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Charles Johnson Elected Senior Class President

Boys Again Lead In High School Elections

On Friday morning, September 29, the elections of the junior and senior high class officers were held. Capable members were selected to fill the various positions. The boys again took the lead in the elections as in the previous year.

Candidates for the various offices were nominated by committees chosen by the various classes in their home rooms. The committee chairmen took charge of the elections in the various class meetings until the presidents took office, and then they took over the rest of the meeting.

Chuck Johnson was elected president of the senior class. For this position there was a close race between him and Bob Iseli, and a recount had to be taken. Bob Iseli fills the position of Vice-President. La Vonne Slaybaugh, with a majority of votes, became secretary. Linda Peterson and Marvin Nelson, candidates for the treasurer, were so equally popular with their classmates that a revote had to be taken. The vote was taken in the senior home rooms Monday with Linda the victor.

Charles Herrmann heads the junior class, with Thelma Muesing as the vice-president. Delores Fleck was elected secretary and Burton Mahle, treasurer.

Leading the sophomore class is Joe Pivonka. Joe held this position in the Freshman class last year. The other officers are Teddy Stoltenburg, vice president; Donna Kruger, secretary-treasurer.

The freshman president is Virgil Herrick, and the vice president is Leland Oren. One person, Audrey Woebke, is acting as secretary and treasurer.

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New Faculty Members



Glen A. Scott comes to New Ulm from Ottawa, Illinois. He is the instructor of the agriculture classes for farm boys in grades eight to twelve.

When asked what he thought of New Ulm High School, Mr. Scott said, "The students are very friendly and polite and so are the faculty and administration. The school building is an unusually fine one and is kept up very well. I find that the students in general make good use of their study periods."

Mr. Scott is a graduate of North Dakota Agricultural college at Fargo. He also took advanced work at the University of Minnesota. Mr. Scott is one of the members heading the F.F.A. chapters of this district.



Laura Wuopio, instructor of geometry, advanced mathematics and eighth grade science, is a graduate of the University of Minnesota, where she majored in both mathematics and science. She came to New Ulm from Windom, Minnesota.

"I like the location of my classroom," comments Miss Wuopio, "and I feel proud to be in this new building. The students are very polite with the exception of the boys who whistle in the halls. As far as the town itself is concerned, I marvel at the way the lawns, shrubbery, parks and streets are kept up."

Music and reading are her favorite pastimes.

Home Ec. Class Working On Various Projects

Painting the chairs, sewing machines and the mirror frames has been keeping the tenth grade Home Economics class busy. They are painting the articles ivory and brown. After this project is finished, the girls will paper a screen.

In the foods dept, the Freshmen Home Economics class has been canning peaches and pears. They are going to can tomatoes and plums and make jelly. The advanced Home Economics class prepared the food for the Red Cross blood donor unit. The following girls helped serve: Carol Siering, Charlotte Ulrich, and Lenore Crum.

Varied Occupations Chosen By Former N. U. Instructors

Now that a new school year has started, we find that many of our teachers have left us. Here is the latest information on what they are doing.

Mary Jane Martin, who taught junior high English last year, is teaching the same subject at Lewiston, Minnesota. Aurelia Zahn was teaching at her home town, Bellingham, Minnesota, for several weeks. This summer Miss Zahn received her pilot's license at Mankato. On October 1, she was inducted into the WAVES at Hunter College, New York. The former shop teacher, Ernest Hoefs, is working at the New Ulm Manufacturing Company.

Richard Pengilly S 2-C, who taught agriculture last year, is now serving in the navy at Farragut, Idaho. He has been in the navy four and one-half months. S 2-C Pengilly was home on leave in August; he then returned to Farragut and joined the out going unit. He is now waiting for his orders which will instruct him to go either on to school or to go on active duty.

Ottie Applen is teaching junior and senior Mathematics at her home town, Preston, Minnesota. This summer Miss Applen did graduate work at the University of Minnesota. Howard Johnson, last year's music instructor, is now head of the music department in the Fairmont Public School. Mr. Johnson is also director of the band and orchestra.

COMING EVENTS

October 13. St. James, there
October 20. St. Peter, here
October 25. Glencoe, here
October 26-27. M. E. A.

Notice

Students who wish graduates of N.U.H.S. in the service to receive copies of the Graphos should submit the names, ranks, and addresses to Miss Kayser or Adeline Klotz. Yearly Graphos rate for others is seventy-five cents.

Gala Homecoming Plans Completed; St. Peter To Play

Fire Prevention Week Oct. 8-14

Undoubtedly we will be given a surprise drill during this week. Practice drills will be held this week, so that we may be well-prepared.

Immediately after the signal, the wardens who have been appointed, will take their posts.

The signal for a fire drill will be one long blast of our signal system. When the signal is given, pupils will pass out of the building. Form two lines in coming down stairways, one on the left and one on the right. Maintain these lines to the best of your ability. Walk rapidly, but do not run, remaining in perfect lines. It is important that those out first proceed to at least a distance of one hundred feet from the building.

All students will pass out by the nearest front exit. Junior high students will turn to the left when reaching the sidewalk and proceed until all are clear of the walk leading to the building. Senior high students will use the north front exit and turn to the right at the sidewalk. All students must remain in line on the sidewalk until called back into the building.

Help save lives by practicing fire prevention 52 weeks out of every year.

Fri-Le-Ta Holds Initiation

The Fri Le Ta club, under the supervision of Miss Fisher, had an initiation party last Monday evening. La Vonne Larson, president of the club, headed the initiation.

New members were called up in front of the group to sing, dance, tell stories, and various other things. Gene Schueller and Pat Tierney did a dance accompanied by Jeanie Forster. Eileen Kimler did some imitations; and a group of sophomore girls sang "Pistol Packing Mama". A community sing, headed by Jean Bartl, concluded the program.

M. E. A. Program To Feature Thousand Voice Chorus, Hundred Piece Band

More Graduates Leave For School

The Graphos is continuing a list of last year's graduates, and what they are doing.

Since the last edition of the Graphos several graduates have left for college or some type of school. Dorothy Windhorn is a student at Mankato State Teacher's College, and Joyce Ott is attending Mankato Beauty Culture School. Ardis Johnson, Irene Gag and Mary Ann Seiring are attending Electronic Television and Radio Institute in Minneapolis. Betty Lou Lund attended this school during the summer and is now at the New Brighton Defense Plant.

The following girls are employed in New Ulm: Grace Leary and Bette Gottschalk as secretary and waitress respectively at Eibner's. Jeanette Herrian at the O.P.A. office, and Dorothy Peters as a clerk at Olson's Drug Store; Doris Hacker at the State Bond and Mortgage Company.

Three boys are helping on the farm for the duration; they are Roger Nelson, Richard Nelson and Rodney Johnson.

Game To Be Played Oct. 29 At Johnson Field

Plans for our New Ulm high school Homecoming have been completed under the supervision of Mr. Pfaender, and the Homecoming committee. The members of the committee are as follows: Marvin Lieske, chairman; Delores Fleck, Harriet Heymann, Jean Ganser, and Jane Hedger. The game will be held on October 20, at Johnson Field with St. Peter as our opponent.

A gala celebration is being planned which will begin with the crowning of the queen. Anna Trauttmiller, 1943 Homecoming queen, will carry out the coronation ceremony before the start of the game. Two sets of cheerleaders will lead the student body; first, last year's trio consisting of Shirley Loose, Helen Pivonka, and Delores Stein; then the present cheerleaders consisting of Patty Tierney, Jim Schnobrich, and Gene Schueller. During the half, spectacular maneuvers will be performed by the New Ulm high school band. A football, a N. U., a Red Cross will be formed, also an H I to greet the alumni.

After the game, there will be a dance in the large auditorium. All alumni and the St. Peter team are cordially invited.

Teachers Training Observe Classes

Observation of the kindergarten, first and second grades have been the hi-lite of the training department this past week. Plans are being made for Observation week, which will be in some rural school the week of October 16.

Vivian Macho has been elected as president for the first six weeks. The other officers are vice president, Ruth Alexander; secretary, Rosalie Lake; treasurer, Donna Jeske.

"Dear Daffodil" Chosen As Junior Class Play

"Dear Daffodil," a comedy in 3-acts, has been chosen by the Juniors for their class play. Mr. Ralph Sutherland is director.

Here's a bird's-eye view of the play. Daffodil is a young girl who is interested in "snaring" a beau. To do this she writes to the boys in the service and signs her sister's name to the letters. One of them takes a fancy to her and she begins filling him with stories about her and her family. [Untrue of course!] As the result of taking an art course in school, her mother is called a great artist. Her father leads a one-horse band in a one-horse town; but to her boy-friend, he becomes a great symphony conductor. To top it all off, this boy gets a leave and stops to visit the family. The rest of the play is concerned with Daffodil's problem of undoing all the wrongs she has done—which are plenty!

No definite date has been set for the play, but Mr. Sutherland believes it will be around the last of November.

Try-outs were held last Thursday and Friday.

School Nurse Very Busy

To you who think you have a hard schedule in school, here is what the school nurse, Miss Cora Bruess, has been doing for the last week or two.

Miss Bruess weighed and measured the children in the first and second grades at Holy Trinity and the first, second and fifth grades at St. Marys. She expects to examine the third thru the eighth grades at Holy Trinity before the week ends.

She also weighed and measured all of the children in the Washington, Lincoln and Emerson schools.

The third and fourth grades had their eyes examined by Miss Bruess at the Lutheran school. Three of the children had defective vision.

She has made several home calls as well.

Miss Bruess reports several cases of chicken pox in the St. Marys and Washington schools. Polio cases have been released from quarantine and are well on the road to recovery.

Stamp Sales Lacking

Monday morning when Alphonse arrives at school, most likely he'll be asking himself if he forgot something. Well, he finally comes to the conclusion that he didn't until he goes to home room and the student council representative comes around to collect his money for war stamps. Then it dawns on him that he left his at home. Let this be a lesson to you.

Stamps will be sold every Monday during home room period. If it's a bond you want to buy, go to the office and fill out an application blank. The office will then get it for you.

Up to the present time, sales have not been very good. For the first three and a half weeks of school, only \$111.65 worth of stamps and bonds have been sold. Last year in one week \$134.10 worth of stamps and bonds were sold. What's the matter? Aren't we as good Americans this year as last?

Keep on buying to keep them flying.

Meet The Faculty

by Elaine Niehoff

Through the Graphos we've been meeting our seniors and new students, why not meet our teachers, too?

Well, here is the first one, and we popped questions at Cecile McLaughlin, who was born in Kamsack, Saskatchewan, Canada. How many years ago is a McLaughlin secret, but she has been an American citizen for eight years.

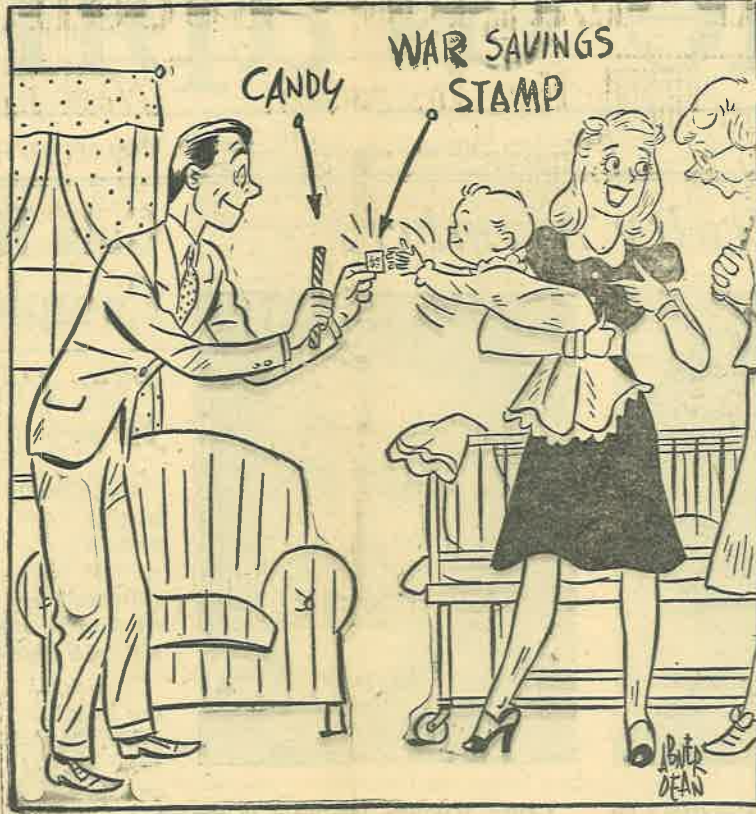
Miss McLaughlin went to the College of St. Benedict for four years and St. Cloud Teachers College for one year. She taught the first grade at White Earth, Minnesota for two years and senior high English at Chokio, Minnesota for one year before she decided to become a librarian.

Miss McLaughlin took her library training at the College of St. Catherine in St. Paul.

Affectionately called "Mac" by her friends, she eats anything but liver, her favorite color is blue [to match her eyes]. Bette Davis is her choice for best actress and her favorite song is "Deep Purple".

Of the students of N.U.H.S. she says; "A fine bunch of students, THE best!"

If you like this column and would like to have more of the teachers interviewed, please notify the Graphos editors or some member of the staff.



"Junior catches on quick!"

Fall

by Elaine Niehoff

Brightly colored leaves drift slowly down from the highest branches of the trees to fall silently upon the ground. Colors artists dream of capturing with their brushes are everywhere.

There is a crispness in the early morning air that makes you walk a little faster, breathe a little deeper.

The smell of burning leaves is drawn into your nostrils as you walk along, giving you a smothered feeling; until the fresh air comes like a cold hand, slapping—felt and yet not felt.

Thoughts of school, of football games and of dances, of roasted apples, pop corn, of all the fun you've had and the fun to come whirls through your brain, dancing, skipping like fairies in the night.

These things come with fall, the best season of them all.

Looking Back

Sept. 26, 1919

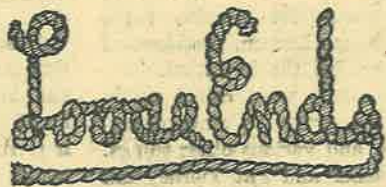
Here are some of the alibis given by students in 1919. You can see how old fashioned and behind the times you are if any of these happen to be your favorite excuse when you don't have a lesson prepared: "Oh I forgot to take my book home last night!"—"Well—that page was out of my book!"—"S-S-Somebody borrowed my book and forgot to return it!"—"I didn't know we had that for today!"—"Oh—Ah—yes—I studied the wrong pages!"—"I studied it, but I can't think of it just now!"

Sept. 26, 1938

Did any of you students know that it was just six years ago that the wedding bells rang for Mr. Snowbeck??... The enrollment of New Ulm High reaches 436 for this year which is an increase of 54 over last year's enrollment.

Sept. 30, 1938

Harman's Eagles will meet Hutch for the first game of the season. The team is really in tip top shape and is one of the best drilled squads Hutchinson has had the misfortune to face in the last couple of years. St. Peter seems to be a favorite with New Ulm as far as homecoming games go. Yes, that's whom we played in 1938. Slogan used was "Let's send the Saints back to Heaven!"



By Jim and Gloria

I LOVE ME

[Dedicated to the Senior boys]

The girls go simply crazy
Whenever they look at me
Although I'm very handsome
I don't know what they see
Unless it's my rippling muscles
Or the sparkle in my eyes
But whenever they look at me
They quickly start to cry.
Really girls, I don't know why
I fascinate you so
I haven't got a Packard
But I have a little dough
Unless you like my profile
Or the warmth in my smile
Or the way I treat the women
With my own distinctive style
But really girls I'm not as much
And right now I apologize
For all the hearts I've wrecked.

MISS KAYSER—I'm tempted to give you a test today.

PAUL KIRGISS—Yield not to temptation.

MISS RAVERTY—Are you interested in Einstein's theory about space?

"ROCKY" SCHULTZ—If it has anything to do about parking, let's hear it.

FLASH!!!
ONLY A HALF DAY OF SCHOOL ON WEDNESDAY—we'll have the other half in the afternoon.

Try and keep track of our senior class president once, and you'll be running in circles, too.

We hope Dean Folden has forgotten about Sleepy Eye, don't we Jeannie Bartl?

BOUQUETS TO A NIFTY COUPLE—

Roy Austad and Helen Schmieising.

Something new has been added, perhaps not all of you have heard about it—Dick Steinberg is going with LaVonne Anderson. Oh well, some of those shy fellows do wake up, apparently.

We saw Blackie Gronholz after he came from Carole Puchner's house one night. His eyes were shining and he was feeling high. What does she do to him?????

DoDo Pivonka—I call my girl friend "Grapefruit"—Every time I squeeze her she hits me in the eye.

This refers to Bob Stout—Though high school days have their delights What can compare with high school nights

Larry Caswell says
Whistling at a girl is so improper
But yet—It might stop her—

It looks as if Lois Gieseke is still carrying the torch for her old flame Tom O'Malley. And then there's Buddy Sweeney too—How does she rate?????

"Many a midsummer's night dream was spoiled by a mosquito," sighed DoDo Pischke. "Oh, well," answered Thorval Johnson, "something has to break the monotony."

Benny Thiede
Lots of little zeros
Not so very quaint
Make my graduating
Looks as if it ain't

Thoughts While Gazing

About town:

Things don't just happen—who sold New Ulm on the idea of numerous and inviting parks and playgrounds, its beautiful city library, and its wide streets? No city is better than its slum area. Where is it in New Ulm? Nothing can equal this city's sights, sounds, and smells, namely: its wooded hills, its frequently tolling church bells, the smell of delicious fresh-baked goods near Eibner's.

At School:

Who taught the students their lunchroom manners? It's fun to work in a building where neatness is so evident. Rearing neat, healthy, courteous children is a big job. It's being done in New Ulm. There is a distraction, noisy children? No! Just the red, orange and yellow maples across the street.

My Love For The U.S.A.

by Delores Bieraugel, Ninth Grade

- 1. United States, I praise thee
The red, the white, the blue.
United States, I love thee;
I'll give my all to you.
By buying Stamps and War Bonds
I'll try to do my part.
United States, my love for you
Is way down in my heart.
- 2. United States, you'll always be
My own, my native land.
United States, you'll fight the foe,
But our flag shall stand.
Enemies are sure to spy
Upon our wealth and fame.
United States, you'll always keep
Your good old faithful name.

FAMOUS PEOPLE

(Seniors)

Janice "Baldy" Syverson just loves to listen to Charley Barnett play her favorite piece "It Had to Be You". [Oh, Wally!] She is always in at Eibners eating ice cream. [Adding on the pounds, too] Janice's, pet peeve is landladies. As far as sports is concerned, she prefers to watch a baseball game any time. [can you imagine why?]

LaVonne Slaybaugh's greatest trouble is trying to read her own writing. "Is You Is or Is You Ain't My Baby" played by Harry James really sends her. If there's a Van Johnson movie playing, LaVonne is sure to be there. She also likes to watch basketball games. To satisfy her appetite, she prefers to eat the Pennsylvania dutch dish.

It seems that Carl "Cotty" Tappe can be found wherever "Jolly Stan" and his band are playing. Cotty likes to pass his time away by hunting, tearing around, [Wonder who with?], and listening to the radio. Anything that can be digested is his favorite food. [Watch that girlish figure, Cot!] Inventing a new kind of dynamite and blowing up the school is Cot's ambition. [Ah, how we've all dreamed of that!]

Donald Strate has joined the club "School, My Pet Peeve" along with a lot of other seniors. His favorite food is chicken, fried exceptionally brown. Donald says he hasn't much of an ear for music, but he admits he will stop and listen when Sammy Kaye Plays "Swinging On A Star". Dorothy Lamour ranks high with Donald, it seems, because she is his Pin-up girl.



Boy! If you've never seen fancy dancing, you should have seen Helen Monsoor and Floyd L. doing some "solid struttin" at the dance Friday night. But... the senior high didn't make such a wonderful showing. It was supposed to have been a senior high dance inviting the Freshman, but it looked more like the Freshman should have invited us!

I think the best magazine in the whole Library is the Readers Digest. It seems to be an endless source of information, and all the humor you could want is packed up in that neat little book.

Seaman 2-nd Class Fred Naumann wrote this little ditty:

They say that in the Navy,
the pay is very fine...
They give you fifty dollars....
and take back forty-nine.

ADVICE TO PFC: When arguing with your first sergeant be sure you are right... then let the matter drop.

SWIMMING? Pvt. "What is the best way to teach a girl to swim?"

Pfc. "That requires technique. First you put your left arm around her waist, and then you gently take her left hand and..."

Pvt. "She's my sister."
Pfc. "Oh... push her off the dock!!"
...and so until the next issue, Diary,
Good-nite...
Shorty

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Cardinals Hand Eagles Second Defeat 7 - 0

Only Score Caused By a Blocked Punt

Friday night, October 6, the good people of Redwood Falls were disturbed by what could be described, with overtones of understatement, as "noise, moving in the general direction of memorial field." Out of this 'noise' came sounds of remorse and distaste, as New Ulm came away from battle, licking its wounds and unwilling to believe we had lost again, in the second game of the season, by a score of 7-0.

Smith, of Redwood, kicked off, and Pollei returned 20 yds. In the first three downs we made only a few yards, and Tom Groebner punted out of danger, thus giving the ball to the Cardinals.

Redwood Scores

Redwood had the same difficulty the Eagles had in trying to make headway. The rest of the game ran in the same channel, or perhaps we should say rut. Then, late in the third quarter, Redwood lost the ball [marked "insufficient downs"] on the Eagles' 4-yard line. Thereupon Groebner lustily booted the ball—which was effectively blocked, and which rolled into New Ulm's end zone. Quickly several Cardinals fell on it, thus scoring the only touchdown in the entire game. Redwood's Ragan roped in another point by converting, making the score 7-0 in favor of the Cards.

We cannot possibly give credit to any one player for outstanding achievement in Friday's gridstorm since not only the backfield, but the line, as well, responded more than nobly against a heavier Redwood team. In fact, even though we were bucking a heavier team all the way through the game, bets for New Ulm prevailed until almost the end of the last quarter, when it began to look like a major impossibility to get into Redwoods end-zone.

Running Plays Click

Although both sides tried passing plays, neither one succeeded in gaining much yardage in that man-



Miss Hein announces that the physical education program will follow the state course of study. The girls will go outside to play soccer and volley ball. This will last through October. When weather is not permissible for out-of-doors sports, the large gym will be used for dancing, volley ball, and basketball, while table tennis will be played in the play room.

After the outdoor activities, there will be a course in marching, apparatus, stunts and tumbling.

The next thing on the program is dancing. There will be American dances, country dances, tap dancing, the polka, the schottische, and some waltzes. These activities should keep the girls busy until spring, when the outdoor sports will again begin. These will include tennis, archery, badminton, and softball.

On Fridays, First Aid will be taught to the senior girls. A health course will be given to the sophomore and junior girls instead of First Aid.

ner. However, both teams made beautiful gains with running plays. For instance, in the first quarter, Groebner made a yard-eating run of 20 yards. A few minutes later, a Cardinal flew 16 yards, and just after that, in quick succession, Stan Martinka and Denny Krueger made approximately 18 yards apiece.

Team Improves

With only two weeks' practice since the Hutch game, the Eagles have picked up teamwork in passing and running plays, while kicking is nothing short of sensational. Incidentally, the N. U. turnout at the Redwood game was really swell, and the students cheered as loud as the whole Redwood section.

New Instructor



Hildegard Hein, in charge of girls physical education, came to New Ulm from Austin, Minnesota. She is a native of New Ulm [good for you, Miss Hein] and a graduate of the University of Akron Ohio, where she received her Bachelor of Education degree. Miss Hein also attended the State College of Education at Greeley, Colorado. She spent two summers at Harvard University and one year at the University of Wisconsin.

Miss Hein belongs to the Delta Psi Kappa Fraternity, an honorary physical education class, and the Kappa Kappa Gamma society.

"I like the girls and their co-operation" comments Miss Hein, "all they need is a little more hard work. They will be able to run a mile and be commandos when they are finished."

Saints Trounce Indians, 45-0

The St. James Saints wandered right over the Sleepy Eye Indians in an unexciting 44-0 match on the Indians' stamping grounds on Friday, Sept. 29.

Sleepy Eye won't provide much competition this year since, with the exception of one man, the entire first string is fresh and inexperienced. Nevertheless, the line and backfield are well-balanced, and after more practice, will doubtless become a more formidable opposition.

St. James, however, is a machine to be reckoned with. Although they looked better than usual against a much weaker team, they have the snap, poise, and good judgment that makes for a good team.

New Locker System to Be Installed

In a few weeks the Kansas City basket system, which has been used in the girls' locker room for the last few years, will be taken out. In its place there will be a room made of wire mesh in which all the baskets for gym clothes will be kept.

Under this new arrangement, locks will not be needed at all. Tiers of baskets will be put into this room. There will be one or two girls who will have complete charge and responsibility.

Each girl who takes Phy. Ed. will have a number; and when she comes to the room, she will give her number to the girl inside the wire mesh room, who will, in turn, hand the basket with the corresponding number out to the gym student. After each class, the baskets are to be returned to their proper places by the girls in charge.

This system is being developed to save time, because so many of the locks now used are inefficient.

Girls Softball Winners Receive Silver Medals

Silver medals were presented by Mr. Pfaender to Maureen Schueller, the captain of last spring's winning team of the girls softball tournament. Maureen gave them to the various members on her team.

The medals were distributed by the Coca Cola Company through the American Amateur Softball Association.

The girls played four games, two against other junior teams, one against the winning team of the seniors, and one against the winning team of the freshmen, all of which they won.

The team members were Maureen Schueller, pitcher; LaVonne Anderson, catcher; Leora Mae Schaefer, first base; Irene Bodde, second base; Lois Anderson, third base; Mildred Kuester, shortstop; Opal Hale, right field; Lois Gieseke, center field; Katherine Bowen, left field; Violet Griebel, shortstop. LaVonne Slaybough was the official scorekeeper.

Good Turnout At First Wrestling Meeting

At the first meeting of the wrestling squad, October 2, 1944, a good turnout was on hand. The meeting was held in Mr. Scott's Ag. room with Stanley Dittrich, student manager, officiating.

The coming season was discussed, and it was decided that wrestling would not start until after the football season was over. Wrestling will be held three days, instead of the usual two, this year. It will be held on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

Under Mr. Scott's supervision, Stan Dittrich will manage the team. Stan, who is a veteran of three years, will be the determining factor in putting out a good team. Mr. Pfaender, physical educational instructor, will be overseer and arrange the various meets, transportation, and any of the various details.

The men who turned out for this meeting were as follows: Kenny Engel, senior football star; Walter Nonnemacher, a strong opponent in any of the lower weights; Charles Ulrich, who shows plenty of promise; Charles Johnson, senior; Ben Uhl, an up and coming sophomore; Hank Eckstein, also a sophomore; Bobby Nonnemacher, a junior; Marvin Nelson, a senior who has had previous experience; Robert Schaefer a heavy sophomore.

More men are needed to fill up the vacancies and provide a second string. Men are needed in both the light and heavy weights. Especially needed are heavyweights like Bill Huevelmann, or some of the other heavy men in high school.

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Help Organize A Youth Center

by Audrey Woebke

WE WANT A YOUTH CENTER!!
Do the teen-agers of New Ulm want a youth center? Most of you will answer "Yes!" But if this appeal for the center goes through, are you willing to patronize it and keep it up? If you are, please write your name on a slip of paper and drop it in the ballot box in the library. Your name will help to get the center by showing the people that you are for it, and are willing to **back it up!** Do it at the first possible moment!

PARENTS—Do you approve of your sons and daughters carousing around the streets and patronizing the ballroom, bars, pool halls, etc.? Aren't you willing to have Mary or Johnny go to a place under proper supervision where they can dance and enjoy themselves in a proper sort of way? This Youth Center that your son or daughter has been talking about is just that sort of place. If the appeal goes through, your son or daughter will have a place to go to evenings, where you can be sure he will be all right and at the same time be having fun.

I am sure there will be no objections raised if you know what a youth center covers.

Other towns like Sleepy Eye, Worthington, and Willmar have had successful ones and they are smaller towns than New Ulm.

So when someone comes to your door and asks for your support on a petition for the center, I hope you will give it.

The idea of this article is to explain the Youth Center to you. Need we say more???

Election

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The eighth grade has for president Richard Niemann, and vice-president is George Glotzbach. They chose Jerry Pruitt as their secretary and treasurer.

Jane Hedger is the seventh grade president. She was the only girl president chosen in the junior-senior high school. Gordon Schroeder is vice president; secretary is Katherine Fiemeyer, while treasurer is Joel Tierney.

After the elections, the time left was allotted to meetings of the various classes.

X-CHANGE

Kisses spread germs—so it's been stated

Kiss me, kid—I've been vaccinated!

The Tattler, Windom, Minnesota.
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Sweet Young Thing: Could I see the captain?

First Mate: He's forward, Miss.

S.Y.T.: That's all right I've been out with high school boys.

The Jackson Journal, W. Va.
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The opening night of the local youth center was a great success. Young people, teachers and parents came to look over and enjoy the center. Hot dogs, pop and coffee and doughnuts were sold at the counters.

Special interests there that night were pool, ping-pong, card games and dancing. Membership has increased at each opening night to a total of one hundred.

Lincoln Torch, Lake City, Wis.
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Some fellows believe in dreams till they marry one.

Many a girl gets into deep water trying to hook some fish.

The Sun Dial, Sterling, Kan.

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Speaking Of Speech

Five weeks of school have gone by and the speech department is well on the way to a successful year.

Two debate meetings have been held in Mr. Sutherland's room. Bill Huevelmann and Paul Kirgiss supported the affirmative and Thelma Muesing and LaVonne Larson supported the negative, the latter being the winner. The extemp meetings are going to be held every Tuesday during home room period. The topics for discussion have been, "Who shall be our next president?" and "Should one year of military training be required of boys over 18 after graduation?"

After some debating, the junior play committee, consisting of the Niehoff twins, Thelma Muesing, Beverly Larson, Bonnie Neuwirth, JoAnn Bushard, Margie Wolf, Rosemary Franta, Doris Wersal, and Helen Mansoor selected the play entitled, "Dear Daffodil".

The seniors are interested in a class play also and a class meeting may be held soon about this matter.

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Service Slants

If you've seen several fellows in Navy uniforms roaming the hall a couple of days ago and have stopped to take a second look, you've probably found them to be none other than Fred Naumann, Bob Schneider, and Bob Herzog.

These boys had their boot training at Farragut, and they expect to go back there. From there they will be shipped out to various other camps or be sent out on active duty.

"The thing I've missed most for these last three months was not seeing anything that looked like a girl," Fred commented upon interview.

Bob said, "I don't miss school much, and I haven't been too lonely because Bob Herzog and I have been together most of the time."

Bob "Puffy" Herzog, was delayed a few days because of a slight case of acute Pharyngitis. "Puffy" likes the Navy, but is very happy to be home. He received the Graphos two days before he came home, and was glad to get it.

Marvin Grams is also stationed at Farragut, Idaho. Other seniors in the service are: Leo Wilfahrt, Army Air Corps, Amarillo, Texas; John Esser, Navy, stationed at the Great Lakes; Donald Gollnast, Naval Air Corps, Memphis, Tennessee; Darwin Reese, Army, Camp Wolten, Texas; Floyd Safiert, Navy, now stationed in the Hawaiian Islands. Ralph Werner is stationed at Fort Bliss in Texas; Harold Fenske, Navy Radio school, San Francisco; James Lund at Camp Wolter, Texas; Martin Klingler at Great Lakes, Illinois; Lloyd Zieske, Army Air Corps, Kirtland Field, Albuquerque, New Mexico; and Richard Pengilly attending Specialist "A" school at Bainbridge, Maryland.

LaVonne Larson Elected President of Fri-Le-Ta

Friendship, leadership and talent were the points stressed at the first meeting of the Fri-Le-Ta Club under the leadership of Miss Fischer. The meeting was held Monday, September 18 at 4 p. m. in the cafeteria.

The following officers were elected for the coming year. LaVonne Larson is the new president, Janice Syverson, vice-president, and Beverly Larson, secretary.

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Sweaters! Sweaters! It seems they are the topic of all discussion. So here goes.

That senior with the flashy checkered sweater is Dean Folden.

By the way, I wonder whose sweater it is that "Shorty" Niehoff has.

Did you see Eonnie's white cardigan with the New Ulm high letter on it? Isn't it a honey?

Up to minute color in sweaters—fuchsia.

Which reminds me—boys' sweaters are very interesting to us girls, and I don't mean what's in them! Myra B.'s is adorable.

So much for sweaters. We'll turn to a very interesting subject—lipstick. I wonder what brand George S. uses.

The \$64 question is: Where did Linda F. get that cross that's dangling from her neck?

As ever, huraches are the old faithful stand-bys. Loafers [shoes—ahem] are a coming thing.

It seems that Rocky is the man that goes for plaids. Also—that yellow tie is a hum-dinger.

Say—by the way—I hear Dottie Lamour is making a come-back in sarongs—oh boy!!

Did you get a gander at Gloria Brudelie's white jacket? If you didn't, you surely missed something.

Aren't some of these peasant blouses intriguing?

The teacher that looks as if he just stepped out of a Fifth Avenue store window is none other than Mr. Nicklasson.

NOTES FROM THE FIRST HIGH SCHOOL DANCE:

Mary Ellen's club heels surely made a hit.

No, that wasn't a Mexican gallivanting about—it was Chuck R.

Bob Stout's sport jacket surely is a beauty.



The sophomores are beginning to wonder what Miss Steen wants with the gum stuck on the paper in her room. We know it's hard to get, but that's the limit!

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The alarm clock shortage is spelling disaster for poor "Hunsy" Brust, or maybe the neighborhood rooster might be falling down on the job. He dragged his tired body into geometry the other morning twenty minutes late and dreamily gave the pink slip to Miss Wuopio.

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Say, Lois Dahl, how did you like your motorcycle ride to Searles? Is LeRoy Nelson a very good driver???

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Well, what do you know! Do Do Pivonka and Patty Tierney are together again!

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It looks as if Giles Merkel is pretty interested in Trinity High. I wonder, could it be because of Mary Berg???

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Lois Gieseke thinks the new boys in the senior class are pretty nice,

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The Class of '47 has really contributed to the sports field. Our cheerleaders represent some of the talent of this class. We'll see them at the football and basketball game this year. Incidentally if you don't already know who they are, here are their names: Pat Tierney, James Schnobrich, and Jean Schueller.

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There is one thing the sophomores have learned in English class this year, and that is, Miss Steen doesn't like gum chewing. Does she Dodo?

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James S. had better watch his grammar more closely, especially in English class.

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