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Seniors To Present Tragedy, MACBETH B. A. Kitzberger To Be Wed At 4:00 P. M. Today Faculty And Student Body To Roll Eggs

Buxom Courtland Beauty To Be First Bride Of Musician

After years of infinite loneliness, Benjamin A. Kitzberger has at last become reconciliated with his boyhood "flame", petite Minnie Pearle Swoon. This buxom beauty has been appearing regularly for the past twenty years with the Franklin Fresh Air Follies as the star fan dancer; nevertheless she has always cherished hopes of one

day becoming a little homemaker. "These two" fell **madly** in love way back when Mr. Kitzberger held the discus throwing record in good old NUHS.

Because of her valuable experience in managing, Miss Irene Fisher has offered her services in directing the wedding plans. A faculty committee composed of Ruth Kitter, Mrs. Mary Freitag and Harold Bierbaum has decided the occasion merits the use of the auditorium. An improvised altar bedecked with bittersweet will be the center of interest. For the past week, privileged students have been excused from their classes to hunt for pussywillows which have transformed the auditoriun into an exotic pussy willow bower.

Members of the Fresh Air Follies will attend the blushing bride while faculty men will act as ushers.

Essig Tech To Conduct Mass Initiation April 18

April 18 will be a red-letter day in the lives of the new members-to-be of the National Honor Society, for on that day they will be formally initiated into this famous society. The initiation will take place at the Gutzke cottage on the Minnesota river.

Essig Technical high school society members will conduct the mass initiation. After this, Rudy Marti, worldfamous tattooer, will tattoo the national emblem on each memberthe exact location to comply with national regulations.

President and vice-president respectively are Rich Kennedy and Delores Oswald. Their colleagues are Lillian Lake, Jack Medberry, Virginia Schugel, Melvin Menk, Delores Polzin, Lloyd Grams, Carol Brust, Verna Esser, and Bess Larson.

Henry Forlorn, president of

Andrews' Lawn To Be Course

April 14, Easter Monday, the annual egg-rolling contest will take place on the spacious lawn of Superintendent and Mrs. Andrews at 615 South Washington Street. Principal and Mrs. Dirks have volunteered to supply all the necessary eggs. The eggs will be either chocolate with cream centers or hens' eggs with hard-boiled centers. With the N.U.H.S. band playing "I'm Putting All My Eggs in One Basket," the children will roll their eggs. Seniors are especially invited to come because they will be the honor contestants.

Student Council Floats To Metropolis In Huge Stratosphere Balloon

Fifty student council members left for New York last Wednesday morning from the New Ulm municipal airport. The gas bag which transported the group was loaned by the Secretary of the Navy, "Hank" Stimson. floating sausage was piloted by two t E men, Sir Edward Eggers and Alan Schmucker of the Bavar-IF yal Air Force.

interest—the beautiful Cottonwood Lake and Dam and Swan Lake with its romantic Mud Falls.

At nine-thirty, the same day, they floated into the New York Airport and were met by Mayor La Guardia, the City Council, and Billy Rose with his bathing beauties. The latter were especially interesting to the council adviser, Mr. Dirks. Upon arrival, the group was escorted through sixty miles of intense traffic by a squadron of airplanes and almost one hundred police mounted on motorcycles. After two hours of traveling, the group reached the Council Building on Times Square where they were permitted to view the famous council in action. After fifteen minutes of dry talk, the only person remaining awake was the faithful secretary, Doris Wendland. She was taking notes and pictures for her memory album.

Page Replaces Tangora As World's Fastest Typer

The famous Albert Tangora, typist wizard, today is hiding in some remote corner of the world because he has lost the distinction of being champion of the typewriter keys.

In Tangora's former place is Richard Page, who has beaten Albert's record of 141 words per minute. Dick pecks away at 200 words a minute, without

Everything in this issue is dedicated to Sir Nonsense, who is reborn every year at the same time, April Fools' Day. Any resemblance

This **Yippee!** Wild West Rodeo To Be Theme Of Prom

to situations or persons dead or

alive is purely intentional.

Roman Reezack and his "Rafter Dusters" of KYSM -adic forme have They passed many scenic places of at long last been secured to play for the prom. s'earer to

As usual time N- a formal affair. Selection of a Western theme was announced this morning. The big event of the evening will be the rodeo floor show between dances featuring "Wild Bill'. Hickock and his Thirtyone Dancing Damsels. Gene Autry has been booked to sing.

All prom-goers are requested to meet at Johnson's Field, from where they will be escorted to the high school in haywagons. Hook'em Cowpunchers have been secured to accompany the wagons.

Upon their arrival the guests and hosts will be herded into the corral (formerly the auditorium lobby). Auditorium and gymnasium will be decorated to represent a typical ranch at round-up time. Improvised stalls are to be built to house the calves donated by the South St. Paul Stockyards. One million bales of hay for decorating purposes have been ordered. The Puhlman Lumber Company has been contracted for the barbed wire fence to be used to surround the gym. Camp fires will furnish heat and light. The following menu has been select-

ed by the banquet committee: Prune Juice Ox-tail Soup Beans a la Burp with Peppermint Sauce Pimento Stuffed Sardines Surprise Dessert

Hanslick Twins And Eckstein Take **Star Roles**

At last, after months of careful pondering, R. J. Sutherland and his twenty-four advanced speech students have reached the conclusion that the 1941 class is so talented that anything less than a Shakesperian drama would insult their acting ability; consequently Mr. Sutherland has chosen Shakespear's weirdest tragedy, Macbeth.

After weeks of tryouts Agnes Hanslick has won over her twin sister Cecelia for the honor of playing the leading feminine role, Lady Macbeth. Anton Eckstein defeated Harvey Johnson for the role of Macbeth. Banquo, Macbeth's enemy, will be played by Reinhardt Neumann. Duncan, the king, who is murdered in the first act, is to be played by Oscar Traugen. The witches three grotesque, ugly, bewitching-are being portrayed by Dellores Johnson, Jeanne Thornley, and Marion Stephenson. Fleance, Banquo's son, will be Jerome Brey. Scotch noblemen will be Darwin Romberg, Kenneth Classen, Douglas Current, Albert Domeier, John Hedberg, and Leo Rausch. Melvin Steward and James Windland, will portray Duncan's cowardly sons.

This tragedy will have a threeweeks' run in New Ulm the latter part of June and will then travel with the Minnesota Stock Company for the rest of the summer.

Marcella Wiedl has been selected as business manager. Tickets are now on sale at \$2.00 a piece and may be reserved at Wiedl's on South Minnesota Street.

Band To Go On Goodwill **Tour To South America**

Seventy-five excited musicians and their conductor, B. A. Kitzberger, piled into two mammouth Greyhound buses Saturday morning, March 29, and set out on their annual South American concert tour. This year Ignatius Anderkowski, world-known musician, has consented to be guest conductor and soloist. When he appeared here recently with the Milford symphony band, he had the opportunity to hear the local band in action. Greatly impressed Anderkowski de

Notice! Notice!

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bish League, will be the main speaker.	faltering, for nine hours at a time.		clared, "I'm wasting my time with
About twenty thousand relatives are	The contest deciding the winner	Girls' Be true to your school.	the Milford band. I'm joining the
expected.	was held in Miss Kittel's room.	Get lavendar and white formals.	Continued on page 2

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Editorial Shots

Spring is here in all its glorious splendor and there is one thing that we feel it is our duty to urge you to do. Skip school!!! Don't be one of those sissies who are worried about their reputations. Everyone needs the sun's healing rays. Just look at all of the frail, anaemic-looking students and faculty members. We beseech you, scholars and teachers, skip! ! !

As you all know, today is the day when all dirty, low-down, "skunks" can be as mean as they've always longed to be and get away with it. Don't miss this chance-trip, lie, bite, and scrap all you want to.

Now that the third quarter is over, so are all our worries. Don't lug books Our examination marks don't count anyway. Start catching up on all that lost fun, and above all don't study

Boys, don't be duped into taking a girl to the prom. Don't waste a whole dollar on a corsage that isn't appreciated. Girls wouldn't mind a bit; in fact they'd be glad to get rid of you.

Remember that little poem about the grass that riz? Well, the grass is riz, but what's the difference? It'll be here all summer. Don't pay any attention to "Keep off the Grass" signs. The school board has plenty of money to plant more.

Bribing the school board is now in order. You've guessed it-the annual hiring and firing of the faculty is now proceeding. The limit of the bribe is half the salary earned. How about hiring a few college beau brummels, if that's possible?

Congratulations staff, for the excellent paper you have put out this year. It's the best paper since it was organized many years ago. You are all clever, industrious workers, You truly deserve the grand awards you received.

Flash! The Eighth Notes of New Ulm high school fame have been booked for a month's engagement at the Cottonwood Bowi overlooking the beautiful Cottonwood Lake. Accom- cities in South America,

Graphos Is All-American In Journalistic Contests

Topping the more than 2,000 school papers entered in this year's All-American Critical Service and Contest sponsored by the National Scholastic Press Association, the Graphos has been awarded the All-American Pacemaker rating which is the highest award that is given to any school paper. In addition to this the Graphos has achieved something which seemed impossible. It has copped all seven of the All-Columbian honors given by the Columbia Scholastic Press Association. The following people are responsible

for the several awards:

Typography—Colleen Milliman, Alice Temple, Marie Furth

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Sports-Henry Hambrecht

Features-LaVonne Golnast, Leona Buggert

Advertising—Carol Sandmann, Emilie Galloway

Tante Turns Marm

An experiment performed two weeks ago has proved to be a great * mishap to its would-be master, Professor Cernia. His health has since been impaired by the peri- * lous gas used in the experiment, but he hopes to recover in time to administer the final exams. -During his absence, Tante Mev-* er has consented to instruct his classes. Students report as to the superiority oft to springbility and state that the test tubes and other equipment are receiving almost as * much polishing as their minds.

Band

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N.U.H.S. band tomorrow on its 1941 concert tour''

Anderkowski is an enthusiastic young musician recently graduated from the Winthrop Conservatory of Music.

Soloists to Appear Mr. Kitzberger has announced Richard Page will play a bassoon solo entitled, "Nickle, Nickle, Nickle". Another soloist will be Myrtle Sallet, that tall, graceful girl who plays the bass viol so adeptly. She will play "Beat Me Daddy Eight To The Bar". Several of the more classical selections the band will play are "High on Herman's Heights", by Hoiman, "There Goes Benny". by that youthful composer, Eldor Altmann, and

"You Are My Moonshine", by that child prodigy, Ralph Krueger. To offer variety to the program, a modern number by a modern composer will be offered. It will be "Fugue in X Sharp Minor" by Razor.

This tour will cover all the leading thousands of mourners. Mexico,

S-l-i-v-e-r-s S-o-c-i-e-t-y

Following an interesting discussion on the topic "Others", a lunch was served to the members of the Junior recent attack of distemper. Congregational Ladies Aid. Jeanne Thornley presided as hostess.

The girls' sextette, composed of Muriel Hillesheim, Lucille Schobert, Ordelle Bauermeister, Beverly Johnson, Mae Gieseke and Rosella Suess, sang at the CCC camp Tuesday evening, in a concert much appreciated by the camp staff and boys.

"Flea" Christiansen visited every evening last week at the home of Miss Patricia Ruth Beyer.

Paul Brust and Verna Janni were hosts to their chinese checker club at the latter's home on South Washington Street. Prizes were awarded to Vo-Lorraine Hacker and "Howie" mack.

Last evening the Current News club met at the Charlotte Krahn residence. Charlotte Vogelpohl read an extremely lengthy original paper on "The Evil Fascism in the World of Today."

Obituary

The death of Phoebe, long his most cherished possession, is the cause of much grief for Norman Machtemes. This butterfly (cabbage variety), which accompanied Norman wherever patwent, met death accidentally. tangled itself in the golden thread which Norman had so 'ovingly tied about its neck. The senior class extends its sympathies.

* * * * Sorrowful tears dim the eyes of the

biology students for their own, their beloved "Carpie." Yes-that huge, well developed beauty of the sewagepolluted stream, has passed on to another world. But his memory will always be cherished in the hearts of the biology students-for his life was sacrificed to that wonderful cause of modern scientific research-to find out what makes him tick.

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Most of the basketball fans that attended the game between the "Sleepy Seniors" and the "Junior Windjammers", know that there was something dead at the game. No-I don't mean the plays, but did you notice Alan Schmucker's difficulty in keeping his pajama pants from sagging? Yes, my a nervous state that he can't give defriends, there was a severe evidence of 'dead'' rubber at the game.

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Drum and Bugle corps-New Ulm High School— September 25, 1940. The Drum and Bugle Corps died in the music room of New Ulm high by were identified by Hollys Minnick. school. The corps is survived by twenty bugles, thirty drums, and one drum major's baton. Services were held at Johnson Field to accommodate the

Raymond Morten Bassett is recovering at a local sanatarium from a

The Modern Study club will hold its annual meeting at the home of Sue Heyman. Donna Murray will read excerpts from the novel, Ah! Wilderness.

Rosie Von Bank recently entertained the members of the Busy Bee sewing circle. A simply delightful midnight lunch was forced upon the guests. Serving as a centerpiece, a sweet little pin cushion brightened up the table. As winner of the inter school tiddlede-wink tournament, Harriet Woebke will proceed to the district tourney at Searles.

Following an afternoon of canoeing with their guests, the Fri-le-ta club entertained the F.F.A. boys at a charming wiener roast near Kalb's creek. Cookjes and nectar were furnished by Miss Fisher.

Members of the Typing club held their annual mud-slinging contest in Effects of Communism, Hitlerism, Ab- the Sievert pasture last Thursday mornsolutism, Monarchism, Feudalism and ing. Gloria Viegel and Harley Meyer were acclaimed the winners.

Take Down Your Boots And Saddles

It's round-up time in New Ulm. The prom is going to be western this year; instead of going way out there, we're bringing it here to us. The fashions for this gala affair will be simple chaps, buck-skin skirts, boots- and tengallon hats. For protection, bring along your six shooter and a lasso. Be sure to wear your spurs; they will come in handy when some hombre tries to get tough.

Don't worry about having to walk. The fashion this year is horses. If you don't have a car, just hire two horses from Arndt's livery stable. There will be stalls where you can check your horse for the evening and not worry about its getting lost.

Sleuths Seek Killer; Body **Discovered By Bierbaum**

An unidentified body of a bird was found this morning in Mr. Andrew's safe, Mr. Bierbaum, the janitor, stumbled upon it while he was cleaning out the office, supposedly to steal some valuable papers. He has been in such tails. Miss Born and Mr. Ciernia rushed to the scene to investigate. The bird's tiny head was covered with blood. Footprints near the safe were discovered to be Richard Reinhart's. A powder puff and lipstick lying near A package of cigarettes was lying on the floor (Someone is a ba-a-a-a-d girl, We won't mention names). Fingerprints on the safe were those of Wal-'ace Schnobrich, Lillian Lake, Edna Carlson and fifteen others (they take

panying them is their new vocalist,	and Central America. The tour will What	would happen if	up too much space). As Miss Born
Gorgeous Charlotte Vogelpohl, and the	and Central America. The tour will last approximately eight weeks. All	would happen it.	fainted, Mr. Andrews came in wringing
"Blaring Babes", Margaret Puhlman,	students in the band are exempt from Lor	raine Hartman would bleach her	his hands and tearing his hair. He
Charlotte Krahn and Lois Strate.	taking finals this year. hair	to blonde?	insists on an investigation immediately.

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Miss Schaub, Head of G.A.A., Plans For Transcontinental Play Day

President Marti Will **Present Trophies**

Finally in the year of 1941, the transcontinental play day is going to be held in New Ulm for four days. Why? For the past three years Miss Schaub has been trying to bring the local G.A.A. standards up to the other schools' achievements. This year New Ulm's G.A.A. was chosen the most all-American G.A.A. group.

This play day will be held on May 26. Out of forty-eight states, twentyeight will be represented by 4,000 girls. Some of the largest schools in the Unites States - Cambria, Essig, Searles, Nicollet and Courtland - will attend. Then there will be two delegates from Hawaii also. To accommodate all of these students two twenty-story hotels are being built by the Super Colossal Speedway Construction Company. Five more blocks have been leased for the different sports.

World-Champions To Appear

Evelyn Chandler, the well-known figure skater, will do a number of exhibitions on the newly built ice skating arena. Other performers will include Johnny Weismuller, the great swimmer; Patty Berg, the youngest woman cham pion golfer; Alice Marble and Don Budge, tennis champs; Jesse Owens, track star.

For the different contests that will be staged, twenty-inch-by-twelve-inch trophies, plaques and medals are going to be awarded. Also at this time the National G.A.A. president will be chosen. Carol Marti's name has been sent for nomination to the committee. As she is the G.A.A. president, she will present these trophies, plaques and medals; LaVonne Gollnast, the secretary, will read the minutes for the past three years of New Ulm's great achievements in G.A.A.

Future Farmers Nourish Extensive Plant Project

First it was grain, then cows and pigs, and now the F.F.A. boys have taken to growing poison ivy. They plan to have the outer walls of the building literally covered and to provide a pot of it in each class room. The latter suggestion was accepted by Mr. Dahlmeier after he found out how fast things disappear from his desk. This proved very bad for "Tante" Meyer, but the "Aggies" are furnishing well-tailored, lumber-jack mittens to all janitors.

This idea is an experiment by the state authorities to determine whether or not it would be a good idea to put poison ivy on prison walls.

The vine differs from the original ivy in these respects: it has a bright red blossom and yellow leaves and it gives

Cwazy Cwubs

Eyes are the subject on which the newest club has been formed. Its name is the Eye-making Club with Professor Sutherland as chief adviser and Miss Schaub as an instructor. Officers of the club have been chosen as follows:

President-James Neuwirth Vice President-Jimmie Yost Treasurer-Betty Case

Secretary-Rosemary Vetter

Many members have joined already and others are falling fast under the spell of the club members. The Milliman family and the Marti family, who have contributed three and two members respectively, are the largest family delegations so far. If you see someone casting queer glances at you, don't be alarmed; he is only applying for membership in this newly formed club.

Prom Dates?

Another new club is the Junior Prom Date Club. This club is composed of five girls and they provide dates.

The other day when three girls came rushing into the room and asked for dates, the only reply heard was, "Go to your neighborhood grocer for fresher dates!"

Are You Going to College?

If you are definitely planning to further your education, why not give special consideration to Morgan Military Academy, the first co-educational school of its kind? It is located in th center of that great metropolis, Morgan, and boasts a tree-studded, oneacre campus. The students are housed in spacious tents, pitched directlyin front of the main building. The purpose of this is to acquaint cadets with the realities of army life. A pretty little pasture, overgrown with buttercups and daisies, furnishes recreational facilities.

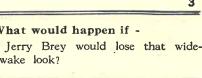
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New Ulm Quintet Cops State Tourney

Hard - Fought Battle Brings Them Victory

Demanding opposition and positively no traveling, the officials moved the state tournament from Minneapolis to New Ulm this year.

The New Ulm team, after hard, fatiguing practice, has finally obtained the right to play in the state tournament by a strange coincidence. This coincidence is that the teams the Eagles have played declared by unanimous vote that New Ulm should be regional champions. When the Eagles reached the regional, the coaches and press men of the Minneapolis Tribune and the Star Journal decided the "Dutch" team should be given the state title without the annual tournament. This was a set back to the team because they wanted to show their ability as super-athletes.

Clair Strommen, all state center, after hearing this, promptly conceded his title to that tall, well-built center of the Eagles, "Hank" Engel. Another complete surprise came when "Big Bill" Stensvad of Redwood Falls gave the honor of all-state forward to New Ulm's "Flash" Hacker. A great disappointment came to "Hank" Hambrecht, Eagle conservative player, who had purchased a brown and yellow suit especie!!y for the tournament. Now he have to use it for the Junior Prom.

1940 Eagle Squad Will **Replace College Heroes**

Mail from various colleges has been coming to New Ulm public high school in box cars of late in popular request for our football heroes. Many of these famed athletes have accepted the terms offered in the letters.

Vernon Arndt, who is hailed as the only possible replacement in the state for "Sonny" Franck, at the University of Minnesota, has just accepted a fouryear scholarship and player's tuition at the University of Minnesota. To earn his spending money, Vernon has acquired the position of president of the dating bureau after having passed a rigid test.

Harry Kennedy has just accepted a position as fullback on the University of Iowa's 1941 team. Harry, because of his speed, will earn his spending money by delivering notes among the other students. He is hailed better than Nile Kinnick, Iowa's All-American by all sports writers.

Harvey Johnson also has accepted a position of left tackle on the Hawkeye's 1941 team. He will receive the notes delivered by Harry to earn his spending money.

Ray and Rolly Weise have turned their thoughts to music rather than football. They have just accepted a position as vocal teachers, specializing in duets, at St. Thomas college.

Ray Zobel has received a wire from Urban Odson of the University of Minnesota's football team of 1940 asking him to report to spring training; Odson is laid up with a back injury and will be unable to continue in 1941 footbal!,

Darwin Romberg and Norman Wolf have both accepted positions on the 1941 Michigan football team. Romberg is hailed as a possible All-American end.

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Faculty Women Swimmers Out To Capture Titles

Tomorrow will determine the new world. At that time New Ulm high bathing beauties will compete with the University of Minnesota swimming champs. The meet will take place at the local municipal swimming pool.

New Ulm contestants will wear regulation lavendar and white striped bathing suits. This is necessary because of the rapidity with which they shoot Following is a list of the New Ulm contestants:

"Tidewater" Treadwell-jacknife "Calamity" Cloutier-Australian crawl

"Kodfish" Kearns—1500 meter relay "Splash" Westling-dead man's float "Salty" Steen-back stroke "Seaweed" Sogn-dog padd!e

"Briny" Born-side stroke

These future champions are coached "Fat" Fuller and his assistant,

"Lucy" Reinhart, who sets up the training rules.

Mr. A. J. Snowbeck requests that all faculty members interested in choir practice report to his home on Center Street sometime during vacation.

Reinhardt Neuman is a hold-out. He demands more money for his outstanding work at center and thinks it is a sin to throw away his beautiful form for practically nothing.

SPRING FOOTBALL!

Coach "Half-pint" Hoefs announced today that all girls interested in spring football practice rewomen champions in the swimming port to the equipment room April 4 for their uniforms. Lineman Dahlmier will issue uniforms.

Flash! Flash!

We just received a bulletin from the Associated Press concerning the crime revealed to you on the second page. It proved to be Richard Engel's parrot. through the chlorine-tainted water. Richard was so cruel, mean and disgusted with the parrot's forever giving away secrets that the parrot, deeply hurt, crawled into Mr. Andrews's office and wept. Seeing a pail and thinking it was water, he dipped his head in. To his surprise it was red paint. He crawled into the open safe and before he knew it the door was shut on him. The safe was not opened until this morning at which time the parrot was found dead.



Baseball Replaces Track

Mitts, gloves, bats, and balls will replace track shoes, hurdles, and sweat suits in 1941. Coach Bassett has decided definitely that baseball will replace track — that it is a much better muscle builder for athletes than track.

The question arises as to who will star as baseball players for the lavendar-and-white-clad boys of 1941. Logical choices seem to be the following: Donald Hacker, a rip-roaring third sacker with a .420 per cent batting average; Oren Abraham, an allstate catcher at Linden grade school.

Shake Cleaners



