# Merry <br> <br> Christmas 

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## The Graphos

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## Christmas Across For GI's In 1945

"There was nothing special at Christmas last year. All we did was eat, loaf, and sleep." Such was the comment of Dale Evans on his Christmas last year in Guam.
Dale was in the Navy 14 months including service in Japan, Wake Island, Kwajalein, and Pearl Harbor. Guam did not have the Christmas spirit, as there were no Christmas decorations or exchanging of gifts. "The only thing that distinguished it from any other day," said Dale, "was that there was no work."
Keith Oswald had Christmas in Japan a year ago. Steak dinner was on the holiday menu, but there were no decorations, and the boys were very lonesome
James Glaser spent Christmas in San Diego in 1945. "The boys in our barracks were the only ones in camp that had a Christmas tree so we had a pretty good time Naturally, it was not like spending Christmas at home." Several days after Christmas, Jim was invited to the home of a former New Ulm family for dinner. Jim spent most of his Navy time on sea duty in the Pacific.
We received presents from the Red Cross and the Harbor Island Naval base" said Wally Bloedel who spent last Christmas in Seattle Washington. Turkey was also on the menu at Harbor Island.
We hope that the ex-GI's at NUHS will have a Merry Christmas in 1946.

## Santa Claus Has Many Orders

Wards", but we wonder if he buys from both "Sears" and "Monky Wards", but we wonder if he can supply all the wants of some people around NUHS.
Shirley Kosek
a boy friend, or a dog to play with that she can cuddle.
Jean Nelson
A farmer to marry next summer so she doesn't have to go to college, and Charms for her charm bracelet.
Evie Altenburg
A neat little package from a certain motor company, blouse, identification bracelet, and other jewelry. Miss Sogn
a new car, and a box of cold pills
"Sandy" Sviene
He's not fussy-watch or Id. bracelet
Vernon Martens
cute brown-haired blue-eyed doll, flashy scarf and ear muff set.
Jeanne Huevelmann
big red fire engine

## slacks

Khalil Mansoor
football: in other fields he shows how happy people can be satisfied.
La Ray Johnson
watch, which has to be given by Santa is working on that, we one person
Miss Raverty
a seventh and eighth hour, or her physics class shifted to art.
Donna Sellner
a watch, and an Italian ring

Miss McLaughlin
a bigger back room or better study hall groups, a new gold filling in her tooth.

If she gets the boy friend, she doesn't need the cuddly dog.

If the farmer is charming enough, she can do without the charms.

Can we peak inside the package too, Evie?
If Santa can't get the new car, a set of new brakes will do, according to Giles Merkel.
Just the tpye Santa likes-he says he will be satisfied with what he gets.
Is it the kind that says "mama" when you squeeze it, Vernie, or should it have a larger vocabulary?
Does she feel she will need a fire engine to put out the fires she'll tart with her red slacks?
things go well. think.
If her physics class shifts to art, there won't be any need for the extra hours.
We doubt that the ring is still in Italy so Santa might be able to do

If Santa could glue all the students to their seats, the backroom would be obsolete. She needs a new filling because she sneezed and her dental work went "kaput".

## Peace On Earth

## We Wish for the World

Good Will To Men

At Christmas time we in the United States like to open our hearts to the unhappy people of the world. But this year the way won't be so easy, for we have to make nations as well as people happy. We must not let our creed or color make any differences in our judge ments or pinions, for judgeLincoln said "All men are craham equal." So if we men are created equal. So if we had our wish for future for all would be for a happie fure for all nations and peoples. For the children of the world our especial wish is that each child may be visited by a Santa Claus whom he hasn't seen for many years;
Internation'। Control
Is A Necessity
"International control is a necessiy" was the theme of the assembly given by Doctor Alfred Nier, Dec ember 13.
Dr. Nier has been working for 13 years on atomic research. During the war he was employed by the government in one of the best kept secrets in history, the Oak Ridge plant. He took charge of government contracts, and had the contract for the building of the 600 million dollars unit at Oak Ridge.
Physics first interested him when he had to take it as one of the required courses for electrical engineering. After completing the course, he was still interested and so he continued on in physics. When asked how he came to be the first to separate pure U-235 he laughed and said something about its being comparatively simple. However the very fact that he in collaboration with several Doctors at Co lumbia University, were the first to prove that atomic energy could be gotten from U 235, shows that Dr. Nier is a very modest man. Dr. Nier conducted an experiment making a half dollar radio-active, and then stated that's all the secret that there is to atomic energy Any country can make use of atomc energy because we have been only one of many countries that have been working on atomic search.
Implications of atomic powers Impliction power are mand a i bil missiles, rocke plane, rom isolopes and domic fuel. Dr Nier believes very definitely that w will in our lifetime see rocket trips to the moon.

TO THE STUDENTS AND FACULTY OF N. U. H. S.

The two dates of the school calendar most awaited this year are Dec. 20 and Jan. 6. To us, these dates mean party and greeting.
It is my wish that all of you depart with the expectation and a forthcoming realization of a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year Also, may our return be equally as pleasant as our departure.

Jerry Prahl
Student Body Pres.

that these children's stockings may be filled with peace, prosperity and a chance to grow up in a world fre from hunger and want.

For the people of the U. S.our wish is that there may be a more complete understanding between la bor and capital; that there be real homes for returned G. I.'s and their familles and for all people that they may hang up their stockings by their own firesides; and that there be brotherhood between all races, colors, and creeds so that there will be reality in the song of the angels "Peace on earth, will toward men." The Staff

## Glenn Scott Is

To Teach In Tokyo
Tokyo will be the new location of Glenn Scott, former member of the NUHS faculty. Mr. Scott taught three classes of agriculture and si hours a week of eighth grade science besides conducting the activities of FFA, during his 2 1-2 years here!
Monday, December ninth, Mr. Scott's resignation was accepted at the school board meeting. His last day of school was December 12 . On December 14, he reported to St Paul to begin his new position in the army education program which is sponsored by the war department is sponsored by the war departme teaching in schools in Tokyo
Superintendent Herrmann announced that a successor will be named just as soon as une is avail able; until that time Mrs. Kirgiss will continue to substitute in the agriculture department.
Mr. Scott came to NUHS in the summer of 1944 from Ottewa, Illinois.
Mr. Scott's family will not ac company him now as his daughter Myrna is enrolled in school here They expect to join him later.

## Spots on Speech

"Boy did I ever get a raw, deal, remarked Jean.
"If you think. you got a raw deal, you should have heard what that judge told me," complained Bill. "He told me that I talk too fast."
'And de noive $o^{\prime}$ dat jedge tellin' me my gramma' ain't no good," griped Giles. [She's as good as she was yesterday.]
These remarks are typical of those voiced on the return trip of debate and speech trips.
There will be several opportunities again this year for speech students for participation in extracurricular speech activities to give vent to their feelings when the judge explains, "I thought you did very well, but I couldn't quite give you well, but I
Tentative arrangements have been made to debate Hutch here next week. Hutch was here last year, and they offered the NU debaters very stiff competition.
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## Polling The Public Opinion

Hello Kids: the week. On the day we asked this questhe week. On the day we asked the think we tion report cards came out and we think we picked the right day. Here is the question Would you prefer Satisfactory and Unsatis-
factory on your report card insted?
A, B, or C that is now being used?
The whole school answered this way:
$25 \%$ Yes
$75 \%$ No
The Seniors said they preferred this:
$23 \%$ Yes
The Jun
$21 \%$ Yes
The Sophomores answered this way:
$31 \%$ Yes
$69 \%$ No
All the ges
$32 \%$ Yes
$68 \%$ No
$68 \%$ No
All the boys in school prefer this
All the bo
$80 \%$ No


Oh, Diary, I've been so busy Christmas shopping, and yet it doesn't seem as if I'm getting anywhere. I'm going down tonight again to look for another present. Wish me luck!

Last Saturday was the most wonderful day. We played Roosevelt in our first home basketball game and we won. Everyone was ketball game and we with joy. Congratliterally bubbling over with joy.
Preparations for the Christmas program Sunday are buzzing right along, and it sure Sunday are buzzing right along, and sure looks like the program will be a success. The choir sounds swell, and the solos by Mary, Shirley, Kathy, Kim, and "Joe" don't detract any. Congratulations to all of "youse" too.
It seems Miss Fisher's nectar has found some other uses besides going down to Fri-Le-Ta girls. [You girls remember Miss Fisher's nectar, don't you?l Miss Fisher left some nectar here, and just the other day Mr . Penuelas found it. He thought it was ink and put it.into his pen. Poor Mr. Penuelas! He was so disappointed when it didn't write. But when he told us about it, we roared with laughter.

Snoozie, the Sunshine Kid, came up with this very true quip. "About the best break his very true quip. Abouse days is to be a pedestrian can expl"

Felices Navides, everybody!
Patty

"Quiet-Type"
This gal may be quiet, but she certainly ikes to hear "Stars and Stripes" played by the Marine Band. She claims that being "dictated" to by a big brother is her "pet peeve". Coral Jean Kirgiss has a definite "yen" for cooking and also for eggs in any form. The world certainly was made richer on April 17 a few years back 'cause that's when Coral Jean first saw the light of day. We all wish her loads of luck especially in beoming an interior decorator, which certainly is a bright future.

Wolf in Sheep's Clothing
We'll give you one guess! Naturally, we

## THE GRAPHOS <br> 



## 'Twas The Night Before Xmas

## by Richard "Santa Claus' Niemann <br> was the night before Christmas when all through my head,

Not an idea I had, so I went right to bed,
My stockings I hung by the window with care In hopes they too would get some fresh air, The children were all nestled snug in their beds, While visions of school lessons danced out of their heads, When out on the street there arose such a clatter, I thought 'twas engine 3 from the Hook 'n Ladder. When what to my wondering eyes should appear, But a miniature rocket drawn by 8 reindeer, With a little old driver so lively and quick, I knew in a moment it must be Nick, knew in a mon Fagles his reindeer they came,
And he whistled and shouted and called them by name,
And he whow Jerry, now Bull and Schnobby,
Now Dodo, now Jery, now bully, On Pete, on Bemny, on Hank and on the wall! To the top of the porch to the top of the wan Now dash away, dash away, dash away all, So up to the house top those Eagles they flew, With their sleigh full of toys and jolly Nick too, He spoke not a word but went straight to his work And filled all the stockings and turned with a jerk. And laying his finger aside of his nose, He said, "Get going! Be on your toes. He sprang to his sleigh, to his team gave a whistle, And away they all flew like the down of a thistle. But, I heard him exclaim ere he drove out of sight, Merry Christmas to all, and to all, a good night.
know what he does during his leisure time; know what he does during his leisure time; namely hunting "Clat and he claims that tain yearning for "Gilda," and he claims He's there'll never be another gal Prep assignalways griping about College Prep assignments, but has a warm spot in his heart all reserved for physics class, honest! It seems that this fellow's main ambition is to get through college with as little trouble as possible. He also likes to relax for awhile and isten to Sammy Kaye. Our hat's off to you, President Jerry Prahl [Student Council, of course!!

## Herberger's Rose

Now we all know what that pretty rose on Herberger's represents, don't we? While Herberger's lope" isn't going to school or his 'atle floweriting letters-wonder to whill Upon hearing Wayne whom-Lois "however, she's able to King or tear herself away from wist at the sight bit. Lois mouth star of dehydrates again of fried chicken, but sort when she comes in sight of a conife," on. Oh well, "Variety is the spe warning s they always say. A Lois-don't work too hard!
"Mary'
A pert littls miss with a love for traveling A pert littls miss beauty, Mary Jane Lindmeyer. Mary Jane surely must think "Life Can Be Beautiful" for that's her favorite Chere is one thing that gets her song. There is one that's conceit. We find that she likes Tommy Dorsey's music. Just that she likes juicy steak to that "dish" and add a tender juicy steak to could want. Here's wishing you a quiet study hall plus a Here's wishing you a quiet stid bithday, June good book, for a very happy birthday, June 11.

## 'Star"

This seems to the theme of Lorraine Dittrich's life. Even way back when? on July 26 her bright smile won the hearts of all she glanced upon. Now she spends all her leisure time answering calls from Pat Haynes. Her favorite "dish" is Pa -whoops, fried chicken with all the trimmings! Lorraine likes Guy De Leo's band the best of all. She could listen to "The Old Lamplighter" any minute of the day, by the hour. She likes English. She can't stand people who say untrue things about her affairs, so watch out for fate!
bout her affairs, so watch out
Ced any special aromas comHave you noticed any special lately? Our ing from the Home Nc . De celebrated own Benny Ubl is one of being cooks of that class and naturall, cooked prejudiced and all, he thinks pheasant cooked by him is his favorite dish-We shoul "dish" mentioned somewhere around the that Ethel Klossner also has a rating among tasty morsels where Benny's concerned. He claims "women" as his pastime but we've come to the conclusion that "a woman" is more like it. "Five Minutes More" is said to be his favorite among songs and Guy De Leo is his orchestra. Benny was brought into this world on Jan. 9. One of the little storklings must have given him the cold shoulder 'cause he has grown up to dislike stuck-up women.

Angel Aggie"
"To Each His own" and so it goes, Huh Aggie?-You and Artie and me and-Agnes Aggie?-You and Ares the trumpet, hence HarLang says she loves the trumpet, hence Har ry James is her favorite band leader; and while we are on the subject favorites she likes social and Bot in here Violet did that combination get in here? Violet, you'd better check up on your relations with
the said "twerp" 'cause she seems to feel you're her pet peeve. She was born July 25 , destined to be a "good little typist" in her own true words. Good Luck, the Class of ' 47 is behind you and a Merry Christmas too.

## "Merry Christmas"

"I Can't Begin to Tell You" is Rosemary Christian's theme song it seems. With Eddie around, do we blame her??? Besides Eddie, she works, studies, and goes-?? away! Guy De Leo sends her, wonder why? With Eddie dancing with her out at the ballroom, with that dream orchestra of Guy De Leo's playing her theme song, she must be a very happy little girl. "Cutie" was brought into this cruel gruesome but wonderful world on the twentieth of July, 1930. Young ain't
he? She says she dislikes being blamed for she? She says she dislikes being blamed for
something she didn't do.


As you know, there are different librarians at different periods. Jeannine Naumann is in charge during the sixth period on days when there is no chorus. She began her duties in her sophomore year and has continued successfully ever since. She feels that it is loads of fun and also gives her a great deal of experience.
Jeannine Naumann and Harriette Heymann agree that there should be carpets on the library floor.

The senior class seems to have developed a sudden interest in English literature. They find it fully as good as our American literature. Let's see if you agree on the following English novels-THE TALE OF TWO CITIES, by Charles Dickens, is a stirring novel which takes place in England in 1775; OLIVER TWIST, also by Charles Dickens, is an English novel of the distorted life of Oliver Twist, from the time of his birth until his death. DAVID COPPERFIELD, is Charles Dickens' characterization of little David and of his life in England during the 17 th and 18th centuries-These are just a few of the fine English literature we, in New Ulm high school, have access to. I am sure that you will become greatly interested in these historic novels if you would only try one.

It may interest you to know that we have the books: AWOL MUSTERS OUT, AWOL K-9 COMANDO, and SHORT LEASH, which were written by Bertrand Shurtluff, he westler. I am sure you will all want to read these outstanding books by this outstanding person.


The only reason Miss Raverty doesn't hang mistletoe on herdoor is that she wouldn't dare stand there and collect test papers.

It wasn't due to Bill Dempsey's politeness but Mary Green's poor aim, that she sat on the floor instead of the chair in Chemistry. Politeness can be overdone, Bill.

The College Prep text will have to be revised because of the new vocabulary being added, especially by Joe Pivonka. Have you ever heard of a word called "pitsters"???

Audre Woebke is having an enforced week's vacation from speech class--How do you like 1st hour study, Aud?

Dale Evans and Jerry Prahl are again members in good standing of the physics class after spending the 7 th and 8th periods with Miss Raverty

Plans for the Annual have been submitted to the publishers. The bids for the printing of the Annual are to be in January 6th

## Jealousy

There sits Patty with rings galore
Behind these rings are men by the score,
I bought a ring-
I've still got the darn thing!!
Aren't the Christmas decorations pretty? Have you noticed the hog pail under the fountain on third floor?

Staying after school is getting to be a habit with the Physics Class.

## School Days-

Who turned the gas on in the Chemistry Lab? Almost every hall in the building re ceived some of the aroma

Benny Ubl, Grumpy Grathwohl, and Donny Edwards are really whizzes when it comes Benny oream Puffs. They seemed to have had a little trouble though. They put too much grease in the pan, and the result was a fire.

Did you see the striped stockings the basketball team was wearing? Thanks to Mrs Harman and her mending, they got to wear them.

The Iderl School Staff [We'll let you dream awhile]
Principal-Giles Merkel
Physics-Paul Sturm
History-Lenore Crum
College Prep- Joe Pivonka
Coach-Jimmy Clay
If you ever listen in on the boy's conversation in the eat shops, this is usually what they are saying. "It's o. k. now. The girls just paid their check."
 Kinny. The night before, McKinny. The night before, McKinny scored 23 points against the Fairmont quint. Against our team he scored only five buckets. The
team definitely improved $100 \%$ over the Sleepy Eye opener.

Tommy Hayes, who netted 13 points to tie for first place scoring honors with Joe Pivonka said, "It was a swell game; and if we keep playing like that we'll win some ball games". Jerry Prahl also replied, "It was a good clean game, and the Roosevelt team was game, and the play with."
Roosevelt probably will again be on our schedule next year. A memon our schedule next year. A mem-
ber of the party traveling with the ber of the party traveling with the
"Teddie's", remarked, "We hope we meddie's", remarked, "We hope we come down here and play your teams, but isn't fun when you whip the tar out of us all the time". Our team surely will improve with each succeeding game. The "Wolves" have had their howl; now we'll have ours.

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Calling All Girls! Well, girls, we finally have our play-day named and our chairmen elected. At the meeting, Miss Hein told us about the day and how it would be run. We elected the general chairman, Jeanie Forster. After that the meeting was turned over to Jeanie and we elected the chairmen of the four committees. Here are the committees and the respective chairmen; Invitations and Program - Donna Krueger; Foods - Kathy Kral; Organiza-tion-Jeannine Naumann; Recep-tion--Bette Brand: These chairmen will choose the rest of their committee members themselves,
miltee members themselves.
It was decided that the play-day would be from 1:00 to about 4:00 in the afternoon on January 25 , in the afternoon on January 1947 . Different sports events will be held in different rooms, but be held in different rooms, but these haven't been decided as yet. After the girls are finished playing, a lunch will be moved in the cafeteria, after which there will be the program. It was also decided that only the Senior High G. A. A. girls will be admitted. The Junior High girls still have their 3 years ahead of them.
Here are the schools who will be invited: St. Peter, Nicollet, Comfrey, Springfield, Sleepy Eye and Hanska.
For those who dan't know, Seniar High G. A. A. will be held on Mondays at 4:00 from now on until the basketball tournaments are over. Don't forget! Monday at 4:00. Don't forget!
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## Eagles Lose Three Events

The Eagles of NUHS lost three events this week-end, losing to the Milroy wrestlers on Thursday 29-14, to the St. James cagers Friday 4538 , and to Worthington in the class " $D$ " gym meet on Saturday afternoon.
Hank Eckstein scored five points for the Eagle wrestlers on Thursday by pinning Pavek of Milroy in 40 sec. Jim Clark, Jerry Hamann, and Jim Schnobrich each scored three points for New Ulm on decisions from their opponents. Milroy won from their opponents. Milroy won with four, of the triumphs being pins.

## NU Eagles Wins

 Upset VictoryN. U. Eagles came through with an upset victory Saturday, December 7, by squeezing past Minneapolis Roosevelt 37-35. The high school "Bees" trimmed Hanska 2714 in the evening's opener.
The Eagles' win has furnished them with their first victory, while it gave Roosevelt their first defeat.
The Minneapolis quint was leading 11-7 at the first quarter until New Ulm took the lead 20-16 at intermission. The Eagles led $32-26$ at the end of the third stanza, while Roosevelt rallied and came within one goal of tying the game. Long shots were the only effective means of scoring for both teams as both quints set up strong defenses.
Joe Pivonka and Tommy Hayes carried away scoring honors with 13 points apiece, while Dean Mo Kinney scored 11 points for the

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Teddies.
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Eagles "B" ran over Hanska in the prolim 27-14 Over Hanska in the prelim 27-14. Hánska was held to three points in the first two standing with the half-time score standing at 9-3.

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Winthrop, Minnesota High school days,
Have their delights,
But they can't comparé, With high school nights.

Pepster
Crookston, Minnesota

## Bowling Will Start After Christmae

Bowling will introduce itself in NUHS after the Christmas vacation, as an intramural sport.
The first meeting was held December 14 at the Concordia alleys where approximately 35 senior high students reported to "bowl three games. From this first meeting, Joe Milinovich, who is to be advisor for the sport, hopes to form ix teams that will bowl every Saturday afternoon at the Concordia.

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Page Four

The first inter-scholastic meeting following vacation will be the discussion among all the schools of the Little Ten on the question "The Maintenance of Industrial Peace in America." These discussions will America. These presented in our auditorium and be presented in our audito inut is January 15, at 3:00 o'clock
Two weeks later on Friday, Janary 31, two debate teams will be entered at the Luther College ournament at Decorah, Iowa. In ddition to bringing home the trophy, the debaters might expect to have a nice chat with Miss Kathryn Ulvilden, who is now teaching there. Perhaps a Christmas card in advance to Miss Ulvilden may bring better results.
On February 7 and 8, not onl the debaters but the boy and gir ${ }^{1}$ rator and boy and girl extemp peakers will participate in the Gustavus tournament. Mr. Sutherand is ready to receive applications of boys and girls who think that hey have what it takes to bring the "Glory" to NUHS.
An opportunity to give an oration and an extemp talk will also be provided in the Moorhead, Minnprovided in tournament, on February 21 and 22 .
The debaters are especially busy these days since it is their intention 0 again win the region and enter he state tournament in Minneapolis on March 7.
The veterans, Jean Nelson and Bill Dempsey have selected newcomers Iris Wagner and Virg Herrick, as their colleagues. At the present time Jean and Iris are atempting to prove that the Amermpe not receiving adecan medical services. Bill and quate medical serve seem inclined to dony the Virg seem
statement.
Six superior ratings were achieved by NU contestants in the District contest last year. Five of these six are still in school; if they can find declams and orations to their liking, and with much new material to press them, NUHS should again "cop" some of the honors at least. This year the district contest will be an all day affair with each contestant going through two rounds before being eliminated. The place -New Ulm; the date, March 28.
After a regional contest, the winners will enter the state contest April 11. Last year both Bill Dempsey and Jean Nelson won the Dempsey and Jean Nelson weither one of them will be eligiblefor competition of them w

## Your

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Sale of Seals
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Members of the journalism class using the Lamplighter theme, sold $\$ 12.65$ worth of Christmas seals Kenny Herzog as the Lamplighter went from room to room while the 'Old Lamplighter'" was played soft ly over the sound system.
Audre Woebke, Amaryllis Samuelson, Jean Nelson and Shirley Kosek followed the old Lamplighter and made short pleas describing the use of the money obtained from the sale of seals, and then sold the seals. They reported that Mr Scott's and Mr. Nicklasson's home rooms bought the most seals.
The rest of the journalism class The rest of the journalism clas was busy getting the seals, the costume, writing the pleas, kubliciztrack of the

## NU Grad Member Polar Expedition

Charles Riess, class of ' 46 , left for Antarctica with the Byrd ex ploring expedition, December 3 .
He sailed on the U. S. S. Mer-
rick from the west coast in a Seabe detachment assigned to the oper ation. The naval force will operate in three units on opposite sides of the Antarctic continent. Four ships left the East coast Decembe sec ond, and the five-ship unit which "Chuck" is in, left California a day later. The task force will be divided after a rendezvous near Balboa, Panama. His duties will probably consist of construction work such as building airfields and barracks. He building airs be the bottom of the world until the middle of May.

## Seniors Made <br> Prof it of $\$ 235$

Returns on the senior class play presented November 23 show a profit of about $\$ 235$, according to "Hans" Brust, business manager. The play attendance brought The put expenses amounted to $\$ 336$, $\$ 102$ A federal tax of $\$ 46$ about $\$ 102$. A federal tax of $\$ 46$ took the biggest bite of the income. Two other main expenses were ad vertising and royalty. The rest of the expenditures was made up of miscellaneous items.

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Junior Class Play Has Been Selected
"Come Rain or Shine" has been selected as the junior class play by the play committee after four weeks of deliberation. The final choice was between "January Thaw" and "Come Rain or Shine:"
Jim Clark was chairman of the cornmittee and the other junior representatives were Bill Dempsey, Alvin Ganske, Harriet Heymann, Alvilalv, Jeannine NauMynt Tony Sellner and Shirley mann,
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THE play will be given sometime in spring, but the exact date has not been set.

## Santa Appeared

Santa Claus' visit proved to be the outstanding attraction at the December 17 Christmas dance in the small gym. Music for the dance was furnished by the swing band and a Christmas theme was carried out in the decorations. The proceeds went to the junior class who sponsored the dance.

Home Ec. Has
Christmas Spirit
Holly and mistletoe aren't needed to build up the Christmas spirit in the Sewing Department! Decorating the room, are the gay bulle-tin-boards, showing numerous gift suggestions and "Jolly Ole St. Nick," in the night before Christmas. The outstanding scenes are the shelves which are made up to represent the different Christmas songs, such as "Up on the House Top", and "Away in a Manager".
A number of gifts were made by the junior and senior girls. Scarfs and mittens were made with anightly-colored felt, and trimmed with contrasting colors.
The Cooking Department is also The Cooking by flling the halis doing its part, by flling the halls with delicious odors from the goodies they've been making. Fruit cakes and many different kinds of cookies were made. It isn't like it was a few years ago, when sugar was easy to get. In those times [which are hard to remember] candy was the main thing to look forward to at Christmas time!
A very Merry Christmas to Miss Westling and Miss Severson, from the Home Economic students.

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Much thinking has gone into the question, "What am I going to get or Christmas?" Betcha you're all wondering-Well, maybe these presents will be under the tree

Everyone seems to like music, so a phonograph would really be superdeluxe.... Maybe a combination, with a set of jive records to go with it You lucky person!!!

Really tho-that is a lot to expect. More likely you'll find "useful' items. Parents seem to think Christmas should be practical as well as fun.

Repeating our former statement-"Parents like 'useful' Xmas's". Get them to see your view point that a stocking cap is a necessity. After all, a person has to stay warm. They are "musts" on most people's lists this year.

You may be a winter sports lover. In that case, skates or skiis will be right on top. They have some neat seven-foot black walnut skiis at one of the hardware stores downtown. Pass that on to Santa.

X-marks the spot under the tree for that new "smelly" you've been pining for. For the "men"-a wonderful new lotion with a scent of pine. the North woods.... or the Xmas tree....MMMMM. For the."ladies" Seventeen is featuring a perfume especially for "young" ladies. It's called Melinda and it smells yummy

Many of you have already handed in your list to Santa. Did it include something to help you in your hobby? If your hobby is painting-a paint set. Stamp collecting-a stamp set-Boy or girl-friend collectinga?????set. [You Guess]

And last but not least-you open the best package of all.... At least you think so... It's wrapped so nicely. Maybe it's that "special" present. You can't tell from the wrapping AHHH-the tissue paper comes off-and there it is - a pair of pink unmentionables.... or set of flannel underwear from Santa. What did we say about a practical Xmas?

So it goes year after year.... But it's the best time of all the holiday season.... Be sure you don't eat too much Xmas dinner, and to all of you very, MERRY CHRISTMAS!!

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