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New Ulm High School, New Ulm, Minn., Friday, May 6, 1955

95 to Graduate

Plans have been completed for the activities commencement week beginning May 29.

Twice as many boys as girls will graduate on Thursday, June 2, at 8 P.M. at NUHS with the main speaker being L. L. Cunningham, president of Business Institute in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Frank Niemann, president of board of education, will present the diplomas. Ninety-five seniors, consisting of 63 boys and 32 girls, dressed in purple gowns and caps, will proceed to the music of the high school

band directed by Jack Strang. Also on the program are numbers by the chorus directed by Elmer Ackermann.

The senior sermon according to present plans is to be given by Rev. Frank, May 29 in the Methodist church.

All seniors who wish to, may attend, although it is not compulsary. Those attending will meet in the church basement by 7:45, so as to march in together.

Award Eve Planned

The annual senior class award night will be held on Friday evening, May 27, at 8 p.m. in the auditorium, senior class president Duane Neubauer presiding.

The NUHS band will present a concert from 7 to 8 p.m. The band will be conducted by seniors, besides the director, John Strang. The selections for the program will be numbers that have been played previously this year.

All seniors, their families and friends are invited to attend, as well as any interested underclassmen.



Climaxing three successful years of speech work last Friday, Bill Fritsche was awarded a superior rating at the state speech tournament held at Hamline University. There was a total of eight speakers entered, each representing one of the state's regions. Fritsche's speech dealt with the guaranteed annual wage.

Bill admits that he knows less than nothing about the subject, but stated that if after three years of public speaking he can't deliver a six minute speech without saying anything, something has gone wrong. Subject Is Drawn



Jim Gratz, Sharon Nelson, Richard Harris, Warren Sonday and Helen Hoffman in Class play.

Dale Sauer New

Dist. FFA Head

Dale Sauer NUHS senior was

elected to the office of president,

and Mr. Ed Fier was elected Dist-

rict adviser of the Southern Min-

nesota District of the Future Farm-

ers of America at the district ban-

quet which was held in Worthing-

delegate from the New Ulm chap-

ter. Dave Edwards and Ronald

Brey combined their ability in an

instrumental duet as NUHS's par-

Team Qualifies

America chapter dairy judging team

qualified for entry in the state con-

test at a district contest in Brook-

The five-man team placed fifth

out of the 25 chapters competing,

according to advisor Ed Fier, who

Rich Runk, Arden Olson, Harlan

Steuber, James Freiwirth, and Gary

Election On May 18

Election of next year's student

body president and vice-president

is scheduled for May 18, after sev-

eral preliminary steps in preparation

To be a good student body presi-

dent, the elected individual must

have expressed interest in all extra

curricular activities, have a pleasing

personality, rate average or better

scholastically, and have shown lea-

dership and ability in school activities.

These qualities which a student

body president must have were

discussed in homerooms Monday,

Students Nominated

9, sixteen students will be nomin-

nated by the tenth and eleventh

grade homerooms. The student

council will select four qualified

candidates from this group. The

On the following Monday, May

Members of the dairy team were

ings, S.D. Saturday April 23.

accompanied the boys.

Schiller.

May 2.

for the voting.

New Ulm Future Farmers of

ticipants in the talent contests.

Verne Radloff was the official

ton, Tuesday, April 26.

Rotarians Picked

John ; Purtzer and Kenneth Rock Vam have been selected Rotarians for the first half of the month of May.

John has been in gym team, track, band, class play and other speech activities; while Kenneth has participated in track, football, dramatics and chorus.

Previous Rotarians were Bob Bodine, Duane Neubauer, Warren Sonday, Dale Sauer, Bob Dempsey, Bill Fritsche, and Brace Hintz. Selection of two Rotarians for the last half of May will be made next week.

News Briefs

Demonstration by Alumnae Four girls, alumnae of NUHS, 1954 from the Robinson Beauty

> For survey results Turn to page four

School in Minneapolis put on a Good Grooming Assembly for the Senior Girls in the auditorium on April 12.

The girls from the Robinson Beauty School were Lulu Nichols, Delores Fritsche, Norma Jean Gehrke, and Marlene Heck.

Faculty Changes

Mr. Kermet Kleene will join the agriculture department July 1, 1955, to take over the veterans' training classes. Mr. Kleene has graduated from the University of Minnesota following five years of teaching at Granite Falls and Herman, Minnesota. He was in the U.S. Coast Guard for four years. Mr. Kleene received his bachelor's degree from the University of Minnesota in 1942.

Mr. Fier will continue present program of day classes, F.F.A., and adult evening classes.

Mr. Forsberg will continue parttime, directing offerings in co-operation farm management.

Miss Madeline Englerth will continue her educational work in Cali-

fornia or Minnesota. Mr. George Dahl is going to each in the Minneapolis

Class Play Opens Tonight

"Arsenic and Old Lace" the Senior Class play to be presented May 6 and 7, ought to provide a few laughs. It's setting is in Brooklyn at the Victorian home of the spinster Brewster sisters, [Helen Hoffman and Sandra Scheible], who engage in a very "different" past time.

The sisters' nephew Teddy, [Ken Rockvam], who fancies himself the 28th president of the United States. is digging the Panama Canal in the basement for Yellow fever victims. Another nephew Mortimer, [Warren Sonday], a newspaper columnist with many troubles, makes a very enlightening visit to the home of his aunties where he meets a would-be lodger, Mr. Gibbs, [Erv Boelter]. Naturally there is a girl in the plot, Elaine Harper, [Sharon Nelson], daughter of the rector of the church next

Shirleen Lindemever Master Bread Baker

Champion bread baker in the annual bread baking contest is Shirleen Lindmeyer, junior. Winner among the freshman and sophomores was Alice Brandel. Even though they did not place first, the boys again did well.

Winners were announced April 1 and 2, and among the first 10 places awarded in the junior-senior division, boys took exactly half, including second, third, fourth, sixth and eighth places.

The following people won awards in the junior-senior division starting with Shirleen: Richard Rieger, Robert Palmer, Jerome Hedine, Janet Gatzke, Murnice Sell, Joan Hessing, Thomas Traurig, seniors; and Burnell Meyer and Louise Lippmann, juniors.

Freshman and sophomore were the following, in order: Alice Brandel, Bernell Blaalid, Marilyn Splinter, Marilyn Goblirsch, Mary Ellen Holm, Donna Waibel, Pat Borchert, Diane Havemeier and Karen Radloff.

Fashions Shown

As a culmination of their year's activities, the girls in the clothing classes of grades seven through twelve presented a Fashion Show to their mothers and to the women members of the faculty on April 28, at 4:15 in the cafeteria.

Miss Frisk, student teacher in the clothing department, was the commentator. Miss Westling and student teacher Louise Hausotter made the arrangements and the 10th grade home ec. classes prepared the food for the tea served after the show.

Background music was furnished

door, [Sid Herrick]. Elaine is desperately in love with Mortimer, but she has a hard time in gaining his whole attention throughout the play.

Interesting Plot

The plot really begins to thicken when a third nephew, Jonathan, [Rich Harris] and his friend Dr. Einstein, [Jim Gratz], descend on the peaceful home of his aunts.

The police are always walking in on mysterious scenes and add to the comedy of the situation. Playing the "cops" are Lieutenant Rhony, [Sam Traurig]; Officer Klein, [Ken Brueske]; Officer Brophy, [Rich Heymann]; Officer O'Hara, [Elray Bentdahl].

Finally the whole plot comes to a dramatic end with theentrance of Mr. Witherspoon, [John Purtzer], the superintendent of Happy Dale Institution.

Kathy Dirks Is Officer

Kathy Dirks was elected president of Fri-le-ta at the last meeting of the year on April 27. Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer will be elected in the fall.

New Ulm High School has again been placed on the list of secondary schools approved for the ensuing year by the North Central Associations of colleges and secondary schools. This means that any graduate's credits from NUHS will be recognized at any school in the United States.



Bob Dempsey, New Ulm High School senior, was informed on April 23 that he qualified as one of the 52 finalists in the World Affairs Contest sponsored by the Minneapolis Star Journal.

More than 10,000 students in the Midwest vied for finalist rank. 24,000 pupils at 403 schools took the qualifying test, with the balance competing for local honors.

On To Mpls.

Bob will go to Minneapolis on Monday, May 16, for the final test and awards banquet. Carl Rowan, Minneapolis Tribune reporter, now attending the critical Bandung conference, will be the banquet speak-

Dempsey and other winners will compete in a day-long series of written tests and oral roundtable discussions.



In extemporaneous speaking, the entrant draws three speech topics from a large number. Selecting one, the other two are discarded. The speaker then has one hour to prepare a six minute memorized speech. Before the contest, no one has any idea about what subject matter the topics will cover. candidates will be junior boys or girls, and the ninth, tenth, and eleventh grade students will have the privilege of voting.

Campaigns will be started the following week, climaxed by the campaign speeches May 13 and the final election on Wednesday, May 18.

Committees Set For Prom

If anybody has seen a stray palm tree or camel, please send it back to the junior class decorating committee or to Richard Marks, Virginia Schlieman, James Wolf, and Carolyn Kottke, committee heads. Table decorations, food and pro-. gram committees, headed by Kathryn Dirks and Patricia Boettger; Rosalie Hippert and Carol Wilson; and Audrey Wellmann and Sylvia Garske, respectively, have all things lined up for the banquet.

Special invitations to the seniors, juniors and faculty have been written, sealed and posted by Karen Wagner and Louise Lippmann, committee personnel.

Things are usually in one grand mess after the ball, but the boys on "clean up," headed by George Petersen and Allen Gebhard, will make quick work of that as the 1955 Junior Senior Prom, "Oasis of Dreams," comes to its great finale. The selection of the sophomore boys and girls for serving is to be made by Miss Westling.

The class advisers helping the committees are Ann Westling, Betty Hanson, Jean Treadwell, Orlene Raverty and Vern Zahn.

system. by records.



Dee Ann Schleuder and other workers on the backdrop, are seen here as they get ready for the big weekend of May 14.

The top 6 winners out of the 52 finalists will be given trips to Washington, D.C. Various other prizes will be awarded the other top students in the contest. While at the national capital, the 6 winners will meet and interview various dignitaries of our government.

Duane Neubauer **On To West Point**

Duane Neubauer, senior, has been notified of his appointment to West Point.

After graduating from a four-year college course at West Point he will be commissioned as a second lieutenant in the regular army.

Duane took two qualifying tests, one in Mankato and the second one at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, on February 28.

His folks are taking him to West Point so he will be there by July 5.

Editor's Grabbag

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Not only do we have a splendid high school band but also a terrific choir. That was verified by the applause given the group Sunday, while performing under the direction of Mr. Elmer Ackermann, for their spring concert-which was a job well done!

One of the members of last year's graduating class has been seriously ill and has been in an isolation ward for observation. The nicest thing many of us will do today will be to send a card or brief note to Corrine Hessing, St. Cloud Nursing School, St. Cloud Hospital, St. Cloud, Minnesota. It only takes five minutes to write a note of cheer to a good friend who now needs lots of it.

Although some of the assemblies in the past have been of inferior quality, we were fortunate this year to observe three actors out of the University of Minnesota doing pantomine, musical comedy, Greek tragedy, and Shakespeare. The husband-wife team, Irma Mae and James Schroeder who amused us on our stage, is now with the well-known Star theater group in Minneapolis and currently starring in Odets play COUNTRY GIRL, which the movie was based on. Harsher critics than those of NUHS have given them nothing but the best reviews with strong suggestions of likely theater stardom for these actors.

The newly formed Hot Rod Club of New Ulm has been named "the Timing Association" and its officers are President, Herb Franta; vice pres., Gayle Winter, Secretary; Les Young;and Treasurer, George Peterson, I hope it will be successful as it's now official that one out of three accidents are the result of pushing that dashboard needle too far.

Seen on the golf links last Monday were Coon Hayes and his caddie, Dianne Blauert; Ken Brueske, Tom Traurig, Bill Fritsche, "Slip" Sonday and his favorite "ball shagger" Jan; the slamming Diedenhofens. "Butch" Rock Vam has some new "irons" ordered. Seems many of NUHS kids are now in the "Country Club set."

Breakfast for Senior skip day was probably one of the niecest things planned in a long time. Even at six in the morning most of the class was there bright-eyed and full of scrambled eggs and bacon, that were catered in.

It wasn't a poet who cried out in locker room:

"Oh, to be free from school, Now that spring is here.

And swim and fish and play the fool, And, in this way end the senior year."



Dale Cordes is going to make the Air Force both a hobby and a career—a hobby by making model airplanes and the career by his plans after school, the air force. English doesn't attract him in any way, and he wishes it would "go fall in a hole."

William Marks seems to enjly life in his socalled submarine, for that's where he spends all his time fishing. "Big Bill" doesn't care for leaky boats, so he's deto stay on dry rided. land and join the Amry. "It's been a long time a-brewing" doesn't have

For What It's Worth

The most important day to a girl at this time of year is none other than May 14. It's still not too late to make some girl happy and insure a good time for yourself that Saturday night. This is the time of year when Seniors try to do everything they can to have some nice memories ten years from now. At this writing only 36 fellows will be able to sit back in the future and remember their prom date, the dress she wore, her trouble with the too high heels and where to pin the corsage, the party afterwards, the banquet ... all of this will just be a void in the memories of the seventy-five boys left who as of yet, will be soloing it on the night of May 14. Remember, a prom date is not a pledge for life but a guarantee for one evening of fun.

A planned senior skip day beginning with a breakfast for all is unique with the class of 1955 and probably a good idea for other classes to follow. It was sure fun.

From the Sub-Deb department of the LADIES' HOME JOURNAL:

Saying "no" and Meaning it are two different things. Apparently there are ways and and ways of giving the familiar negative reply. Whether it's to an additional school activity, when you can't handle another; a kiss that you don't want; a date, a movie or idle chatter on the night when you should be studying for your geometry test; a friendship with someone that just isn't good for your best self; a piece of cake if you're overweight! or a class ring because everyone else has one-these things are best refused quickly and firmly, without looking back.

Senior Portraits

Digging for worms has to be an every day chore for Manfred Schwermann if he expects to catch any fish. "Fritz" plans to go on to college after graduation. The only answer he gives to those people who mock his Hudson is "So what?"

Rolling around on four wheels is the pastime of Herman Schroeder and the four wheels are on roller skates. "Hermie's" going to join the army where he hopes he'll see the members of the opposite sex with longer hair. Seems that he likes the girls to look like girls.

decided to be different around this school and have as his hobby, wrecking cars. The Navy seems to be uppermost in "Silas'" mind [by the way 'Silas has nothing to do with his generosity] and to "Heck to you" if you don't support the navy.

gale of the senior class Sharon Mueller. Whenever you hear someone say "Oh, nuts," yóu're sure Sheri is around. She dislikes it when teachers pile on When "Sheri" isn't playing piano, she's outdoors working in the garden or inside reading an in-

or "Bull," an electrical engineer. say "I'll be a dirty bird" quiet offen.

teresting novel.



One of the senior boys who plans on settling down early is Darrell Horstman. He plans to earn a lot of money and take care of this convertible and Shirley. "Willus" hates to see girls cover up their beauty with these cheap make-ups. He wins a

lot of things by saying "That's nice."

plans to go to an industrial arts school somewhere here in Minnesota. One of his pastimes is playing golf, which he does very well. Sid's another one of these guys who doesn't like seeing women drive un-

less they pass a test given by him.

One of the Lafayette kids is Clark Sorenson. If he isn't studying his English, he's out driving truck for his dad. "Clarkie" spends most of his time working on his old hot rod. When other kids drive recklessly. Clark says, "Heck with it, I'll stay within the

Our contribution to the St. Cloud Teachers College will be Myron Ahle. Myron can be found doing anything he likes to do [which makes sense] and grouchy people kinda get on his nerves. It's a "big deal" when a customer at the Dacotah Hotel leaves him

Thomas Christensen, whose ambition is to become a Phy. Ed. teacher, will probably end up teaching in WHHS. He is usually looking for girls if he isn't "Chrishome sleeping. ty" loves to go hunting and fishing instead of sitting in college prep. A girl who hopes to become an elementary teacher someday is Janice Neumann. She is always game to have fun when ever the kids say, "Let's go." "Jan" plans to retire early with all the tips she gets at work at Eibners. "Jan's" main wish is

Tiny Mites' Tales

April 1-Short classes and 3 o'clock and out for our Easter vacation. It sure will seem funny not to have the kids around for a week.

April 6-It isn't so quiet after all. I was just going to take a nap this afternoon when I heard a loud "Charge!" When I investigated, I found the senior play cast practising.

April 12-Everyone looked so "springy" today, the girls all in spring cottons. Now that Easter vacation has past, the school year is nearing an end.

April 13-I noticed Brace Hintz has a pretty "brown-nose"; he says he has a good reason for it though- he played golf all vacation and got a sun tan.

April 16-The choir and band met at school at 7 for their trip to Redwood Falls to the music festival. I rode along. I got stuck in one of the music cases and couldn't help it. NUHS was best in every thing -I only heard them!

April 18-One of the teachers wore quite a smile today, he handed out cigars, too. I understand. Mr. Ness is now the proud father of a baby boy. For papa's sake, I hope he doesn't become an army man.

April 19-Mr. Harman asked in social class what the velocity of money meant. Rich Heymann answered "It goes pretty fast.'

April 22-All the laughing in sixth hour bookkeeping was due only to Myla Hammer falling off her chair. This wasn't the first time, either.

April 27-I dropped in on the senior class meeting this morning. I think I'll join their party even if the teachers can't.

April 28-Some of the seniors had a party tonight. I got a little tired and stayed home.

April 29-Six o'clock brought most of the seniors to Honeymoon Island and a breakfast. School sure was quiet without the seniors. Tonight was the Spring dance-What fun.



When you hear "see you around like a doughnut" it's most likely coming from the future Navy man Jim Richter. Included behind his name in the Who's Who of 1965 will be: Well known Sports enthusiast, and champion wrestler on both continents in his

younger days. Among his loves are Boys Home Ec. Class, and Henry Charles orchestra.



Another one of these private secretaries is Ger-She aldine Juhnke. doing many enjoys things, such as tennis, sewing and painting. Whenever "Jerry" hears "Melody of Love," you can hear her say either "Geez" or "Holy Cow." Gerry plans to settle

down and raise a family in the future. "People with no sense of humor ain't supposed to exist," says Gerry.





speed limits."

a tip.

The Florence Nightin-

too much work.

Thomas Green has

Fishing, hunting, and other outdoor sports interest Larry Patterson, as he is sometimes called. Later he plans on becoming In between watching T. V. and sleeping, "Pat" is complaining about the teachers giving too much home-work. His Pals are said to hear Pat 20-1



anything to do with him personally.



The varied life of a nurse seems to be exactly what Elaine High wants. With the hum of the sewing machine and the blare of her radio, "Lane" sits sewing to beat sixty. "O, my gosh!" and another dress is done. Her constitution says people

should act accordingly!



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Verne Radloff, better known as "Poncho", plans to stay on the farm after graduation. "Butterflies" by Patti Page is his favorite song and working in the workbooks in English is his chief gripe. "Go fly a kite" or "Jump in the lake!" are "Poncho's" pet sayings; playing baseball for Essig Tech and photography are his hobbies.

> Immediate plans after high school will be to carry on the "larnin" at HAMLINE university for Nancy Kellett. She will agree that Latin and Chemistry was a struggle and tennis and photography are fun. Sauter-Finnegan is her favorite orchestra and the

long walk home at 4 p.m. is what ruins her day.

that play practice would let out early. She also enjoys keeping the old "35" Plymouth running.

> Ready for a good ol' polka fling any time is Opal Havemeier. Her pet peeve seems to center around those people who can't dance. Opal hasn't made up her mind yet as far as the future is concerned, but "one of these days" she'll find her talent.

bies! Attention! !" Leon Ulrich, nicknamed "Pee Wee" is another senior who will be hearing that command. "Pee Wee" plans on serving three years with Uncle Sam in the Navy and then go into the radio and T. V. service when he gets out.

"Pee Wee's" chief gripe is people who are always complaining about their troubles. "Dance With Me Henry" is his favorite song, and "Go Blow," his favorite saying.



With "Sam" being her hobby and "Sam" being her future ambition, it can be none other than Pat Volinkaty. Robinsons Attending Beauty School is Patt's immediate plan after graduation; and listening to "Unchained Melody" by Ray Anthony is her fav

orite pastime. Not having a break between two short hand classes is her chief gripe, and English is her favorite class.

Friday, May 6, 1955



Track Team Captures 3rd; Relaymen Take Only First Of Day

Our track team met with St. Peter and Gaylord in a triangular meet at Johnson Field Friday, April 22.

John Purtzer carried the baton across the finish line in the relay race to win NUHS's only first place in the meet. Other participants in the relay were Duane Neubauer, Vic Reim and Tom Christensen.

Bob Bodine captured third place in the shotput event by throwing the shotput 39 feet 3 inches. The best throw of anyone was 41 feet.

Hatchie Purtzer took second place in the 100 yard dash.

Pat Schaefer kept well ahead of the rest of the group running the 880 during the first lap, but by the time he had reached the finish line he was in fourth place.

St. Peter took first place, Gaylord second and New Ulm third. The results were:

High Hurdles: 1. Gustafson, Gaylord, 19.1. 2. Reim, NU. 3. Landkammer, SP. 4. Wallin, G.

Mile Run: 1. Voigt, G., 5:01.6; 2. Roemhildt, SP. 3. Scheible, NU. 4.

Shot Put: 1. Steen, SP. 41 ft. 3/4

ip.; 2. Wallin, G. 3. Bodine, NU. 4. Wilsterman, SP.

440-Yard Dash: Ruddie, SP. :58.2: 2. Hoppe, SP. 3. Rockvam, NU. 4. Schlader, G.

High Jump: 1. Lynch, SP 5 ft. 3 in.; 2. Schultz, SP and Purtzer, NU. 4. Peterson, G.

Low Hurdles: 1. Grisklags, G. 23.2.; 2. Landkammer, SP. 3. Hutchins, SP. 4. Reim, NU.

220-Yard Dash: 1. Lynch, SP. 2. Gubson, SP. 3. Purtzer, NU. 4. Wallin, G.

880-Yard Run: 1. Briest, G. 2:19; 2. Rue. SP. 3. P. Schaefer, NU. 4. Leonard, SP.

Broad Jump: 1. Lynch, SP. 18 ft. 111/2 in.; 2. Christensen, NU. 3. Patterson, NU. 4. Landkamer, SP.

880-Yard Relay: 1. New Ulm [Reim, Christensen, Rockvam, Purtzer], 1:43.5; 2. St. Peter. 3. Gaylord.

Pole Vault: 1. Benson, G. 9 ft. 3 in. 2. Neubauer, New Ulm and Meeks, SP. 4. Luecke, G. and Hutchins, SP.

Discus: 1. Wallin G, 133 ft. 5 in. 2. Johnson, SP. 3. Bodine, NU, 4. Steen, SP.

Eagle Baseball Team Slated Powerful in '55; Four Lettermen Return

The NUHS Eagles, for many years an area baseball power, are regarded highly again this year. They lost only two regulars from last year's region representative. However, the two boys they did lose were really outstanding players. They are catcher, John Breu, a good hitter with power and very good behind the plate and Dave Ramnes, a fastballer who racked up a no-hitter or two. Both will be sorely missed.

Their starting nine will go something like this. Sam Traurig catching; Ken Brueske, first base; Jim Wolf, second base; Warren Sonday, shortstop; Rog Wiedl or Warren Wieland, third base; Rich Brey, left field; Dallas "Ace" Herrick, center and John Klotz in Klotz and possibly Herrick.

hitters and fielders.



Members of the NU relay team, from right toleft Vic Reim, Tom Christensen, Ken RockVam and John Purtzer after their last win.

Eagles Begin Season By Defeating Indians 25-0 In Initial Game

The NUHS Eagles started off the season on the right foot as they clobbered the Sleepy Eye Indians 25-0 at Sleepy Eye April 27. The Eagles were greatly helped, however, by the 14 walks given up by SE starter Doug Jensen.

New Ulm put the game on ice in the first inning as they scored 10 times. Dallas Herrick accounted for three of these runs when he blasted a triple into the right-center sector. NU had several extrabase blows, including some which bounced off the left field fence 325 feet from home plate. The remarkable feature about these hits was the fact that a 20-25 mile an hour wind blew in from left.

Jocko Werner had a successful debut with the Eagles as he allowed but one hit, a single, in the third inning. In the fifth, John



Brace Hintz,

Ace NUHS Golfer

Brace Hintz, ace golfer, tees off for a winning score.



Neubauer and Christensen on the run for NUHS. **Fourteen Fellows Turn Out For Golf** Brace Hintz, Les Young, Rich Hayes, John Diedenhofen and Roger Kleinschmidt are the Eagle golfers who participated in our first meet of the year. Others out for golf are David Gulden, Allen Gebhard, Bill Strate, Jim McCrea, Pat Glasmann, Ted Fritsche, Bob Winslow, Gary Klein-Uecker, G.

Rah! Rah! Seniors Down Sophomores 19-12

Rah!! Rah!! Seniors!!!.That surely was an exciting basketball game when the senior G.A.A. girls beat the sophomores in the final game 19-12. During the whole game the sophomores continued to fight and didn't give up at the end. A group of the senior girls got together after the game and gave a big cheer for the sophomoresand of course a cheer for themselves too.

smith and Bill McCleary.

In the first game of the class tournament the sophomores beat the juniors when they made a basket during the last seconds of the game.

Tournaments End

Ping-pong tournaments have been completed, with Bonnie Current beating Joan Kretsch in the championship game. In third place was Dee Ann Schleuder, with Betty Sandau fourth.

Miss Englerth wishes to thank those active officers, sport heads, and members who have helped to

Joan Hessing, G.A.A. sport-



make it such a wonderful year.

writer would like to express the appreciation of all the G.A.A. members to Miss Englerth for her interest and effort she has put forth to make this organization a success.

Congratulations To . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Ness and their baby boy David Burton, born April 18, weighing 6 pounds 8 ounces.

Patsy Glasman for being selected as one of America's 746 outstanding drum majorettes.

Duane Neubauer for being accepted at West Point.

Manfred Schwermann, Dallar Herrock, Diane Havemeier and Bonnie Current for typing 50 words gross in 5-minute writings.

Bill Fritsche for winning honors

at the State Speech contest. Bob Dempsey for winning honors

in the World affairs test.

Shirley Malmberg and Darell Horstman who became engaged on April 15.

Dale Sauer for being elected president of the Southern Minnesota District FFA.

Condolences are expressed to: Junior GGA girls who lost their class tournament game to the so-

phomores, 16-14. All senior high band members who are taking the rating tests.

All the boys who have lost their precious squirt guns in the last weeks.

"Blackie" Guldan whose brownies were burnt crisp. [How about that Miss Inefficient?]

The chemistry and physics classes had their annual breakfast on May 4, at Flandrau park. The group met at six a.m. and after a hearty breakfast they played softball.

News Briefs

Library Announcement

All books, magazines and pamphlets are to be returned to the library by May 13, according to Miss McLaughlin, librarian. All fines are to be paid by that time also.

Student Teachers

Two student teachers from the University, Miss Hausotter and Miss Frisk are doing their work in the Home Economics department.

Faculty Picnic

Reim's Camp will be the center for the faculty picnic on Sunday, May 22, at 1:00 p.m. Faculty, secretaries, wives and husbands will be making up the guest list. Host for the picnic will be the Board and their wives, the Victor Reims and J. M. Hermann.

Final Exams

Final exams will be Tuesday, May 31 and Wednesday, June 1. Most tests will be given on these two days, with a few on last Friday of school May 27.

Three Sophomores Take Dip

Three sophomores, Nick Gulden, Gil Garske and Rich Kraemer went for an unexpected swim in the Cottonwood River, Saturday, April 9, below the Flandrau State Park dam when their small, flat-bottom

rent. According to the boys, everything was going well until the water depth was too deep for their 12 foot push pole to touch bottom. Then the back current took over and pulled the boat toward the side gate in the dam where there is a treacherous current. Desperate attempts were made by Gil to push the boat away. All hands on deck grabbed cans and were ready to bail, but a terrific suction took the boat down so fast bailing didn't help.

boat was upset by the swift cur-

Nick and Gil, weighted down by heavy clothing, jumped toward the nearest pier and made it there after a short but difficult swim.

Rich was on the end of the boat nearest the current; as a result, he was caught in the worst part. He was pulled underwater for 50 feet and then smashed against rocks on

the bottom of the river. After battling with the current, Rich came into shallow water and waded out down stream from where he started a half block. Engineer boots and heavy clothing made it

tough for him to swim. Nick and Gil didn't have enough strength left to climb up the pier so Rich came to the rescue with a bamboo fishing pole. Gil and Nick then inched their way to the top of the dam.

Shivering from the cold swim, the three boys went in the woods and started a fire to dry their clothes.

While the boys were drying their clothes a fourth part-owner of the boat, Don Mathiowetz, arrived for a boat ride. After hearing the near-tragic story, he rushed to the river to see what condition the boat was in; he found nothing but pieces of wood floating in the river. Besides losing the boat, Gil had lost one shoe and his dad's \$25 rod and reel; Nick, a \$10 rod and reel; and Rick, a jacket and push pole. They now lie in 20 feet of water.

Award Assembly Friday, May 27

The underclassmen award assembly will be held Friday, May 27, at 11 a.m. in the auditorium. Student body president Bob Bodine will preside.

The awards to be given are as follows: bread baking awards, Vern G. Nelson; speech awards, Orville Olson; Vogel Latin trophy, Jean Treadwell; commercial awards, Mrs. Franklin; Music awards, John Strang; agriculture awards, Ed Fier; library award, Cecille McLaughlin; athletic awards, junior high monograms [girls] Madeline Englerth; junior high monograms [boys], T. Pfaender; wrestling awards, V. Tyrrell; football awards, J. Harman; hasketball awards, M. Ness; baseball awards, Vernon Zahn; golf awards, George Dahl; and intramural and gymnastics awards, T. Pfaender.

Adjudicator Rates Music Dept. Tops

"Excellent performance, appearance and stage deportment, fine interpretation of music, superior intonation, phrasing and tone quality," were statements made by H. E. Nutt, adjudicator, and his wife Mrs. Nutt, at the Annual Music Festival held at Redwood Falls on April 16, 1955, concerning NUHS band and choir.

With ensembles, small groups, solos, band and chorus numbers, Redwood Falls, Sleepy Eye, Springfield and New Ulm participated at the concert in respective order.

The purpose of the festival is to give experience to students in various groups and in constructive adjudication.

Honor Roll

Senior high school students whose names appear on the honor roll are:

SENIORS—"A"; Robert Bodine, Richard Harris, Brace Hintz. "A" Average; Helen Hoffman. "B"; Virginia Frank, James Gratz, Jerome Hedine, Larry Patterson, Betty Sandau, Murnice Sell, Kenneth Stadick. "B" Average; Lenora Drill, Bill Fritsche, Paul Hagemeister, Duane Neubauer, Dale Sauer, Sandra Scheible, Warren Sonday.

JUNIORS—"A"; none. "A" Average; Marlyn Ahlbrecht, Marsha Vogelpohl. "B"; Patrick Boettger, Harold Drexler, Jyneal Erickson, Wayne Haber, Barbara Harris, Joyce Meyer, Virginia Schlieman, Audrey Wellmann, Robert Yates, Darlene Milbrett. "B" Average; Carol Berg, Kathryn Dirks, Rosalie Hippert, Carolyn Kottke, Louise Lippmann, Richard Marks, Roger Radke, James Reinhart, James Wolf.

SOPHOMORES—"A"; Judie Gareis, Rosellen Schwermann, Maureen Smith, Portia Whitman. "A" Average; Roberta Beecher, Karen Ranheim, "B"; Lee Beecher, Eugene Bieraugel, Bonita Current,

Graphos Survey Now Gives New Ulm Seniors Opinion

For the past eight weeks members of the Graphos editorial board have conducted an intensive survey regarding student opinion concerning local affairs of interest.

Participating in the survey were the seniors of Holy Trinity High school, Dr. Martin Luther, and NUHS, with about 100 students

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answering a list of 35 questions compiled and then submitted to them. Published below are some of their replies. Due to a lack of space the entire text will be published in a future issue of the New Ulm REVIEW, and several out of town papers.

	NO	YES	UND.
Do you think the swimming facilities are ade- quate at Flandrau Park?	73.7	23.3	3
Do you think New Ulm needs an indoor swim- ming pool?	18.4	81.6	5
Would you like a tennis instructor engaged by the Recreational Committee for the summer?	34.7	64.3	
Are you planning to patronize the future drive- in theater that is being built?	14	86	
Do you think New Ulm gets good movies? To what other cities do you go for recreation? Mankato and the twin cities of	18.7 vere na	81.3 med th	
Do you have any suggestions for improving rec	reation	al	
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monto locally? 80	15			
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Could we use more housing? 87.3 Do you find the adult population interested in				
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after high school graduation?	10			
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29. Do you plan on remaining in New Ulm and establishing a home here now, or at any time in the future? 60.4 are not and 19.4 were undecided

- 30. Do you think this city has a good future, in other words, do you think it will grow and prosper? 41.3 did not think so. 73.1 said no.
- 31. Do you think it offers many opportunities? 73.
- 32. Do you think the work of New Ulm Industries Inc. has improved the job situation? 83% said yes
- 33. Briefly state what you think can be done to improve New Ulm?
 - Bring in more industries and supply them with housing, more cultural and social advantages, and several
- specialty shops as a book store, and teen-age shop 34. Do you think the relationships between the three
 - high schools here, could be improved?
 - 90.5 thought it could be improved and suggested all school parties, and assemblies on an exchange basis.

