Marvin, '36, is Associate Professor of Anatomy and Medicine at the University of Arkansas School of Medicine at Little Rock.

Mrs. George Amundson (Helen Johnson, ex'40) writes from Pendleton, Oregon, that she and her three children are planning to join her husband in November in Berkeley, Calif., where he is studying for his master's degree in Public Health Education at the University. Mr. Amundson is a Luther College graduate.

Ruth Ritland, '44, is teaching in a junior high school in Seattle, Washington and living at 2019 Boren Avenue.

Kenneth Rollins, '46, is owner of the Rollins' Tot Shop, featuring children's clothing, at Sheldon, Iowa. The Rollins live at 821 4th Avenue.

H. Bruce Reeder, '35, is a statistician with the Veteran Administration Regional Office in Clearwater, Florida.

Leonard Jacobsen, ex'30, is head of the piano department at the College of Puget Sound in Tacoma, Washington.

Mrs. Wm. H. Fields, (Gertrude Bekman, ex'28) is a dietitian at the Illinois State Training School for Girls in Geneva, Ill.

Marie Grootes Bloem, ex'11, is county supervisor of public assistance in Jerome, Idaho.

## CLASS NOTES

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Mr. and Mrs. George M. Bergquist (Edna English), both ex'21, live in Minneapolis where George is business agent for the Milk Drivers' Union.

Rev. Kenneth T. Wilcox, ex'33, is pastor of the First Baptist Church in Woodridge, N. J.

Don Kelsey, '49, appeared recently on a television program broadcast from station WOW in Omaha, Nebr. Don is instructor in grade and high school vocal music at Plainview, Nebr.

Emil P. Wessel, '23, is an engineer residing in Larchwood, Ia.

Rev. ('22) and Mrs. Glenn D. Glazier write that they are the proud grandparents of an eight pound baby girl, Sandra Lee Gilmore, of Whittinsville, Mass. Mrs. Gilmore is their eldest daughter, Glenadine, and this is their first grandchild. Rev. Glazier is pastor of the St. James Methodist Church in Springfield, Mass.

Lt. Col. Joy R. Bogue, ex'29, is commandant of the Strategic Intelligence School, General Staff of the U. S. army at Arlington, Virginia.

Champe J. Stoakes, ex'31, is general secretary of the Y.M.C.A. in Joliet, Ill. He resides at 657 3rd Avenue.

Maxine Nelson, ex'39, is teaching English in the junior high at Council Bluffs, Ia.

Lyle D. Culver, '29, of Dickinson, N. D., is in the Soil Conservation Service there.

Charles H. Rowell, ex'36, is an accountant in Mason City, Ia.

Mary Helen Hench, ex'48, is a dietitian in the Jackson Park Hospital in Chicago.

Victor Jacobson, '37, has an appliance store in Norfolk, Nebr. The Jacobsons live at 207 Madison Avenue.

Guy E. Shaver, ex'05, is in the insurance business at State Center, Ia.

Mr. ('32) and Mrs. John Bottom (Lois Schamp, '31) are living at 4170 California St. in Omaha where John is assistant district sales manager for the Cudahy Packing Co.

Dr. Walter G. Yeager, ex'43, and Mrs. Yeager (Emogene Miller, ex'40) live in Waterloo, Ia., where Dr. Yeager has a dentistry practice.

Wm. D. Farnham, '12, owns a chicken hatchery in Payette, Idaho.

Edgar A. Schuler, '28, is professor of sociology and departmental chemistry at Wayne University in Detroit, Mich. The Schulers live at 78 Monterey, Highland Park, Mich.

J. Howard Berkstresser, '11, is the county assessor at Sterling, Colo.

Lisle L. Berkshire, '29, is employed by the U. S. Chamber of Commerce in Washington, D. C., living at 4363 Nichols Ave., S. W.

Mary McBride, '41, graduated from Yale in June with the Master of Fine Arts degree. She plans to find a job as an actress in the theater in New York.

Mrs. Thurman Johnson (Barbara Schmidt, '47) is teaching school at Odebolt, Ia. this year. She and her husband are making their home at 414 Hunnington Ave., in Council Bluffs, Ia.

William Briggs, '48, received his M.A. in mathematics at Boulder, Colo. last August and began work on his doctor of education degree this fall. Bill also is part time instructor in the mathematics department.

Mrs. Herbert French (Cornelia McBurney, '17) is a librarian at Stephens College in Columbia, Missouri.

Anna Zenkovich, '41, is a senior deputy in the Unemployment Commission for the state of Arizona.

Mrs. Everett Brill (Gwynne Morris, ex'41) lives at Granby, Conn., where her husband is chief electronic engineer for the Brinnell Co. He holds patents on the "Protectron", an electronic device to detect electrical overloads in industry. The Brills have a three year old daughter, Helen.

Orin W. Bell, '18, is general secretary of the Y.M.C.A. at Orange, Calif.

Rev. Harold Minor, '47, is pastor of the South Elgin Methodist Church in Elgin, Ill.

Dr. W. A. Main (Ida Belle Lewis, '09) has returned from the mission field in China and again has a pastorate in Mill Valley, Calif.

Bernard Feikema, '42, is superintendent of schools in Hospers, Ia., this year. Bernie received his M.A. from Iowa University in 1948. Mrs. Feikema is the former Mary Lou Held, '44.

Charles Curry, ex'41, 147 LeMayne Gardens, Harlington, Texas, is an accountant with a firm there.

Harry E. Benz ('22) has been serving as Acting Dean of the College of Education at Ohio University pending the appointment of a successor to Dean E. R. Collins, who resigned in June.

Dr. Richard Brager, ex'41, is a veterinarian for the government at Clark, Ohio.

Milton R. Woodard, ex'50, is a stationary engineer with the Columbus and Southern Ohio Electric Co. He lives at 238 S. Monroe Ave., in Columbus, Ohio.

Eugene Bovee, ex'17, is working on his Ph. D. at the University of California this year and living at 1083½ Strathmore Drive. He expects to complete work on his degree next June.

Irene Droegmiller, ex'35, is a home demonstrator in plastics in Aurelia, Ia.

Miss Mattie Bridenbaugh, a former student, in a letter to Ethel Murray, writes that after living in Bakersfield, Calif. for five years, she is now in Long Beach at 3530 East 8th St. where she came for her health. Mattie has been an invalid for a number of years.

Cecil H. Munson, '24, 154 Upsal St., S. E., Washington, D. C., is chief of the Vocational Training and Education in the national headquarters of the American Legion.

Captain Gladys R. Yeaman, ex'21, United States Airforce, has reported for duty with the judge advocate generals' office at Wright Patterson Airforce Base in Dayton, Ohio, after a visit in Sioux City. Capt. Yeaman has completed a two year term of duty with the Alaskan air command at Fort Richardson. Gladys enlisted in the W.A.A.C. in August 1942, and has remained in the army air corps since then.

J. Wesley Jones, ex'30, who recently left China after spending a year in the United States embassy there, is now in Washington for a week of discussions in the state department before going to his new post, at the embassy in Madrid, Spain. Mrs. Jones was in Nanking at the time the Chinese communists took over that city. Later Wesley went to Shanghai and left there September 25 for Rome where he joined members of his family who had been evacuated from China in December, 1948.

Eldon E. Pederson, '36, is athletic director and basketball coach at Concordia Seminary in St. Louis, Mo.

Rev. W. C. Womensley has transferred from the church at Yankton, S. D. to Beatrice, Nebr. where he is pastor of the Assembly of God Church.

The cornerstone of the new \$50,000 Methodist Church at Charter Oak, Ia., of which Rev. Glen M. Squires, '07, is pastor, was laid with fitting ceremonies on Sunday, November 13. Dr. Harley Farnham, superintendent of the Sioux City district of the north Iowa conference of Methodist Churches, delivered the address.

Mrs. Wm. Becker (Irvine Thoe, '40) writes that she and her husband are now settled in Albuquerque, N. M., where she again is working in a law office and Mr. Becker is employed by the Bernatillo County Abstract and Title Co. until he has completed residence requirement for taking the state bar examination. Irvine makes this comment on their new home: "Education and educational facilities are pitifully backward here. This is partially due to the bilingual hurdle and to the numerous parochial schools, both Catholic and Protestant, which weaken the public school systems practically out of existence. And there is this story of a substitute French teacher which I believe for the truth, as it was told: the teacher walked into the classroom and greeted the class in French, only to receive a chorus of replies in Spanish!"

Russell (Pete) Knudsen, '27, is living at Bushton, Kansas where he is a pipeline foreman.

Burrell E. Evans, '15, is a high school coach and instructor in Omaha, Nebr.

Glenn L. Ellison, '25, is a Livestock Market Reporter for the U. S. Department of Agriculture in San Antonio, Texas.

Joe Parrish, ex'13, is a retired mail carrier living in Morocco, Ind.

Stanley W. Volga, '48, is administrative resident at the Herrick Memorial Hospital in Berkeley, Calif.