

# The Graphos



New Ulm High School, New Ulm, Minn., Tuesday, Sept. 20, 1949

#### **Mathematics**



Industrial Art







Above left, Mr. Dahl, junior high mathematics instructor. Above right, Mr. Achman, junior high industrial arts instructor. Lower left, Miss Hanson, Home economics teacher in sewing department. Lower right, Mr.

# Teachers Resume Duties After Varied Summer Vacations

Variety is really the spice of life! And out faculty members make their summer vacations no exception. Travel, summer school, camping, summer jobs and many other activities are included in the wide range of interests of our high school teachers.

Mr. Halligan was kept busy working for the California Packing Company this summer. He was in the agriculture department going out into the fields looking for the corn borer, a spotter on the dusting crew and also a foreman of the detassling crew. Mr. Halligan knew quite well Mr. Smith, who was killed in an air crash dusting corn near Cambria this summer. He said he had talked to Smith one hour before the crash but didn't hear about it till 3:30 the same day.

Mr. Dahl was born and raised in Minneapolis, where he went to South High School. After that he went into the Army Air Corps for two years as a radar operator. He then went to Augsburg College in Minneapolis. This summer he attended the University of Minnesota, studying physical education. He likes N.U.H.S. very much.

Miss Mary Kayser spent two weeks in June in Rochester, New York. Later in August, she went to Kamsack, Saskatchewan, Canada. The rest of her vacation she spent at her home in St. Peter, Minnesota.

Mr. Harmon supervised the summer playground activities in New Ulm. For several days he took a trip to Itasca State Park. He also became a student for three weeks while he attended the University of Minnesota Economic Work shop. Some time was spent getting jobs for the football players, and getting things ready for the first football drill August 29. MR. Fier:

"There is no vacation for the agri-

culture teacher," said Mr. Fier. He stayed at school and worked all summer. He supervised some activities on the farm for the F.F.A. boys. Mr. Maiquez:

Mr. Maiquez has had a busy summer. First he taught at the Spanish-American Institute at the University of Minnesota. After that, the tables were turned, and he was a student. He studied Spanish, French and Latin, in English, for his Doctors degree.

Mr. T. R. Olsen attended the University of Minnesota this summer and majored in distributive education. He has to write a thesis this winter to complete his work for a Master's De-

Mr. Strang attended summer school in Iowa City to further his work toward a Masters Degree. It was said to be the hottest summer down there since 1936. He also visited a weekend in Duluth. The rest of the summer was spent working with the junior and senior bands. The highlight was taking the senior high band to the Brown County Fair.

Because of her mother's illness, Miss Mueller spent her summer vacation at her home in Arlington, Minnesota. Nevertheless, her vacation was anything but restful. She spent much of her time riding her horse, Morning Glory, and playing golf.

Immediately after the closing of school last year, Miss Carlson attended the American Guild of Organists and Choir Directors at her home in Minneapolis. She also visited the Schmitt's Music Clinic there and spoke with one of our former music teachers, Mr. Paul Heltne.

She spent one week in Chicago and Milwaukee and thoroughly enjoyed swimming in Lake Michigan.

Then she took a three-weeks' trip [continued on page 4]

## Dr. Montgomery to Present First Assembly Program

Dr. James W. Montgomery, well known authority on Latin American and a frequent visitor to the twenty lands of the South, will deliver an address on "The Americas Move Together." The lecture will be given Friday, September 23, at 8:45 A.M.

Because of his many trips to Latin American countries, Dr. Montgomery is among the most traveled individuals of the North American continent. During the past fourteen months, Dr. Montgomery visited forty states and traveled throughout Canada.

After hearing him in a series of seven lectures on South America recently a university president wrote, "There is never a dull and uninteresting moment during a Montgomery lecture. He seems always to know what to tell

#### Art Students to Begin Drawings

Every art class, from the first grade to the twelfth grade, starts the same way. The students make drawings of anything they choose. The purpose of this is that the teacher and the students can get acquainted with each other, and at the same time, the students can get acquainted with their own ideas. After this, they start individual work. The seventh and eighth graders are required to take this course, and most of them find it very interesting. This year there are six ninth graders, one tenth grader, four eleventh graders, and four seniors taking art. The seniors will have periods of personal creative work. Alternating with this there will be periods of class work in applied arts such as posters, architecture, etc. "These classes are not restricted to talented people," said Mr. Wold; "anyone that is interested in art, even if he can't draw a straight line, is welcome in my

## First Senior High GAA Hike Held

A picnic-hike to the beach was enioved by twenty-five senior, junior, and sophomore girls Tuesday, Sept 13, under the supervision of Miss Mueller and her assistant, Miss Carlson. The group left New Ulm high school at 4:30 and remained at the beach until 2:00. The girls even took matches this time. Poor Shirley Wallner had to give all her food to the chaperones because they didn't bring anything to eat. But I'm sure she enjoyed doing it, nevertheless.

#### Heads Student Council



Photo By Fixsen

Pictured above is Jerry Wiess, president of the student body. He was elected last spring succeeding Curt Larson.



Photo By Fixsen

Above is a picture of one of the 1950 class rings. Seniors were able to get them the first week of school.

#### Last Years Seniors Attending Colleges

Twenty-four per cent of last years seniors have decided to continue their education. The students attending the following colleges and universities are these: Gustavus Adolphus-Curtis Larson, Charles Brust, Dennis Nelson. Robert Martens and Amaryllis Samuelson; University of Minnesota-Patricia Hartl, Harlan Bauermeister, Iris Wagner and Richard Niemann; Mankato Commercial College-Dorothy Malby and Luverne Sauer; Mankato Teacher's College—Herb Schaper, Marlys Swanson, Donley Johnson and Betty Crone; University of Michigan-Fred Nystrom; St. Catherine's, Nursing-Jean Gasner and Helene Burch; Hamline—Eugene Sandmann and Gerald Albright; Minnesota

School of Business-Agnes Dittrich; Macalester-Phelps Schulke; Notre Dame-Richard Seifert; St. Benedict -Ruth Groebner; St. John's-Bill Bierbaum; N. W. Institute of Medical Technology-Roselyn Dittrich; St. Scholactica-Arlyn Reinhart; Taylor University-Mary Lee Wilson.

In the next issue of the Graphos, there will be a story on the activities of others of the class of 1949.

## FFA Members Have Busy Year

by Gordon Schroeder

F.F.A. Participates In Many Summer Activities

The New Ulm Chapter of the Future Farmers of America had a very busy summer exhibiting their prize calves, sheep, and pigs.

The judging team did a good job at the Southwestern Ayrshire Show Junior Judging contest. Vern Kitzberger took first, Leon Fritsche took second, and Stanley Schugel tied for

Several F.F.A. members took time off from their farm work to go on a four-day trip to Mr. Pfaender's camp at Gilbert, Minnesota. Those attending the camp were Roger Ulrich, Arlon Fritsche, Verlin Goerring, Dale Smith, Dennis Deopere, Leon Fritsche, Ralph Ubl, and Stanley Schugel.

Another activity of the F.F.A. was the first F.F.A. Livestock show held at the Brown County Fair. All of the boys did a very good job of exhibiting their projects. Some of the members participated in the Second Annual F.F.A. Show at Windom.

To climax their summer activities, nine boys went to the Minnesota State Fair where they set up an Education Booth for N.U.H.S. and exhibited some of their projects.

The first business meeting of this school year will be held tonight at which the Future Farmers will plan their future activities.

#### **Practice Teachers** In Ag Department

John Zwiebel and Joe Clifford will be working with Mr. Fier in the Ag. department for six weeks. They are both students of the University of Minnesota.

# Homecoming Festivities Set For Oct. 6-7

The annual homecoming festivities at New Ulm high school have been scheduled for October 7, according to a vote taken in all homerooms. It was decided that the opposing team will be Redwood Falls.

A committee of seven, including Jerry Wiese, Richard Wagner, Renee Reim, Donna Nelson, Hugh Sweetman, Noel Iverson, and Marianne Martinka, choose the homecoming badges, the price of which will be fifty cents. They are purple and white with matching ribbons and have a picture of a tackle on them.

Thursday, October 6, the bonfire, announcing of the queen, fireworks, and other activities will be staged at West Side Park. Your homecoming badge is your admission ticket for free bus transportation to the beach and free lunch immediately following the

## Six New Students Are Interviewed

Lorraine Weiland, a new junior, is from Lafayette. Before coming to New Ulm, she attended Winthrop high school. She plans on such extracurricular activities as oratory and G.A.A. She likes the school and thinks the teachers are plenty O.K.

Elizabeth Bakken is our new sophomore. She attended school at Hanska before coming to New Ulm. She is interested in such extracurricular activities as chorus and music. Right now she is taking clarinet lessons. "The teachers are swell," says Elizabeth, "and the school is wonderful." Elizabeth also has an older sister Martine who is a senior, here.

Martine [Candy] Bakken is our only new senior. She attended school at Hanska last year. Speech, music and working on the Graphos interest her most as estracurricular activities. To Candy, being a senior in N.U.H.S. is like being a freshman all over again. She said the school is so big and she often finds herself getting lost.

Vern Budahn is one of our new juniors. He formerly went to high school at Arlington. Vern likes the school and thinks the teachers are ok. His favorite subject is history.

Gordon Caswell-A new junior who came from Hanska. He attended high school there. Gorden is interested in sports, mainly basketball and baseball. He also likes the school and thinks some of the teachers are ok.

Radalph Loingren-Another one of our new juniors attended school at East Moline, Ill. last year. He is interested in sports, mainly basketball. Radolph thinks the students are swell and very easy to get along with. The school and teachers are also tops.

### Mankato Host to Phy Ed Convention

The annual Physical Education Convention is to be held at Franklin Junior High School, Mankato, Minnesota on Tuesday, September 27. This convention is planned by the State Department of Education and the Minnesota Association for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation for all health and physical education teachers.

The teachers will be divided into two sections; one for teachers fully qualified and the other for teachers needing a temporary permit to teach Phy Ed during the coming year. The New Ulm teachers to attend the convention have not yet been selected.

## THE **GRAPHOS**



#### Remember When

"School days, school days, good old golden rule days." A new school term has rolled around again. Remember last year? The year before? You can't go back too many years before you realize you don't remember. But still lingering in your memory is your first day of high school, your first homecoming football game, the big dance after. All these years you have been making history in New Ulm High School. This is how your successors will remember you.

"Blackout Sleepy Eye" was the homecoming slogan in 1939. That same school year, the seniors picked "Our Town" as their class play. It was such a huge success that they had to prepare for a command performance. Stu Groebner and Jack Minium, class of 1940, took the state in humorous declam. The graduating class in 1940 was the largest class in the history of New Ulm High School, with 115 receiving diplomas. Remember the statue of Joan of Arc standing by the library door? The class of 1911 donated that. In 1937 our basketball team went to the state tournament.

These are things you have heard and read about. This is the impression the alumni of N.U.H.S. have left with you. What kind are you going to leave?

#### Bees Beryl bv and Buzzin Barbara

Chums-have you read "Weathers" by Thomas Hardy? Then you will heartily agree that spring is the glorious month and fall brings with it only remnants of the "good ole times," May-be our "growing pains" have something to do with school.

I believe the homecoming badges this year will be exactly the same as last year's-no rabbit's foot. Here's hoping we won't need it!

Seniors-have you noticed that the title of our social book is "Today's Problems". Heavens! we have enough of those without looking for more! Why does Mr. Harman try to make life more confusing?

Beware Eddie Metzen! Do not let beautiful locks of a certain specimen of the female species in Advanced Algebra distract you from your study! You may need this knowledge infuture

Moral: Interference is sometimes costly.

"The world knows nothing of its greatest men." No wonder they have never heard of us!

Me.: Knock Knock! You: Whose there?

Me: Iza

You: Lza Who?

Me: Iza gotta go-Be seeing ya'!

While nearing the girls' locker room I heard a loud, even "thump! thump!" Coming upon the source I realized several girls had just been weighed and they were now trying to pound off the fat!!! I guess this modern "ice cream sundae age" is broadening.

Did you know South Dakota is the only state which does not require a driver's license? However, some states do grant licenses without tests.

Women drivers! Did you read this in the May '49 Reader's Digest? "A woman drove into a service station to complain that her car was using up too much gas. The attendant pointed to the choke lever which protruded from the dashboard. "Do you know what this is for?" he asked.

"Oh, that" said the woman airily "I never use it, so I keep it pulled out to hang my handbag on."

One of nature's oddities. "A giant puffball more than four feet across and five feet high was picked in New York State in 1877. It was big enough to have supplied 500 people with steaks slices 8" 4" 1".

U. of Minn. Press

"Bragging may not bring happiness, but no man having caught a large fish goes thru an al-

Readers' Digest Feb. '49

I walked up the door, I opened the stairs, Said my pajamas and Put on my prayers. I turned out the bed, I jumped into the light, Just cuz he kissed me good night.

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Redwood Falls-Timber Cage the Cardinals Fall, Redwood

# Redwood-Falls

# Teen Age Killers

By Sharon Oswald

Who would ever think that the teen-agers of New Ulm are potential killers? That is a cruel accusation but never-the-less, careless teenagers all over the United States are killing themselves and other innocent people just because of their wreckless driving. New Ulmites have been very lucky. As yet, few or no fatal accidents have been caused by New Ulm teenagers. But why wait until a tragic accident occurs before we take precautions. New Ulm public high school is one of the finest schools in the state. A school with such a record surely should have a course in driving. The course would make every student safer whether they or their friends are driving. Let's see what we could do about this necessary course!

### Are These Your Ideas Of Education?

Education is the cheap defense of nations.—

Just education forms the man.—Gay

Love is the greatest of education.-Mrs. Os-

To form a brave man, educate boldly.—

Teach the children! It is painting in fresco.

By education most have been misled,-

We are taught words, not ideas.—Beacons-

Education is only second to nature.—Horace Bushnell

The best and most important part of every man's education is that which he gives himself.—Gibbon

Schoolhouses are the republican line of fortifications.—Horace Mann

The best education in the world is that got by struggling to get a living.—Wendell Phillips

The self-educated are marked by stubborn peculiarities.—Isaac Disraeli

He is to be educated because he is a man, and not because he is to make shoes, nails, and pins.—Channing

Do not then train boys to learning by force and harshness; but direct them to it by what amuses their minds.—Plato

Modern education too often covers the fingers with rings, and at the same time cuts the sinews at the wrists.—Earl of Sterling

## Are These Your Ideas Of Greatness?

None think the great unhappy but the great.

Greatness knows itself.—Shakespeare

Great men are sincere.—Emerson

A great mind becomes a great fortune.—

No really great man every thought himself so.—Hazlitt

Greatness is its own torment.—Theodore

Shuffle the Cards

No man ever yet became great by imitation.

In a great soul everything is great.—Pascal-

The world knows nothing of its greatest men. -Henry Taylor

Great men are never sufficiently shown but in struggles.—Burke

A great man is made so for others.—Thomas

Great men should not have great faults.—La Rochefoucauld

Greatness, as we daily see it, is unsociable.—

## Are These Your Ideas Of Politeness?

Politeness is to goodness what words are to thoughts.-Joubert

Politeness costs nothing and gains everything.—Lady Montagu

Politeness smooths wrinkles.—Joubert

The truest politeness comes of sincerity.-Samuel Smiles

It is a part of good breeding that a man should be polite even to himself .- Richter

True politeness is perfect ease and freedom. It simply consists in treating others just as you love to be treated yourself.—Chesterfield

Politeness is a wreath of flowers that adorns the world.—Mme de Bassanville

There is no accomplishment so easy to ac-

# Big Wheels

Name: Joseph Schobert Nickname: Joe

Fet Saying: "Gell" Future Ambition: Trade School

Remembered For: Attractive accent and football prowess

Extracurricular activities: Football, wrestling, ping pong, intramural basket ball

Name: Martha Grams Nickname: Betty

Pet Saying: Peddle your papers someplace else

Hobby: Hanska men

Future Ambition: Telephone operator

Remembered For: Day dreaming Extracurricular activities: Fri-Le-Ta, G.A.A.

Name: Elaine Larson Nickname: Swede Pet Saying: "O My Gosh"

Hobby: Reading Future Ambition: Own a horse ranch out

West

Remembered For: Sudden change of flames Extracurricular activities: G.A.A. and Fri-

Name: Lynn Schmucker Nickname: Smokie Pet Saying: "Gee Whiz" Future Ambition: Go on to school

Remembered For: Good taste in clothes Extracurricular Activities: Fri-Le-Ta

Name: Grace Lamecker Nickname: Gracie Pet Saying: "I could spit tacks" Future Ambition: Nursing Remembered For: Short haircuts Extracurricular Activities: G.A.A., Music,

Fri-Le-Ta Name: Richard Wagner Nickname: Waggie Pet Saying: "Oh, really?"

Hobby: Airplanes Future Ambition: Fly to Mars in a recket Remembered For: Speech Ability

Extracurricular Activities: Music, intramural basketball. Name: Herbert Halverson

Nickname: Herb Pet Saying: "Ob, That's different."

Hobby: His car

Future Ambition: Undecided Remembered For: Being the strong silent"

Extracurricular Activities: Football and in-

tramural basketball.

quire as politeness, and none more profitable.-H. W. Shaw

Politeness is not always a sign of wisdom, but the want of it always leaves room for a suspicion of folly, if folly and imprudence are the same.—Landor

Politeness costs little and yields much.-Mme. de Lambert

There is a politeness of the heart; this is closely allied to love.-Goethe

Politeness is the art of rendering to everyone. without effort, that which is socially his due.-From the French

# Let You Know -- by Minnie and Jo

#### by MINNIE AND JO ATTENTION ALL STUDENTS

Don't be alarmed at the bright, shiny objects that are seen all over the halls! It's just the excited faces of the freshman. This is dedicated to all the newcomers: WELCOME to NEW ULM HIGH SCHOOL!!

Black-eyes seem to be getting around this summer. Gordy Schroeder can blame his on football practice, but what can Minnie Ubl and Chuck Gerland blame theirs on????

Night bicycle-riding seems to agree with some of the junior boys. It's even better "without" lights, isn't it, Sonny Keckeisen, Tommy Kraus, and Loyle Weiland??

Have any of you noticed how slim Barb Fesenmeier is lately? She must be doing a lot of walking now that her dad caught her with the car!!! \* \* \* \*

# FLASH! FLASH \* \* \* \*

GOLD HAS BEEN DISCOVERED!!! Where? Schleuder's Jewelry Store! What is it? The new, 1950 class rings! It really is a dilly, too. \* \* \* \*

Why that toothy grin, Mr. Zahn? The

Brewer's wouldn't have anything to do with it, would they?

#### HE WALKS BY NIGHT"

Of course, this could only be Zula Keckeisen hitch-hiking home after a quiet, studious evening at the library.

#### CONGRATULATIONS \* \* \* \*

The farmers really went to town at the State Fair this year. The F.F.A. boys can thank Mr. Fier for all the work he has done for them.

Splash! And it's New Ulm in the lead!! If you haven't already guessed, we're talking about New Ulm's Swimming Team. You did a great job, kids, and more power to you next year!

We have you all have noticed how clean and shiny the school looks. While we have been out enjoying ourselves this summer, the custodians kept the school in tip-top con-

We wonder why Elaine Larson has a sudden interest in cow-boy music!! It couldn't be because of a certain "cowboy" in the "Trail Riders", could it?



# Eagles Win First Game of Season, Defeat Glencoe 12-6

## Schmid Throws Pass on Final Play for Win

The New Ulm Eagles got off to a good start in football by defeating Glencoe 12-6. The winning touchdown was made on the last play by a jump pass from Connie Schmid to Harlon Sauer, who took the ball across the goal line.

In the opening minutes a fumble by Glencoe was recovered by Dave Berg, giving the ball to New Ulm. The Eagles lost the ball on downs on the two yard line.

Coach Harman's squad made their first touchdown in the 2nd quarter. The team, sparked by Joel Tierney's running, advanced to Glencoe's twelve yard line. Zula Keckeisen, after recovering his own fumble, raced across to put the Eagles ahead 6-0.

The third quarter was scoreless as neither team threatened.

New Ulm had six penalties for forty yards, while Glencoe was penaltized 5 yards throughout the game.

Both teams scored in the fourth quarter. Herzog of Glencoe made a 75 yard run to even the score 6-6. New Ulm kept fighting, never giving up the ball after Glencoe's score. "Zula" Keckeisen and Raja Mansoor brought the ball deep into Glencoe territory where the play by Connie Schmid and Harlon Sauer gave the Eagles a 12-6 victory.

The game was summed up nicely by Coach Harman, who simply said, "It was a wonderful game."

# Wow! Look At the New Team

A flash of red and black was seen as the New Ulm high football team came on the field. The team has received new uniforms—the best made in the world. The only comment made against the suits are the numbers. They can't be read very well. The colors are a far cry from the traditional purple and white. The suits look very striking on the field and give the team a streamlined appearance.

Lois Neuwirth

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## 1949 Squad Roster

Grade Name Jersey Weight Po-No. sition

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9	Arndt, Luverne	20	138	В
12	Berg, David	31	150	E
10	Christian, Harry	43	175	E
12	Dallmann, Jerry	22	130	E
11	Eckstein, Walter	37	175	T
10	Fenske, Billie	21	125	C
.10	Gasner, James	39	164	C
12	Halvorson, Herb	36	163	T
9	Heymann, John	35	165	E
9	Kagermeier, James	25	145	G
12	Keckeisen, James	30	150	В
12	Kiefer, John	44	180	T
12	Mansoor, Raja	38	162B	-G
12	Marquardt, Orville	34	140	В
12	Metzen, Eddie	24	125	В
11	Olson, Rollie	23	140	E
10	Pollei, Mike	37	160	E
9	Rausch, Don		155	В
12	Sauer, Harlon	40	175	E
11	Schmid, Connie	41	168	В
12	Schmidt, Robert	42	170	T
12	Schobert, Joe	26	140	G
12	Schroeder, Gordon	27	145	C
12	Tierney, Joel	28	155	В
10	Walden, Vern		145	G
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# Waseca Eagles' Conference Foe On Come Friday

New Ulm Eagles travel to Waseca Friday for their first conference game of the season.

Waseca, favored by the South Central coaches to be one of the strongest teams in the conference, has fifteen lettermen back, five who were regulars last year.

Coach Karl Krohn, in his first year at Waseca, states, "Our line will be big, rugged and experienced, although with the exception of Don Miller, the backs will be green and rather light.

Standouts on the Blue Jays are Don Miller, back and captain, Harold Halstead, tackle, and Virgil Gehring, end.

A week from Friday, New Ulm will play the first game here against Fairment

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#### SCHEDULE

Sept. 16—Glencoe, away Sept. 23—Waseca, away Sept. 30—Fairmont, here Oct. 7—Redwood Falls, here Oct. 14—St. James, away Oct. 21—St. Peter, away Oct. 28—Blue Earth, here Nov. 4—Springfield, here Eagles Shown In Opening Workouts



Photo By Fixsen

CALESTHENICS—To left of Joel Tierney [fourth from right]: Gorlon Schroeder, Bill Fenske, James Kagermeier. Background [left to right] Dave Berg and Rolly Olson.

BLOCKING PRACTICE—[left to right]—George Sauer, Jerry Dallmman, Doin g it is Herb Halverson with Dave Berg holding. Maurice Ness watches.

## Twenty Greet Coach Harman On First Call

Twenty prospects were invited to come out by Coach Harman for the initial practice of the season on August 29.

Conditioning, blocking, tackling, a general workout started the football practice of this year. Two regulars of last year, Harlon Sauer and Wally Eckstein personal t report because of work, but then be out later.

Of the 20 who reported, 12 were seniors, one junior, four sophomores and three freshmen,

Those who reported were the following: Seniors—David Berg, Herb Halvorson, Jim Keckeisen, John Kiefer, Raja Mansoor, Orville Marquardt, Eddie Metzen, Robert Schmidt, Joe Schobert, Gordon

Schroeder, Joel Tierney, and Jerry Dallmann. Juniors—Connie Schmid. Sophomores—Harry Christian, Bill Fenske, Mike Pollei and Vernard Walden. Freshmen—Luverne Arndt, John Heymann and Jim Kagermeier.

#### New Recruits

Ten new players joined the Eagle squad on the opening day of school. This increased the team to 36.

These were Marv Metzen, Larry Krueger, Roger Ulrich, Curt Ebert Donald Roiger, Ray Brey, Dick Wegner, Chuck Niehoff, and Roll y Olson.



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# Other Editors Guest Column

We'll try something new this year. While we have our say about certain things, we want to have other editors throw in their bit. To start the ball rolling we have Herb Schaper, last year's editor. This column will be run when interesting subjects arise.

By Herb Schaper

O.K. Dody, glad to have my say about the team this year without having my head knocked off by fellow students and getting odd glances from the coaches.

Last year I figured Mr. Harman would have to work a miracle to field a good eleven. I wasn't too sure what to expect. Now from watching the club work out, there is a slight possibility Mr. Harman may have something if he gets any decent

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breaks. The team is green and that, in my opinion, is one big factor in a team's records. Fine weight and speed is needed, but sometimes a team lacks many things but still has a decent season.

The line is big and is moulded around Wally Eckstein. The ends are definitely weak offensively and there lies the tale.

If the ends come through, both on defense and offense, N.U.H.S. will have a team to be proud of. But—and it's a big one—I don't think too much should be expected. But after all, I'm not an expert and Mr. Harman is in a fairly happy mood. All talk and no answer. Best of luck to the team. Hopes are high. Keep 'em there.

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#### Teachers (Continued From Page 1)

traveling in the West. She visited relatives in Seattle and got her fill of other cities, Denver, and Salt Lake City included.

She claims the highlight of the whole summer was her stay at the Prince of Wales Hotel in Glacier Park which overlooks all the mountains and beautiful forests. But the bears there were really frightening!

"Of course," she said, "I was only too glad to get back to New Ulm to give Miss Mueller her piano lessons

This was the twelfth consecutive summer that Mr. Pfaender, our athletic director, has run the St. Louis County 4-H Camp near Virginia, Minnesota. The camp has really been buzzing with activity this summer. Besides directing about 850 campers, including counselors Hugh Sweetman and Barbara Fesenmaier, Mr. Pfaender has been planning weekly camp programs for broadcast over the Virginia radio station. One of the big highlights at the camp was the time Jack Dempsey spent several weeks with them.

Playing baseball with the New Ulm Brewers has occupied much of Mr. Zahn's time this summer; but in between games, he worked with Heymann Construction Company. One of his thrills was catching a big bass during a week's vacation at Grand Rapids. To top off his summer was the excitement of going to the State Baseball Tournament at Detroit Lakes with the Brewers. He had never played in a state tourney before, so this was an experience that he really looked forward to.

Mrs. Ewy went on a very extensive trip to Portland, Oregon. She said, "I just can't tell about all the beauty; there is so much of it. They were going to go into Canada but they didn't have their birth certificates. Mrs. Ewy says, "Once you've been in the mountains you can't wait to get back; they sort of sink into your system.' Mrs. Ewy also added that next year they plan on going to the New England states.

Miss MacLaughlin, our school librarian, spent a month visiting her father in Kamsack, Saskatchewan. The rest of the time she was with her aunt in Eden Valley, where she has made her home since she was eight.

Miss Bruess took a 4600 mile trip through the western states during June and early July. The remainder of the summer was spent at Northfield and at her home in Sleepy Eye.

Miss Raverty spent the first weeks after school closed working in the canning factory at Sleepy Eye. The last two weeks she spent enjoying herself at Lake Koronis near Alexandria, Minnesota. Miss Raverty may be quoted as saying "I caught some beautiful Northerns, and every time I tell about them they keep getting a little bigger."

Miss Steen spent six weeks at summer school at the University of Minnesota where she took courses in journalism and philosophy. She hopes to use her newly-acquired knowledge in journalism in helping to plan the 1950 annual. The rest of the summer she spent at her home in Walnut Grove, Minnesota.

Mr. Wold is the new art instructor. He spent some time in the army and then attended the University of Minnesota until the end of July. After a one week trip to Northern Minnesota, he returned to his home in Minneapolis. Besides art he enjoys music, conversation and ·trout fishing. Mr. Wold thinks the New Ulm High School is very good.

Mr. Ness spent his summer as a student at the University of Minnesota working for his Master's degree in Physical Education. He also took a trip to northern Minnesota.

Mr. Tyrrell worked at odd jobs during the summer. The rest of the time he spent taking three trips up north, one of which was to Canada. He also went to different places to buy things for the Hobby Shop Mrs. Tyrrell is opening. The rest of the summer he spent at home.

Miss Wark said that it was too hot for anything this summer. She attended summer school at the Univer-

sity and took two English courses. They were Chaucer and American novels since Howells. She went up North the first part of August and visited Two Harbors for a short time.

Part of Miss Westling's vacation was spent taking trips. She visited Bryce, Zion and Yosemite National Parks, and also saw the Black Hills. Her comment on them was that they were all very different and beautiful. She attended the National Home Ec Convention in San Francisco, and spent the rest of the summer in Du-

Miss Sogn spent five weeks of her vacation at the University of Wyoming at Laramie. One of the many things she enjoyed was the beautiful scenery and her visit to the Rocky Mountain National Park. The rest of the summer, Miss Sogn spent in getting ready for the school year.

Miss Hanson of Brookings, South Dakota is a graduate of South Dakota State College with a major in Home Economics. She has had previous teaching experience at Canistota, South Dakota. During the summer she attended summer school at South Dakota State.

Miss Hanson has several hobbies such as skating and swimming and enjoys reading and golf. Her main ambition is to go horseback riding. Miss Hanson is quoted as saying "New Ulm High School is the most wonderful and cleanest school I have ever seen."

Mr. Achman, who is a graduate of St. Cloud Teachers College, spent his summer working in a logging camp on the west coast, a work he enjoyed very

Mr. Achman has had previous teaching experience at Brewster, Minnesota, where he was coach of the football team. When Mr. Achman was asked how he likes New Ulm High School, he said, "When I went through the building, I wondered how anybody could be lucky enough to teach in such a fine school." Mr. Achman is one of the shop teachers and will also coach Jr. High football and intramural basketball.

Miss Laura Wuopio spent most of her vacation at her home in Hibbing. She attended the M.E.A. Workship at Lake Esquagama as a delegate of the New Ulm Public Teachers Association in August. Miss Wuopio commented that the school year has gotten off to a good start.

Mrs. Franklin spent her summer vacation at her home in Hardwick, Minnesota. Doing some canning and taking care of the house kept her busy.

Mrs. Bjerke, head of our guidance department, spent her summer vacation at her home on the farm in Hinckley. Minnesota.

Miss Mann spent her summer vacation at her home in Owatonna, Minn-

Miss Treadwell went on a motor trip to California. On the way she visited such places as the Black Hills, Denver and Sante Fe. She also spent a day in Phoenix, Arizona. During her week's stay in California, she visited Mrs. Dean Sheppard the former Ester Yaeger who was a music teacher here in N.U.H.S. several years ago. When she came back, she went out to visit relatives in Glasgow, Montana for two weeks.

## Faculty Picnics at Flandrau Park

Had anyone gone out Flandrau Park at supper time on Labor Day, he would have found a group of sixty faculty, board members, and their wives and husbands, enjoying a picnic supper served by the Silver Latch.

The picnic was held after a threehour session at which four different committees discussed problems which have confronted and likely will confront the faculty again this year.

Discussions were held on teacher welfare and the general discipline of the students in the halls, the auditorium, and the classrooms. Student problems were given a thorough going over in such cases as the marking system, the value of homerooms, a students' vocational training, and talk of revising the point system so as to give each field an equal advantage.

# 2 Seniors Find Excitement in Northern Trip

Two supposedly dead boys gave passersby quite a shock!

To wake up on a lonely country road with sirens screaming and spotlights glaring was only one of the exciting things that happened to seniors Nubbs Schwartz and Fremont Buggert on their trip up north.

Nubbs and Fremont, along with two other of their friends, planned to take a northern-bound trip before school started. Just before leaving they found out that Beryl Siebenbrunner, Claire Liesch, Diane Anglemyer, and Barbara Fritsche were vacationing at Siebenbrunner's lake home on Gull Lake. So, naturally they thought it a pretty good idea to visit them. To the disappointment of the girls, one of the boys got sick, so the number taking the trip was eventually cut down to just Nubbs and Fremont.

The trip up went off perfectly, except that when they started getting hungry and got out their stock of canned food, they found that they had forgotten a can opener. Because of their hurried start from home, they didn't remember dishes either; by the time they got to Gull Lake, they appeared to the girls as two starved

Their homeward trip began on Sunday evening.

They decided to come home through the Cities so they could see a little more of the scenery. When they came to St. Cloud, they left the main highway; this detour, the boys admit, was their biggest mistake. About four miles out of St. Cloud, the car went "pfttt," and nothing would make it start again, so Nubbs and Fremont just took their blankets out of the car and tried to go to sleep by the side of the road. No sooner had they gotten to sleered ahan a glaring spotlight woke flou pinoo It was quite a surprise to Politene hen they saw the sheriff's car enighway patrol car, an ambulance and about ten other cars parked along the road. Obviously, someone driving by had thought the boys were dead and had reported the supposed accident to the police. It took quite a bit of explaining on the boys' part to clear the situation up. The sheriff was quite concerned about them, so he took Nubbs into town to get a new part for the car.

They had started out on the trip with \$10 apiece, but a few other car repairs had left them with only \$4. The sympathetic garage man sold them the new part for that amount, and Nubbs started walking back to the car. Nubbs stated that he's never been so scared as he was walking back on that dark country road. After hearing all those bear stories, who wouldn't be? Fremont wasn't much better off, though. He stayed by the car and had to be the one that explained the situation to all the cars that

The rest of the trip went all right and only a few little things held them up. The two of them got pretty hungry, and the gas tank was nearly empty. When they got to New Ulm, their provisions had dwindled down to 4c, a can of sphaghetti, and a very empty gas tank. Quite an experience, but both Nubbs and Fremont wouldn't have missed it for anything.

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# Tempo

It seems that at the beginning of every year sportswriters, economists, faculty members, and nearly everyone else makes some predictions about the future. So, why be different? We of the music department shall try to see what we can see-

As I gaze into my crystal horn I see the band under the direction of J. F. Strang, playing in the Rose Bowl for Minnesota, while Miss Carlson has her now famous choir on tour with the Community Concert Ass'n. [maybe that's why the sellout]. For occasional novelty numbers on Miss Carlson's programs I see—yes, it's the Girls' Triple Trio, well, well!

Now, as the noise clears from my crystal horn I hear the slow, sweet strains of Johnson Rag coming from the Swing Band which seems to be playing at the U. of M.'s Prom, while the Junior Swing Band plays between

As I concentrate a little more deeply I see—ah, yes, a 3-4 new but fully talented Boys' Quartet warbling regularly over none other than KNUJ. [Hm, 15 minutes between Clein Rhode and the Trail Riders. Oh, well.]

The scene slowly shifts-pardon me, two scenes slowly shift and I see the clarinet quartet chasing bears out of Duluth while the orchestra, assisted by the brass sextet, plays dinner music for the faculty.

Well, maybe my crystal horn is a little out of tune, but it is not entirely impossible for such achievements, if the proper amount of effort and cooperation is expended by everyone. Anyway, here's hoping for a lot of

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# Fashion Flashes

Hi, guys and gals. It's good to see you back again in "Ye Old Halls of Learning." Yes, you should plan on a little of this mixed in with all the fun and frolic.

Old Man Winter has decided to move up his dates for the winter season and as a result, all the sweaters and skirts have come out of moth balls and taken the place of the summer cottons, peasant blouses, and print skirts. We hope for a wee bit of Indian summer yet, as there will be plenty of time for wool skirts and sweaters later on, agree?

Now that Homecoming has been set for October 7, we can all start looking for our Homecoming dresses, that is if pa has enough money left in his pockets after outfitting his young'ns in new corduroy skirts and dresses for the coming school year. Even the football team has the latest in gridiron styles [complete with two-way stretch, we hear]. They locked pretty, flashy at the Glencoe game with their red and black uniforms, with gold timming, and matching helmets, didn't they?

Short hair, often worn straight, seems to be the style again this fall. And speaking of hair, girls with their hair put up in bobby-pins and wrapped up in a dishtowel are strictly taboo in Social, according to Mr. Har-

So long for awhile—Enuf said— Ginger and Sis

# Shop News

Mr. Achman is going to try out a new program this year in shop-work. He has 110 pupils: 29 seventy grade, 22 eighth grade and 59 freshmen. The seventh grade students will have a new project every three weeks. They will start with metal work, then woodwork, electricity, graphic arts, leather work, assembly, plastics and then ceramics. The eighth grade students will work with the fundamentals of drawing, woodwork and electricity, and the freshmen with drawing and woodwork. In woodwork they have a choice of making a corner shelf or a wall shelf which they have to plan and draw themselves.

### 89 Students In Metal Works Class

Mr. Tyrrell has 89 students in his metal classes this year. There are 18 seniors who will start with sheet metal and will continue on with plastics and automechanics. Twenty-four juniors will be using machines and making the tools they use. The 47 sophomores, will start with general metal, which includes everything, and then work on sheet metal.

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