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# MERCHANT OF VENICE SOPHOMORE CARNIVAL COMING

A joint D. O. T. and P. L. S. meeting! Watch for the date. Most everyone of you, if you have not already pledged yourself, will be a member of one of these societies sometime in the future, so come and see what is accomplished and what the meetings are like. The snappy program has been arranged and is as follows:

Piano solo ......Miss Treadwell Reading ......Howard Vogel Sleight of Hand Tricks. Robert Fisher

#### The Cast.

"MERCHANT OF VENICE" (1-Ac	parade through Main Street. Although
Play)	the music was not of the pleasing
Duke of VeniceClarence Rollod	sort, it served the purpose—made a
AntonioJoe Schuelle	lot of noise. The doors were opened
BassonioValdemar Frant	at 7:30 and the gym was immediately
GrationoArthur Lamecke	swarmed with anxious pleasure-seek-
ShylockStanley Olso:	ers.
TubalRaymond Aman	Booths.
LauncelotHoward Voge	There were just oodles of booths of
The ProfessorFanny Shapir	all sorts and descriptions. Refresh-
PolicemanElmer Lippman	ments were served all during the
NerissaCecelia Hough	evening. There were novelty, re-
JessicaLorna Schleude	freshments and candy and even a "hit
Miss ThreediceWanda Nelson	the nigger baby in the eye" booths.
PollyMildred Epple	A fish pond too, formed one of the
Antonio's MotherMildred Epple	evenings amusements. Two myster-
Mrs. GobboIrene Karstac The play, "The Merchant of Venice," certainly is a scream! Everyone of ou have read the original work by	DRAMATIC ABILITY SHOWN IN SENIOR CLASS PLAY.
bakespeare, so imagine a modern	Friday evening, the Senior play,
ersion of it!	"The Gipsy Trail," was staged at p

## Lunch Will Be Served.

After the program a lunch will be served down in the Home Economics department. For this reason a trifling sum of 15 cents will be charged for admission, but such an opportunity as entertainment and "eats" all for 15 cents is quite out of the ordinary, so don't fail to be there.

### SENIOR EXAMS MAY 15 TO 17.

The Seniors were given special examinations Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. This was done so that the Seniors would know their marks before graduation. Schedule for exams were: Monday, 8:00-Civics.

9:54—Economics. 1:30-Shorthand and Typing II. 9.54-Latin IV. 1:30-Physics.

# **GRAND SUCCESS** MANY BOOTHS—SIDE SHOW -HAD A GOOD TIME

The much-planned carnival which ious gypsy fortune-tellers were kept was given by the Sophs, April 28, busy all evening, telling the futures principle of universal brotherhood. turned out to be a large success! All presents and pasts. present had a good time.

### Side Show.

After promenading the gym for Vogel gave several readings that would have turned any negro green off some of his magician stuff," which sure was appreciated by the awe-

### The Gym.

# The gym looked just like a carnival all sorts and descriptions. Refresh- grounds should. The booths were all beautifully decorated, class colors beevening. There were novelty, re- ing used.

stricken audiences.

freshments and candy and even a "hit At 10:30 the people were told to the nigger baby in the eye" booths. leave, much against their will for A fish pond too, formed one of the many were turned away with their evenings amusements. Two myster- future still dark.

#### DRAMATIC ABILITY SHOWN IN SOPH GIRLS "COP" FIRST RELAY SENIOR CLASS PLAY. RACE.

Friday evening, the Senior play, Turner hall by the following cast. Frank Raymond .....Carl Fritsche follows: Janet Raymond ......Helen Meile John Raymond .....Lillian Eyrich Ned Andrews ......Reinhold Thies Michael Rudder .....Edward Witt Mrs. Widdimore .....Bessie Dietz Ellen .....Gertrude Ackermann Stiles ......Reuel Haenze

Parade.

#### The Actors.

Ned Andrews, the accuainer of Frances' hand, finally decides to win her by kidnapping her and thus providing some romance for her romantic nature. He engages Michael Rudder, a young adventurer, who has always led a vagabond life, as chauffeur for the evening. He kidnaps Frances, as ordered by Andrews, and takes her to Andrews' home, where An-

iors last. One of the most exciting more to be a worthwhile American but Michael runs away, just as they Wednesday 8:00-Domestic Science. incidents of the race was the speedy than any other book I have read. This are about to be married. In the meantime, Andrews tries his running of Florence Murphy, the book is entitled, "The Making of an Dave: "Some socks please." Clerk: "What number?" best to win Frances, but about a Soph who passed her opponent after American," written by Mr. Jacob Riis. Dave: "Two, do you think I'm a month later Michael returns, and trailing her for about ten or eleven My eyes were opened to see many centipede?" (Continued on page 3.) (Continued on page 3.) (Continued on page 3.)

On Friday, the 28th of April, the 'The Gipsy Trail," was staged at Blue and White carried off the honors in a relay race, staged between hold the worthiest of American ideals Frances Raymond.Florence Schneider the four classes. The teams were as

#### Contestants.

FRESHMEN-J. Zschunke, H. Sans, W. Schweppe, H. Hackbarth, G. Wagner, M. Pfaender, H. Sans (2), C. Meidl.

#### Good Running.

SOPHOMORES-H. Heiman; F. Murphy, M. Simmet; L. Emmerich, M. Harbo, E. Tappe, I. Ochs, H. Hein. JUNIORS-J. Hauenstein, M. Gewerth, L. Schauer, M. Epple, V. Cordes, M. Gewerth (2).

SENIORS-C. Wendt, B. Gaas, R. Hummel M. Alwin, H. Meile, W. Nel- The Book That Inspired Me To Be a son, L. Eyrich, E. Gewerth.

# Good Running.

Helen Sans put the Freshmen in book review, which I at first deemed the lead the first round while Ochsie very dry. However, now that I have Tuesday 8:00-English IV. drews himself and his grandmother for the Sophs was a close second. often turned the contents over in my await her. The Juniors came third and the Sen- mind, I find that it has influenced me Frances and Michael fall in love,

# FANNY SHAPIRO WINS **ESSAY CONTEST**

We are publishing the essays which took first and second prizes, respectively, in the essay contest. Fanny Shapiro was awarded \$3, and Caroline Guggisberg, \$2.

# The Book That Inspired Me To be a Worthwhile American.

America was founded upon the The oppressed and persecuted peoples of the world flocked to our shores to enjoy in common the blessings of Before the carnival a large crowd about half an hour, the negro ladies freedom. Every nationality in the of the "Carnival Queens" formed a and gents went to the tent where a world was poured into "God's great parade through Main Street, Although side show was held. Masta Howard Crucible," to be fused into one nation -the American People.

I am by parentage and inclination lot of noise. The doors were opened with envy. Robert Fisher "pulled a Jew. My parents lived formerly in Russia, and, as thousands of other Russian Jews, they brought with them to America the memory of terrible programs and organized massacres against their kin. They did not bury their hatred of the Gentile in their native land, but, contrary to American ideals, transplanted their antipathy in American soil. I, too, was taught to bear in my heart a curse against all Gentiles. My error was revealed to me by Izrael Zangwill's "The Melting Pot."

Through the character of David, Mr. Zangwill showed me how narrow and un-American my prejudice was. David, a Jewish boy, sacrifices his own faith and forgets his hatred toward the Gentile so that he may up--that of fraternity. "The Melting Pot" woke me up to a realization of my responsibility as an American. Was it not my duty to help blot out the greatest of American evils-racial antipathy? I could not be a true and worthwhile American unless like David, I looked with a fellow-feeling upon all my countrymen. "The Melting Pot" inspired me more than any other book to serve America and her ideals.

> FANNY SHAPIRO. New Ulm High School.

# Worthwhile American.

A few years ago, I read a book for

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that to the speakers. They'll show REPORTERS-Jennie Schnobrich, us their talent and glory of express-Verna Dahl, Howard Vogel, Maybelle ing their feelings. Simmet, Lynn Current, Clarence Rola very nifty program has been arloff, Victor Zimmermann.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 1922.

# **BEVIEW OF CLASS OF '22.**

For four long years the Class of '22 the state will furnish the music. has worked together as a unit. Indeed its unmistakable success is due as the rest of the plans are to be conto this very fact-that, at no time, cealed for the present. We will surehave division and stress existed withly show everyone present a good time. in the class, but always oneness of action. We recall in pride those four years with their memories of honest, a lunatic asylum, and while walking untiring effort; of innumerable hours in the grounds he met a patient, to of jollity; of many trials, always met whom he said: and overcome.

Having accomplished whatever we get here?" have attempted in the past with our due amount of success, we look to the future with zeal, regarding gradua- dow with a grown-up daughter, and tion as a stepping-stone in rising to then my father married that same the top. Whether our members con- stepdaughter, and that made my wife tinue their schooling in college or be- the mother-in-law of her father-ingin careers in the business world, the law, and my father became my steptraining they have received in high son. school will ever be ready for use, con- "Then my stepmother, the daughter stituting the background by which of my wife, had a son, and that boy, they guide their actions and deter- of course, was my brother, because mine right from wrong. The quality he was my father's son, but he was of a high school education is thus also the son of my wife's stepdaughput to test and it is the utmost desire ter, and therefore her grandson, and of the Senior Class to make that that made me the grandfather of my training stand the test, proving its stepbrother. worth beyond doubt. We hear much about the shaping of character and mother-in-law, the stepsister of my thoroughly believe that, during high son, is also his grandmother, because school, characters are moulded in a he is her stepson's child; my father manner which lasts forever. Insig- is the brother-in-law of my child, be-

### THE GRAPHOS

Class of '22-indeed in everything

into which the school has entered,

hope and expectancy, forever keeping

in our minds the true meaning of our well-chosen motto: "Carry On."

WHAT'S NEXT???

The Reception! 20th of May.

Oh! you grand old Seniors, just

leave it to the Jolly Juniors to show

you the time of your lives. We may

have many good times during our high

a thrill into our lives as the recep-

tion. That's the time if ever to en-

scrumptuous eats, stunning toasts and

The Gym is to be decorated in such

overcome with amusement and think

that he or she is in a fairy-land of

Eats! Oh! Baby! that's where we

make your mouths delulcent before

Then the toasts, well we'll leave

The dances are to be full of pep as

ranged. As the music is to be the

best obtainable, there is no danger of

a lack of pep and vim. One of the

best and most popular orchestras in

Well that's all we will tell you now

A gentleman was one day visiting

"Well, my good man, how did you

"Well, sir, you see I married a wi-

"Then my wife had a son, so my old

The lunatic replied as follows:

you get a chance to get at them.

The delicatessenes will

sensational dances.

fugacio dreams.

all shine.

representation through which

have received so many honors.

-Exchange.

NEW MERIT SYSTEM.

A new merit system has been we have always been represented and adopted in high school which has have had cause to be proud of that caused a great deal of excitement among the pupils. Three provisions have been drawn up which, if suc-We look toward the future with cessful, the remaining part of this school year will remain in execution next year also. They are:

(a) HONOR ROLL.-An Honor roll is to be issued from month to month. All pupils are eligible who have a grade of A or more in three subjects and B plus in all others, no matter how many subjects are taken. The Honor roll is to be published in the Graphos and in the city papers. Honor roll pupils are to be granted specschool days but nothing puts as great ial privileges, such as permission to leave the assembly or building during vacant periods. The Honor roll sysjoy yourselves. Gorgeous decorations, tem is to take effect immediately.

(b) HONOR MEDAL.-Medals are to be awarded to those students who have an average of A in 4 subjects a fantastic manner that one might be and no grade below Bplus during the year. The names of these pupils are to be voted on by the faculty, with reference to conduct, character and general attitude. The medals are to be awarded to pupils of all classes and are given once a year, on commencement night.

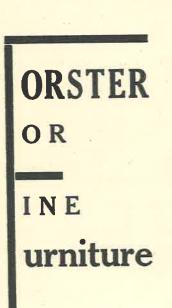
(c) GENERAL MERIT LIST.-A list is to be made of those seniors not to exceed 10% of the total who by virtue of scholarship, literary ability, athletics, interest in school activities, who have at all times shown good citizenship to the school through the four years. These people must have a unanimous vote of the faculty.

#### HEAP HOT STUFF.

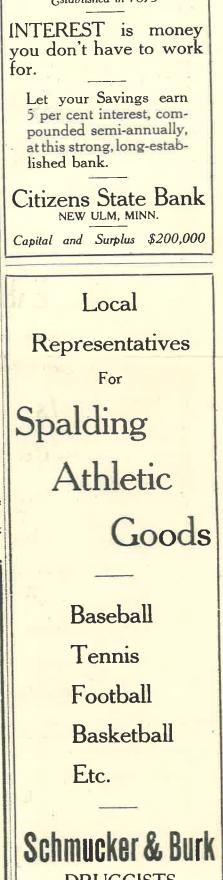
Indian buy heap big car, Quart whisky, Go down road. Bridge come up road. Indian turn out let bridge go by. Go in creek.

"Does it cost much to feed the giraffes?"

"No, you see a little goes a long ways with them."





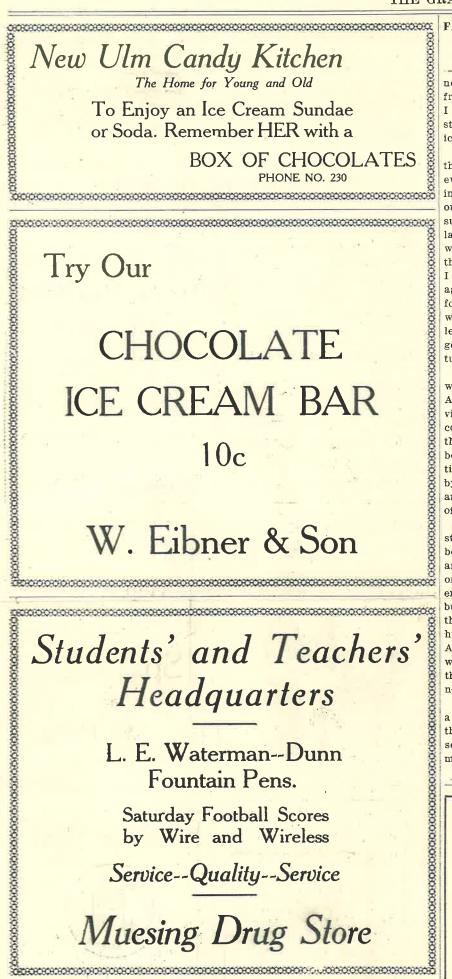


ples concerning smaller things de- also the son of my stepgrandmother; velop into greater ones of vital im- I am my mother's brother-in-law; my wife is her own child's aunt; my portance. Activity along both literary and son is my father's nephew, and I am athletic lines has characterized the my own grandfather."

nificant misdemeanors are but the cause his stepsister is his wife; I am forerunner of crime; worthy princi- the brother of my own son, who is



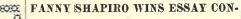
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### TEST. (Continued from page 1.)

new things and to see some things

from an entirely new viewpoint, when I read how the chief character in this story, a foreigner, was made an American.

As I read this book I was taught that there are great opportunities for everyone here in America, but that in order to obtain the full benefit, we ourselves must often suffer hardships, such as this foreigner did, who stated later in his life, that not for anything would he have missed going through these hardships. After read this book. I too had agreed with him, for after one has fought the battles of life, one is re-Through this I warded somehow. learned not to complain when things go wrong and the world seems to be turned upside down.

It had never occurred to me before what a vast field of work lies open in America, in the line of social service. When I had read the few accounts it gave in this book I came to the conclusion, that if ever I should become worthy of such a high position, I should want to serve America by doing work in the slum districts and similar work in all places in need of social service.

Then too, the conclusion of this story aroused my patriotism. Never before had it dawned upon me that anyone could become homesick for one's country. I had often experienced homesickness for my mother, but I was surprised when I read that this character, a foreigner, back in his native land was homesick for American, his adopted country, and was longing only to see that flag and that land which he loved so dearly now

I pictured myself for a moment in a foreign country and it was then that I realized I too, would long to see my own flag, my own country and my own fellowmen.

Thus, this book has taught me to

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take life as it is, to see the opportunities for serving my country and to feel a real pang of patriotism-in short, it has inspired me to be a worthwhile American.

CAROLINE GUGGISBERG.

## DRAMATIC ABILITY SHOWN IN SENIOR CLASS PLAY.

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pledges to give up his vagabond life, and lead a life such as his social position demands. Frances consents to marry him and together they plan their blissful future.

The play was indeed a success, due to the efforts of Miss Morse, Mr. Clark and the Cast.

Florence, who acted the leading role, showed us that she is capable of being a member of the "Chicago Opera Co."

"Eddie" displayed all sorts of talent in courting, heartbreaking, and of course dramatic acting. And did you notice what a soft melodious, appealing and carrying voice he has?

Reinhold acted well but we hope that Fate won't bestow that role on him in real life.

Carl didn't seem to feel at all out of place in his role. One would think he couldn't act natural as Florence's father, but he did.

Lillian breaks all records. Now she has proven to us that she can act the role of a boy just as well as that of a girl.

Helen, Bessie, Gertrude and Reuel, all did much to make the play a success

Scenery Made in Manual Training Department.

The stage scenery, which the Manual Training Dept. made, was something different which eased our acheing eyes from the ordinary scenery.

The Seniors, Miss Morse and Mr. Clark have reasons to feel proud for putting on "The Gipsy Trail" so well.

# SOPH GIRLS "COP" FIBST RELAY BACE.

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feet. This was the best run made by any of the contenders. The Freshmen had an early lead and kept it until the third round when Murphy passed Zschunke for a gain. After that the Sophs kept the lead and were not headed off again. The Sophomores passed a stick with the "Blue and White" colors on it and the Sophomores on the sidelines were as good as the girls that ran the race.

There never was a minute, when the Sophs weren't in it. Watch OUP smoke for a track team,

#### Deutsch?

A boy who had been absent from school for several days returned with his throat carefully swathed, and presented this note to his teacher:

"Please don't let my son learn any German today; his throat is so sore he can hardly speak English."

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JAY E. GOULD Prop.

Senior: "I was just thinking-." Freshman: "I thought I heard something rattle."

#### BUY UM HEAP GOODS.

"Me want um rope for um cow. um tie um cow," answered the dusky savage.

"Say man do you mean to say that you have a cow that changes her hide?" asked the astonished clerk.

"Yup, me have um same," the Indian went on. "Me um cow change um hide every day. Hide in um creek, in um mesquite, hide in um hills, change um hide all the time."

#### Who Wrote "Hamlet"?

School Superintendent (cross questioning the terrified class): And now I want you boys to tell me who wrote Hamlet.

Frightened Boy: P-p-please, sir, it -it wasn't me.

That same evening the superintendent was talking to his host, the squire of the village. The superintendent said:

"Most amusing thing happened today. I was questioning the class over at the school, and I asked a boy who wrote Hamlet. He answered tearfully, 'P-p-please, sir, it wasn't me." After loud and prolonged laughter the squire said:

"That's pretty good and I suppose the little rascal had done it all the time!"

# THE DIRGE OF THE FLUNKED YOUTH.

A student sat in flunk-class, His head in sadness bowed; His flunk-mates sat about him A-talking gay and loud. The teacher, she ignored them, And let the noise get by; For she was busy writing A letter to her guy.

The youth he heaved a tragic sigh, And slowly raised his head; A tear-drop trickled down his nose As these sad words he said: "Don't neglect your lessons. We've careless been, I fear, Had we but studied faithfully We would not now be here."

The teacher let off writing, In her eye there stood a tear; For it did wring her teacher-heart Them tragic words to hear. The students ceased their talking And gazed upon the youth, For just by looking on his face They knew he spoke the truth.

His mates they felt compassionate, (All were with feelings blessed) They knew that for a coupla months They hadn't done their best. And some they fell to weeping; The youth he bowed his head, Amid the anguished weeps and wails Again these words he said: "Don't neglect your lessons" etc.

F. S. S.

# THE GRAPHOS

"Grave Comet." An excellent pahardware store and demanded a rope. per. Although all your departments are both good and well arranged the Exchange and Joke Departments are the best. Stories are fine. Why not Cow always change um hide, me want fill up the front page with accounts of school doings, etc., instead of stories?

EXCHANGES.

"Crockett Tecknician." We find your paper both interesting and newsy. "Found in the Dope Box" proves to be an original as well as clever column. We can only suggest a change in the way your "Exchange Department" is conducted.

"Star of the North" is an all-around good paper. There is a lot of good material in the "Star of the North" well arranged in columns.

When ice cream grows on Macaroni trees,

When Sahara's sands are muddy, And dogs and cats wear overshoes, That's the time I like to study.

#### LOCALS.

The Gym classes walked up to Herman Heights Friday.

Roland Hohn is taking English as he is physically unable to take more. Miss Russell was absent from school because of the death of her sister.

Every evening there are a few boys practicing in Turner Hall park for track teams.

The Senior Cooking Class served dinners to the teachers and the school board.

We are all glad to see Marvin Meyer back at school again. He has recovered from scarlet fever.

We all wonder why some people were tired and di not know their lessons last week. "Springtime," two kinds.

The Seniors had local exams on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. For the rest of the days they were excused.

Friday morning the Normal girls prepared a program. The little folks they teach sang and spoke pieces. Greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Hein is taking his gym classes out every day and they are either walking or jumping. By some of the records in jumping there ought to be a pretty good track team.

The program Friday morning was enjoyed very much. Howard Vogel recited two selections, the orchestra played a few pieces and the seniors gave a few parts of the play.

### ANNUAL PROM.

The Juniors are not worth two bits in their classes this week. Can you blame them? Remember- the annual Junior-Senior Reception is coming off tomorrow Saturday, May 20. The Decorating Committee is busy transforming the Gym into a- well we'd better not tell you. The members of the Eats Committee and the Entertainment Committee are also exerting themselves immensely in order

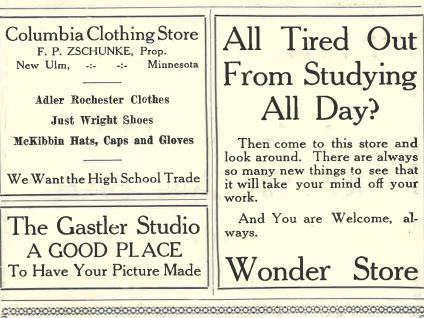
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