

## AG BOYS BRIIN HONE STHEPSTAKES

New Ulm Scores 3875 points out of 4000
Two New Ulm Agricultural Judging teams coached by $\mathbb{E} . \mathrm{R}$. Draheim, made a clean sweep at the Southern Minnesota Annual Grain and Poultry judging contest held at Lakefield on Saturday, January 9.
The New Jlm Ag students defeated ten other tea s entered in the contest by taking six first place ribbons out of seven and bringing howe three trophies out of the four amarded.

Although the two teams were handicapped by some boys being unable to go on account of sickness; the students returned with even more honors than they did last year when New Ulm was tops at the sa:e contest.--Page 8.

## FORENSIC FESTIVAL TO BE HELD

New Ulm High School will be host to several high: schools in the Twin City area, the we.st and southwest parts of the state when the debate teams from those high schools corie to Nerg Ulm Mednesday, January 20. Acceptances from five schools, including West High School Roosevelt High School, Worthington, Nankato, and $\%$ inthrop have already been reported.

Opening ceremonies will take place in the asserably at 11 a.m., after which the first round of debates will be held. During the afternoon there will be an intermission phen Lerton Overing, a prominent reader of poems and impersonator of odd bits of character from the byways of life, will entertain the guests.

The members of the National Forensic League rill act as hosts to the visiting teams. Plans are being made to have a dinner at one of the churches.-Page 8

## CARNIVAL TO BE PUT ON JANUARY 23

Hey, kids, the carnival's coming to town!!
Where? In the High School gym.
Then? January 23.
Shall I tell you what it's all about? You.know, it's not a secret. First of all, there will be a stage show in the auditorium. You and your friends won't want to miss this because there'll be a style show with pretty old-fashioned costurnes and songs, pantomiming and dancing to go with it--don't forget that your tickets, Thich only cost a dime, will admit you to this program.

Then you go down to the gymnasium, where you can have your weight guessed, you can fish in the fish pond; buy balloons, thips, canes, squirt guns and horns; ring duck's heads in a tank of water; and wou'll be able to get candy, hot dogs, pop, lemonade, sweet cider, and popcorn.--Page 8.

## TEDNESDAY SET FOR ATHLETIC BANQUBT

The annual Athletic Banquet will be held in the gymnasium of the Nev Ulm High: School Zednesday evening, January 20. Since there are to be several prominent athletic directors present, the banquet is expected to be a success.
Superintendent $E . K$. Hanson will act as toastmaster, The speakers will be Frank incCormick, athletic director of the University of ininnesota; Charlie Johnson, sports editor of the Minneapolis Star; Joe Harman, New Ulm's coach; and the Nert Ulm football captain.
kusical numbers will be contributed by the Rusic department. After the banquet movies of the games played the past season by the rinnesota football team will be shown by Phillip Brain, tennis coach at the University.

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

January 15--Redwood.Falls. B.B. There
January 19--Gaylord B.B. There
January $19 \rightarrow-D_{e}$ bate for Current News Ciub
January: 20--Iyceum program
January 20--Debate tournament
January 20-Athletic banquet
January 22--St. James B.B. Here
January 23-School carnival
January 25-30 Six Weeks' Tests
January 26--Hutchinson B.B. There
January 29--Sleepy Eye B.B. There
February 2--Springfield B.B. There
February 5--Iamberton B.B. There

## DEBATERS CANCEL TRIP

The debate squad was unablt to attend the proposed debate at North High School at Kinneapolis Friday because of the severe snowstorm.

Last Tuesday, the entire squad went to Mankato where four debates were held with teams from Mankato High School. The Mankato:debaters proved to be very fine hosts and the squad enjoyed their trip very much. Howard Korth and Mr. Kinium furnished transportation for the squad. Next Tuesday two of our debate teams will debate before the Current News Club at lirs. Armin Heyman's on the State League debate question:

FRI-LE-TAS HOLD NEETING
The Fri-le-tas' first meeting in the new year was held Wednesday, January 6 in the high school auditorium.

Miss Cassie Erickson opened the program with three piano selections. Miss Fisher gave a talk on past and future programs. Each member was asked to give her New Year's resolution. An orchestra consisting of Fri-le-ta members played The following selections: No Regrets, Mexicana Rose, Did I Remember, I'11 Sing You a Thousand Love Songs, and I Have a Rendezvous with a Dream.
Business matters were discussed and the minutes were read by Secretary Anita Grussendorf. The food schedule for January 13 was postponed because of the larte number of ahsences from school.

The pleasant odors from the Home Economics department were the result of pie and cake-baking. The various types of pies and several kinds ; of ? cakes were made. Now a study of frozen desserts and meats will be taken up.
The Art class is attempting to make a color chart with water colors and is finding so simple sounding a project quite difficult.
mir. Hoefs informs the readers that a new score-board is being built. It is being painted for visibility rather than with our school colors
Mr . Sutherland!s Speech classes during the past week have been making a study of interpretation. They have learned to distingivish among common reading, interpretation, impersonation and acting.
The Sophomore Home Economics students are finishing their silk dress project.
The American History classes have been devoting the past two weeks to a study of the slavery issues and how they gave rise to the war between the States. Next week committees will be appointed to prepare prograns for Lincoln's and Washington's Birthdays.

The boys' octet, the girls' sextet, and the cornet duo are now riding on the high wave of popularity. The boys' octet has made a number of appearances recently. In the group are Otis Loose, Delford Precht, Burton Parmeter, Robert Aufderheide, Louis Kahle, James Penkert, John Teichrow, and Gareth Hiebert. The sextet is composed of Marion Oswald, Wiebke Grussendorf, Betty Neuwirth, Anita Grussendorf, Phyllis Shake, and Letha Stoltenburg: The cornet duo is composed of Carl Ingle. Ellsworth Meerfeld accompanies them on the piano.

The Shorthand I class is still hard at work on their funny little hooks and crooks. They have been having timed dictation on short letters at varying rates of speed.

The Stenography II class is spending most of the time on transcription of let.ters and addressing envelopes.

## DR. SAFFERT WARINS AGAINS' FLU EPIDPMIC

Dr. Saffert, a member of the board of health, addressed the assembly Wednesday afternoon, January 13, As many as eighty students have been absent from school due to the flu during the past week. Dr. Saffert explained the symptoms and pretective measures which should be taken. There is really no cause to become alarmed because the situation here is not critical. He advised all people to stay away from public gatherings and practice a few common health rules.

## FORTiNSIC LEAGUE MEETS

On Thursday, January 7, a meeting af the National Forensic League was held. The society elected the following new members: Martha Esser, Anita Grussendorf, Marjorie Haeberle, and Helen Case. Arrangements are being made to hold declamatory contests with Holy Trinity and DMLC, and with Winthrop and Sleepy Eye. Members of the IV.F.L. will act as hosts to the visiting debate teams at the tournament on January 20.

## D彐SCRIPTIVE MOVIES SHOWT TO H. S. GROUP

On Tuesday, December 15, a colored movie and an accompanying talk were given by Dr. John Walker Powell of the University Extension Division. He showed pictures feenic spots in Minnescta, Montana, the Rocky Mountains, and Yellowstone Park and the Grand Canyon. Dr. Powell talked at a P. T. A. meeting the previous evening on the surbject of the Modern Literature.

## FACULTY FACSIMILIES

Suthie is his nickname,
Life, to him's a jest,
We'd like to give him praisé for being "Mifferentil from the rest.

Everybody likes,him,
We think he's lots of fun,
And we'll rememher Suthie,
When our high school days are dene.


Chewing gum is his delight,
He's developing his jaws,
Spearmint is his failing, and He chaws and chaws and chaws.

He paces up and down the line,
At a foothall game,
His gait is marvelous to see, Joe Harman is his name.

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Miss Treadwell is the "watchman", She stands and guards the gate, You simply can't get up the steps If you're unfortunately late.

She teaches freshmen algebra, Geometry's her pi,
Fut she can be a darn good sport, And our estimation's high.

> By ne who has gone out of the gates.

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-A CHEER FOR OUR CHEER LEADERS-
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We have cheers for the team, the individual players, the opposing team, and for the coach, but nary a cheer for the cheer leaders. Surely they deserve a slice of the credit for. New Ulm's success.
In spite of lack of appreciation and, occasionally lack of cooperation, Anita, Evelyn, and Lorraine have shown their school spirit and good sportsmanship by Eurnishing their own outfits and doing all that is possible to promote peppy, concerted cheering from the spectators.
Their job need not be a thankless one and it wouldn't be if we'd all give our lungs a little airing and our vocal cords a little exerciso at the right soments.

## -ATHIETIGS AND CFARACTER BUIIDING-

Athletics is recogrized as an essential part of educational procesential part It is a field of activity, both mental and prysical. The playing court has become a laboratory where ttitudes and ideals are tried and attitudes and ideals are tried and tested. Here the character training of the nome, the church, and the classroom is supplemented.

In athletics, the atrlete lives under a code more exrcting than in any other human activity. He is subjected to mules and resziations whose viclations bring penalty and disqualification.

The athlete obeys the major males of health in matters of diet, rest ard cleanliness. He follows " standard procedure in the care and protection of ris body.

His lesire is to be at his best physically on the day of the game and re is conscious that any lack of condition on his part may interfere with the success of the team.

A good atrilete follows the rules of the game. He accepts without dispute the penalties and the losses. He learns that rules are made to protect him as mell as others, that others have rights as well as hed His constant effort is a stimulus to honesty, obedience and fair play. Good Sportsmanship is one of the characteristics of a good athlete. "It assumes in a player a sense of justice, kindness, npenmindedness, tolerance, and modesty. It is evidenced in the attitude of a gracious winner and a gentlemanly loser.

In the enumeration of the traits desirable in a good athlete, we have named the qualifications of a good citizer ***
We cannņt afford tn stand still, or W $W$ may be tempted to lie down. The ma: ho lies domn leserves to get run cver. Guccessful men are such hecause they have been a little more exact, a little more industricus, a little more snthri-siastic--in a word, a little more alive-than the cthers.

Work today for you know not bow much jua. may be hindered tomorrow.--

Renjamin FrankIin


## FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Here's a gawf-gawf from the exchange of the Panther, from Paragon, Indiana: "Will you give ten cents to help the Old Ladies' Home?"
"What! Are they out again?"
The Lincoln Iorch, Lake City, Minne-
sota gives a torchy one:
"The sailor heard that the ocean
was full of nudists."
"So what?"
"He went to sea."
West High Mimes, Minneapolis. First Brilliant Thought for Today: "Ode to a Tailor--\$135."

Remember last year's Mary Dix column? The Ada Hi Hi, Ada, Minnesota has a similar column called, Aunt Belle. Here's a sample:
"I'm desperately in love with a girl but she won't marry me because she found out that I snore in my sleep.
(Signea) thy do we sleep? Ed 'Snoring'
"Dear why do we sleep,
Apply dabs of this solution to your face every night before going to bed:

2 tablespoons flour
$\frac{\pi}{2}$ can condensed milk
During the summer months the skin on your face has probably shrunk and when you close your eyes jour mouth opens:"

Sincerely,
Aunt Belle
I'll bet Miss Sogn will call this to the attention of the biology class. (It's from the Maroon and White Log, Springfield, Minnesota.)
"Mir. Johnson says that teaching some people is like the definition for osmosis-a liquid passing through a membrane from dense to denser."

The Ko-Hi-Nur, Corona, California. Teacher, (to class pest): Where's your ethics?

Pest: I traded it in for a Plymouth last fall.

A recent issue of the Spud, Moorhead High School publication, carries a picture of the proposed Junior High School. The building is to be modernistic in design and will house 800 pupils.

Sherburn High Piper has a write-up of the new junior college at Worthington. A new wing has been added to the high school to accomodate the college group and four instructors make up the faculty.

## COMMBZCIAL DEPARTMENT GETS NEN MACHINES

Four new typewriters have been added to the Commercial department. The new machines revlace four old machines that were beginning to show wear. Two of the machines are I C Smiths with elite type, the other two are Royals with pica type. The stencils for this issue of the Graphos were cut on the new Smiths.

## COUNCIL DISCUSSES PROBLEMS

A meeting of the Student Council was held December 155, 1936 in Miss Kearns* room. Several important problems were iscussed. The first of these mas the matter of assembly programs. The home rooms are to $\nabla$ rite to decide between having classes or home rooms sponsor a program. A committee was appointed to see Mr. Hanson about securing Iyceum numbers.

Because of the cromded quarters in the cloak rooms, it was decided that members of the faculty act as policemen during the noon hour. Signs were posted in the cloak rooms. A committee was to see Mr. Dirks. In his opinion, the students would be better able to handle the problem without supervision.

A report was brought that some teachers did not give enough time for the study period. It fas explained that teachers are to use their own discretion in allowing time for study.

## STUDENTS, HEAR . PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

On Tuesday, January 5, the students of the high school heard the President's address to Congress. This is the first time Congress has opened its session in January. The radio used was the property of the Buenger Furniture. Company.

## P. T. A. MAKES DRIVE

In a fifteen minute talk Wednesday morning, January 6, Reverend Iseli, the president of the P.T.A., requested the cooperation of the high school students in the P.T.A. membership drive. A five dollar prize has been offered to the class which enrolls the most new members. Short class meetings were held to get the campaign organized.

## NEW Yelfis Resolilion S

Buddy W. I resolve to stay home three nights out of the week.
Jackie M. I resolve to follow Gareth Hiebert's footsteps in debate.
Delores K. I resolve to attend gym class more regularly.
Milbur I. 'I resolve to start training for next year's football team.
Charles S. I resolve to take a girl out at least once a month.
Ronnie S. I resolve to keep in grod
training for the basketball tournament.
Evelyn A. I resolve to give the boys of New Ulm High School a break.
Anita G. I resolve to put some of my
cheer leading pep into some of my debate.
Douglas K. I resclve to show a little more personality in greeting the girls. George S. I resolve to waliz to school this winter at least once a week; Gene S. I resolve to be more quiet in assembly.
Mr. Anderson. I resolve to let Martin $\mathbb{T}$. get the best of me in our next argument. Mr. Sutherland. I resolve to let my debate squad have their own way for awhile. Mr. Harman. I resolve to have a state champion basketball team.
Miss Fisher. I resolve to turn out A and $B$ students.
Mr. Dirks. I resolve to give my social class fewer tests.
Skidmore O. I resolve to learn to dance: Teasel is. I resolve to eat Wheatina regularly. (It makes Hmuskles"').
Nora B. I resolve to be a gold-digger. Bob M. I re olve to stop arousing sympathy by throwing away my critches. Fred M. I resolve to be a playboy. John T. I resolve to ignore anyone whe calls me "Bush".
Bobby B. I resolve to discover whether we are mice or men.
Miss Westling. I resolve to grow three inches.
Mr. Draheim. I resolve to make real farmer's wives ou't of my girls ' agricultíre class.
Mr. Pfaender. I resolve to make Eagle Scouts of Robert $H$. and Ceorge $S$.
Terry D. I resolve to get to school on time.
Miss Blair. I resolve to help the freshmen become sophomores.

RTUMOR ROUNDUP
There's a notice on the bulletin board adyertising for information about a skirt lost between school and Thurner Hall.
(Can you imagine a girl losing her skirt and not noticing it?)

We notice $E$. B. has forgotten her ro-. mance with that senior boy last year and has up and gotten herself another flame. His initials are W. S. (How does she do it?).

Our physical education teacker's anticigarette posters are getting in some peopie's hair. Such remarks as "phooey" "wise guy" and "nerts" are slung at the posters as the fairer sex troops into the locker rooms. (The truth hurts, eh?)

Don S. doesn't think so much of this new swing music, he still likes I'll Take You Home Again Kathleen, the best.

Delores K. finally revealed the key to her skating popularity. "When the boys sling you into the snow banks, pretend you don't like it and yell your head off ---they!ll come around again." (In other words, it all comes back to "Keep them guessing!"
"Mark Twain said that vhen he was a boy of 14 his father was so ignorant he could hardly stand to have the old man around; but when he got to be 21 he was astonished at how much the old man had learned in seven years."

Miss Treadwell: "What is me-fifth of three-sixteenths?"
Wayne P. "I don't know exactly, but it isn't anough to worry about".

Miss Ritt: "Is there a word in the English language that contains all the vowels?!!
Retty N. "Unquestionably."
Miss Ritt: "What is it?"
Betty: "I just told you."
Dicky E . "Do you keep fountain pens?" Clerk: "Ne, we sell them." Dicky, strolling toward the door: "Anyway, you'll keep the one you were going to sell me,

## AG BOYS WIN--Page 1

Donald Hippert, Harold Schaefer, Leslic Buggert and Orlin mack represented New Ulm in the grain judging and identification contest. Donald Hippert was high individual in the entire contest, scoring 1035 points to defeat Ted ZNhorsky of Lakefield, who totaled 990 points for second high individual. Donald was also high in the district in identification of crops, weeds, and grasses. Harold Schaefer scored highest in the district in crops judging, defeating George Zallaha of Lakefield by 45 points. Leslie Buggert scored second in the identification contest. Thus the Ner Ulm boys were first in crops juaghe winning the trophy in that division. They were first in the identification contest, winning that trophy also. They also won the sweepstakcs trophy for highest total score in the district.

The poultry judging teem, made up of Leo Maidl, Clarence Nodlin and Glenmore Eyrich, scored second in the district, being defeated by Lakefield by 20 points.

The following schools were represented besides Ne Ulm: Lakefield, Windon, Hills, Fairmont, Heron Lake, Jefiries, and Pipestone.
E. R. Draheim, director of the Southmestern winnesota Ag Mens' Association conducted a meeting of the instructors while the boys were working on the contest.

## FORENSIC FESTIVAL--Page I

The New Ulm High School and the community should be greatly interested in this tournament as it is the first one of its kind to be hold here to foster speech activities. This type of tournamont is proving very beneficial to boys and girls of high school age. It trains them to organize their material and present it to an audience in an intelligent manner. It develops personality and self-expression. No other recreation has as much all-around value as forensics.

Let's extend a hearty melcome to these budding orators and make their stay a pleasant and profitable one!

In the sideshows you'll find a minstrel show, boxing show, Honolulu show, the Dionne Quints, and even taxi-dancers.

All students are urged to sell as many tickets as they can--you'll want the cernival queen to be a representative of your closs. The queen is to be chosen from: Florence Robertson, freshman class, Phyllis Shake, sophomore class, Corinne Berg, junior class, and Marcella Groebner senior class.
At 10.30 there will be three dramings,
first prize is $\$ 10$; second prize $\$ 3$; and third prize \$2. You may be the lucky one:

## DID YOU KNOW

That the local basketball team journeys to Redwood Falls tonight? It is expected the pane will be a close one nd a
the teaii.
That Irene Jones who has been assisting Irs. Baur in the Superintendent's office is now employed at the Nem Ulm Grocery Company? Irene was graduated in the class of 1936 and we vish her success in her ne\#work.
That the temperature $\mathbb{T a s s}^{5}-1 \delta^{\circ}$ thịs morning?
That there's going to be an all-school Carnival next Saturday night?
That Nerry Lake was helping Miss Dahl - in the library this week?

That eighty students and two teachers were out of schiool cne day this week with the flu?
That several students tho have been assent for some time are back in school? Bob Mills who had his leg broken in football is back in school today using a cane. Cornelius Burk who broke his leg last fall is managing well with his crutches. Dorothy Zupfer was back loonday after beDorothy Zupfer was
ing out for several meeks.
That the end of the semester is close at hand? It might be a gocd idea to look the report cards over carefully now that we are at the end of the half-way mark.

