# Harmanmen Near End of Season 

# SPRINGFIELD DEFEATS <br> new ULM DEbaters <br> The New Ulm debating team wa <br> District Tourrament to be Held March 5-6-7 

 defeated by Springfield last Tuesday evening. The debate which was held in the High school auditorium, brought forth a lively discussion on the question: "Resolved, that the Chain Store System is Detrimental to the Best Interests of the American People." The New Ulm team, composed of Marion Pfaender, Arline Arndt, and Charles Poynter, nobly upheld the affirmative, but their argument proved to be not quite strong enough to triumph over the negative team, for the decision was given two to one in Springfield's favor.
## SCOUT WEEK OBSERVED

Last week was Boy Scout week, and so, on Friday, Mr. Wiggins, the dis rict executive, gave a speech abou the merits and advantages of being a Boy Scout. He also explained, in the course of his talk, how and by whom the Boy Scouts were begun. Burdett oahl gave a short description about (Continued on page 4.
NOAH'S BOOK SHOWS
WHAT NAMES MEAN

While during some research work in the library, it was with some joy and in some cases with shock that the following familiar names and their meanings were discovered in Webter's:
Charles-Manly, noble, spirited
Eldrid-Terrible.
Ferbert-Glory of the Army
Kenneth-Leader and commander Lewis-Bold warrior
Paul-Little.
Richard-Powerful
Robert-Bright in fame
William-Protector
Margaret-A pearl
Mary-Better.
Phyllis-A green bough.
Ruth-Beauty.
Arthur-High, noble.
Grace-Wisdom.
Myrtle-A flower
Alice-Simple.

## N. U. H. S. WISHES TO <br> CONSOLE J. R. HIGGS

The entire high school wishes to express its deepest sympathy to Johi Richard Higgs, who was so unfortunate as to be born on the 29th of Feb ruary. He is the only one in high school who is minus a birthday this year.

New Ulm high school has been Springfield vs. winners of New Ulmpaired with Wabasso high school for he first series of the district baske ball tournament, to be held at New Ulm Armory, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, March 5, 6, and 7, accordin to the schedule drawn up at a meeting of the district committee, in this city Monday afternoon. The New UlmWabasso go will be staged at 8 o lock, Thursday evening, March 5.

Lamberton-Echo Opens.
The tourney will be formally opened with a game between the Lam berton and Echo high schools, begin ning at 2 p . m., Thursday, March 5. that day, Morton is paired with Springfield, while the final afternoon contest, March 5, will be played by Winthrop and Fairfax at 4 p. Sleepy Eye and Gibbon will conten
or elimination honors, in the first evening game of the tournanient Thursday, March 5, at 7 p. m. Following the New Ulm-Wabasso tilt at 8 p. m., Redwood Falls will be matched against Gaylord, at 9 p. m. and Bel view and Franklin are scheduled to stage the final preliminary go at 10 o'clock, that evening.

Pairings of Winners.
The winners in the seven prelimin ry games will be paired for the sec nd series, as follows

Friday, March 6.
Second Round-Winners of Morton-

## TWO HIGHEST HONORS

ARE ANNOUNCED

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## FINISH SCHEDULE

WITH FINE SHOW

Coach Harman's fighting Purples are nearing the end of their seasonan unusually bright and successful one. The finish of the schedule will mean the end of their basket ball careers for some of the boys who are graduating, but none, certainly, have any cause to regret their fine playng during the year.
The season's closing with a fine spurt, and the boys have really only ne defeat of late to regret. This was the heart-breaking game played at Redwood last Friday, which the latter won, 24-25. But besides this the boys have been taking victories right and left, such as defeating Sleepy Eye, our deadly enemies, and also owering Gaylord's standards.
The boys met Sleepy Eye on the Ish-tah-kah-ba hunting grounds and efeated them 22-7.
Anyone who has ever seen a clash between these two competitive schools can imagine the tensenezs and excitement of the struggle. The scene of the combat was the Sleepy Eye Gymasium where, it seemed, the whole own of Sleepy Eye and a lot of local ans rallied to the defense of their eams and watched a battle roya which was to result in the lowering of he Ish-tah-kah-ba standards

Both Teams Work Hard.
The game started with a rush, and both teams played so enthusiastically that in the first few minutes of play about 7 personal fouls were called, 5 of them on Sleepy Eye. The entire first half was played fast and furiously, with New Ulm netting 2 field goals, and Sleepy Eye one; the half ended $7-\overline{5}$ in favor of New Ulm, but neither team had gained an advantage.

Locals Register Comelbach.
Then true to form, the New Ulmites egistered a third quarter come-back, netting 13 points themselves, and holding their opponents down to 1 field goal. The last quarter was fairly slow, with New Ulm raising thei lead by a field goal, and holding Sleepy Eye scoreless; and the whistle found the score 22-7, with Sleepy Ey very tired and exhausted team
The lineup:
NEW ULM. FG PF FT FTM TP Preuss, f
Wagner, f Wagner, f Marks, c Spaeth, ${ }^{\text {g }}$ Emmerich, Poynter Strate

Totals -
SLEEPY EYE. FG PF FT FTMTP Martine, f ......... $0 \quad 2 \quad 1 \quad 0$ Fischer, f
Spieker, c
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## On to Paris

This summer some high school boy or girl-it may be yourself-is goins to board a great French Line steamship and spend ten slorious days in France, with all expenses paid, New York to New York.
Moreover, the winnar of the On-to Paris essay contest will have the privilege of naming any adult he wishes, as companion. The companion's expenses also will be paid, New Yorls to New York. In France the two will be guests of the French government. Fifty gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded by the French government to the winners of the next fifty places.
The subject of the contest, as announced in the February issue of the American Boy Magazine, is "Why Want to Spend Ten Days in Paris." It calls for a 400 -word essay, which must reach American Boy offices by March 10 . First, contestants are in vited to write the On-to-Paris Editor, The American Boy Magazine, 550 W . Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., asking for free booklets about Paris and the International Colonial and Overseas Exposition that whi be held ther stamp for return postage a tho-cen lets will give you plenty of torics lets will you plent on topa
Here are the rules.
Keep the essay to 400 words. If ou run a few words over you won't be given the shorter ones
You must be under twenty-one be eligible.
If you win, you must go yoursel The prize is not transferable.
You and your companion must pay your traveling expenses from you home to New York and back-all oth er expenses will be paid for you.
Get your entry in by March 10 ! Mail it to the On-to-Paris Editor.
Write clearly, or typewrite your essay on one side our age and the name of the school you attend at the
top of each sheet. Don't ask us to return your essays-keep a carbon if ou wish.
Names of prize winners will be published in the May American Boy.

## EXCHANGE.

Vigor, vitality, vim and punch, That's pep.
The courage to act on a sudden hunch, That's pep.
With cling,
And a heart that never forgets to sing That's pep!

To say, "I will"-for you know you can,
That's pep.
look for the best in every moveThat's pep.
To meet each thundering, knockout blow,
And come iback with a laugh, because You'll get the best of the whole darn show
That's pep! THE ECHO, Wells, Minn
"Hello."
"Hello, is this Mary?"
'Yes.'
"Do you still love me?"
"Yes, who is it?"
SAINT'S REPORTER.
A man was bitten by a mad dog. Soon afterwards, in the hospital, being treated for hydrophobia, he called for a pencil and paper. The urse said, "You won't have to make a ill yet; you won't die for a lon me." To this he replied, "On, ust making a list of the people want to bite."

FARIBAULT ECHO
A mule can't kick
While he is pulling
And he can't pull
While he's kicking,
Neither can you

## THE HUB.

RAMBLING ABOUT SCHOOL. See all the freshmen girls chasing Jim Arbes and Civit Walrath down the halls-? Strength to 'em!
And our team lost to Redwood. Tough luck-but you're our teamand we like you.
Why didn't we get Washington's birthday off? We are abused around his high school. No kidding.
Donald Rice is looking for a new irl. (Leave applications with his pr vate secretary, Arthur Stone).
(Don't tell anyone, but I've got the itch, too). Did I hear you say Mae Jule and Rolly had another scrap?
Spring nites like these were just made for shy lovers like Janie and the D. M. L. C. swain!
Just who is Spot's inspiration at the present time?
A little bird told me that Gene S . weighs 195 pounds now. Just think sirls-Isn't that an armful?
Is Margaret Becker really in love or-is it just a state of mind?
It is estimated that Louis Runck is using up at least 20 gallons of gas a day showing off his word to some extra sweet Freshman girls.
Dick Hauenstein has joined a detec ive agency-at least it seems so. Leave it to Richard and his spotlight to find out what's what and who's who (Continued on page 4.)

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## KLASS KRIMES

## FRESHMAN FOLLIES.

The city of New Ulm can well be proud. Why? Because a poet has burst into the limelight. He is non other than Clifford Walrath, (pen name "Civet"). This young man was born Dec. 19, 1916, and now at the young age of fourteen, he has produced the great masterpiece, "The Basket Ball Tournament." He has
kindly consented to have it published
The Basket Ball Tournament.
It fell about the Easter tim
The time of all the year,
When people come from everywhere Basket ball results to hear
Gaylord won the first game From Sleepy Eye so dear, But when New Ulm beat Gaylord, You should have heard them cheer.

Then Redwood Falls beat Winthrop The worst team on the floor, The half saw Winthrop leading And you should hear them cheer.

Then came the dear old finals New Ulm vs. Redwood Falls, The balcony fairly trembled When New Ulm won the golden ball.

The great poet has asked that his punctuation, and spelling be excused as this is his first poem and he is only fourteen.

## SOPHOMORE SINS.

Famous last words of some of our Sophomores:
Stanley H.: "Will those girls ever quit teasing me?"
Altna S.: "Ten cents, just enough for a piece of pie."
Jimmy H.: "Another day gone to the dogs.'
Theo H.: "Oh, Richard, you're so mean to me.'
Grace S.: "I just love to tease people."
Jane M.: "One more hour, and I'll see Philip.
Myrtle G.: "Don't mention his name
to me again!'
Alys P.: "I'll see you tonight, Paul." Arthur F.: "I forgot to slap Ora"
Virginia F.: "Mr. Halling, you'll have to excuse me; I have to finish my dishes."
Frederick M.: "I wonder who I can borrow a piece of paper from."
Frank M.: "Algebra, you're driving
Jannette F.: 'II wonder what Mr Heim will scold me about today?"
Leo S.: "I ain't got dat in dat bok."
Laura H.: "X just love to write compositions."
Marjorie S.: "That's an old story, Paul."
Marie W.: "I can't help but whisper
in the fifth period.
An artist, John Bauer, writing to his friend from Rome, ended his let ter in this manner:
"I have visited the Forum and the Coliseum. Ah, if you only knew, my dear, how I thought of you as I gazed at the old ruins."

Alys Pufahl thinks the

A disposition like Richard Lindemann Wit of Billy Bockus. hysique of Babe
kin like Doyle Spaeth
Teeth like Bill E
yes like Arthur From Hair like Digo Preuss. Voice like Billy Mathar.
Choughtfulntes of Gene
mintiulaes of Gene Schmid eet like Corl Sueth eet like Carl Aufderheide
ersonal:ty like Howard Alwin
John Johnson thinks the Ideal Gir in N. U. H. S. would have:

1. Hair like Evelyn L's
2. Skin like Katherine Stuebe's
3. Eyes like Blanche P's
4. Nose lh like Jeannes.
5. Teeth like Gertrude Duibe's
6. Figure like Gretchen's.
7. Hands like Peggy Swartz's
8. Legs like Helen E's
9. Blushes like Joe Bianchi's
10. Voice like Arline Arndt's
11. Personality like Marion Pfaen
der.
12. Poise like Kather:ne Eichten's. 13. Sweetness of Marion Schmid
13. Wit like Alice M's.
14. D:sposition like Eileen's

The Juniors hope this won't cause any violent battle among the above mentioned. If this doesn't, the "would be vacation' and Washington's birthday will!

## SENIOR SHORTS.

At last-"Something for the Graphos," as Hintz would say.
Maybe this marvy spring weather was the cause of Ruth's taking Jane M., Katherine E., Digga, Poynter, and Emmerich for a visit to a certain farmerette, and maybe, if little Jimmie H. and Chuck O'Malley hadn't got the bright idea to open the bull pen when the girls were in the míddle of the barn, it wouldn't have happened. Well, it did happen, and you can ask Kathe Digga, and Charles, who all but decided to walk bome.
Famous clever sayings by clever people:
Time: Friday. (When the Sr's got an hour off.)
Place: 6th Period Eng. Class
Characters: Hippert and Fehlhaber. Miss Kearns: "I think you've had enough Eng. for one day; I'll read." Donald: "She's got a heart like an elephant today."
Malker: "Maly all teachers be elephants."
Miss Sogn: "What is salt in carborundum used for?,"
Ruth W. (Perfect specimen of what one year of Home Ec. does): "Flavoring!"
Herewith we wish to publicly announce our future intentions as regarding the status of men in this chool.
Rules:

1. The men in this town shall be he very vermin under our feet
2. Snub entirely those on our given list, and treat those on the list of oolness with only a cool manner 3. Follow the example of sister Hintz; she is ideal

Signed,
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LITTLE EPISODES IN THE LIFE OF A REFORMER.
1:00 P. M.-Rises (with aid of valet) 1:30 P. M.-Starts work on book, "Evils of Cigarette Smoking",
. 35 P. M.-Reaches for a "Lucky" in tead of a strike
2:00 P. M.-Returns to task.
2:30 P. M.-Listens to Al Smith on
redio.

5:00 P. M.--Retires to room to pre pare speech for W. C. T. U. meeting.
:00 P. M.-Gives the darn speech.
9:00 P. M.-Starts getting "tanked."
9:00 P. M.-Starts getting "tan
1:00 A. M.-Completes
1:00 A. M.-Wishes he had reformed
8:15 A. M.-Retires (with aid of valet).
TIPS FOR BEGINNERS IN BRIDGE.
Bid high, your partner may hav
good hand.
2. When you have a poor hand, signal immediately by saying, "Who the -dealt this mess?"
3. Claim all the honors, you might get away with it.
4. If you get a poor partner-keep score yourself. You've got to have some advantage.
5. Trump your partner's ace and cinch the trick.
6. Always ask what the trump is two or three times during the game. This always refreshes everybody's memory.
7. If nobody bids, bid against your partner; you must always keep up interest in the game, at any cost.
8. After the third attack, lay your hand on the table and claim the rest of the tricks. You may not have them, but it's much easier to play with all the cards on the table.
"Pshaw! I left my watch upstairs.
"Never mind, it'll run down."
"No, it won't. It's a winding stair-
Dad: "Son, $\overline{\text { I'm spanking you be- }}$
cause I love you.
Spot: "Did, I'd like to be big enough to return your love,"

The difference in effect of the stuff Rip drank and what we drink is that Rip woke up.
More water is used for making oceans than anything else.
Jeanne: "Did that course in Eng. help your boy friend any?"
Mae Jule: "No, he still ends every sentence with a proposition."
Eddie: "Were you thinking of me?" Blanche: "Oh, was I laughing? I'm sorry, pardon me."

Straw berets are now worn in Paris. In London they are eaten with cream.
"There is a fly in this vanilla ice."
Waiter: "Ah, they are going in for winter sports."
Redwood Falis Ball Player: "Is our captain hard?"
Marks: "Hard! Say, he used to
have a job testing electric chairs."

## NOTICE:

The members of the Drum Corps wish to thank Mr. Heim for helping them to make their Candy Sale, last Friday, a success, to the extent of buying 2 cents worth of candy. We wonder from' whom he borrowed the 2 cents.

HARMANMEN NEAR END OF SEA. SON.
(Continued from page 1.)

## Hoffman, g ......... 0 1 10000

 Moll, g ScobieTotals
The Redwood game was the most hrilling and yet most heart-breaking game possible, with Redwood coming from behind a 10 -point lead to win by 1 point.
The locals held the upper hand in the first three quarters, leading by 10 points. But in the last quarter, the Redwood boys started to click, and with one minute to play, tied the score at 24 -all. Just before the whistle a foul was called on New Ulm, and Redwood sank a winning shot.
This was a disappointing defeat, but the boys still have high hopes for they have the stuff that wins!
Tonight the boys play Sleepy Eye at the Armory and tomorrow they meet Morton.
NEW HLM NOSES OUT SLEEPY EYE IN DECLAMATION.
(Continued from page 1.)
suggestions on how to improve their speaking. Mr. Brings expressed many speakers. He complimented William Meierding on the ffectiveness of his conversational style of deiivery He tated that he could find no adverse riticism to give Alice Milliman, who won and held her audience with her refined, extremely humorous presentation. His comment on Marion Pfaender was that she showed remarkable possa and excellent inter pretation. pretation
We congratulate Sleepy Eye on heir initiative in securing a critic The
Epringistrict contest will be held at Springfield, Monday evening, March 2.

## COLI WEEK OBSERYED.

(Continued from page 1.)
how he won his merit badge by building a hut with a fireplace and constructing a derrick. John R. Higgs gave a brief talk on cooking as connected with Boy Scout work. The assembly program was concluded by the Boy Scouts taking their oath.

RAMEBLING ABOLT SCHOOL. (Continued from page 2.)
The Seniors report that never in all their lives have they enjoyed anything so much as they (W) that Aptitude lest last week. (we sot out a whol us four years to set a break like that!

Miss Sogn: "Did some one in the other class help you with these probems?'
Richard: "No, I got them wrong myself."
Virginia: "You sure think you are good looking, don't you?"
Hilary: "Well, no, but what is my women?"
Donald R.: "Did you fill your date last night?"
Leo S.: "I'll say I did. She ate verything in sight."

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[^0]:    Marion Pfaender, who has a straigh A" average for her four years in igh school, has received the honor of being valedictorian of the class of 1931. Loretta Glaser, who has a "B" plus average for four years in high school, is the salutatorian. Audrey Keute deserves honorable mention as being a close second to Loretta Glaser hat it was debated as to whether o not it should be called a tie.
    Walter C.: "I flunked in history because I said Coronado was a new make of radio."
    Robert IS.: "Yeah, and I said La Calle and De Soto are models of au tomobiles."

    One good thing about telling the ruth is that you don't have to renember what you say.
    True, how true! The first thing to
    arn green in spring will be Christmas jewelry

