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# **NEW ULM LOSES TO STATE CHAMPIONS**

## P.-T. A. MEETS AND **PRIZES FOR BIRD HOUSES AWARDED**

The Parent-Teachers' Association meeting was held Monday, March 14th, at 7:45 p.m. After a business meeting the following program was rendered:

- 1. Two selections by the Junior High School Orchestra under the direction of Mrs. Grace Ewy.
- 2. Demonstration of Socialized Recitation in Geography "Australia," by Miss Mathilda Johnson and the Sixth Grade Class of the Washington School.
- 3. Address: "What Would Happen?" by Rev. C. B. Whitehead. 4. Reading: "The Football Fan"-
- Gertrude Schemann.
- "Birdhouse Contest and Awards"-Mr. Martin L. F. Eyrich.
- 6. Piano Trio: "Dancing Butterflies" -Oradell Wagner, Esther Yaeger, Mildred Meyer.

After the meeting there was an exhibition of 130 bird houses in the symnashum.

**TO STUDENTS** 

## **MR. BOWES SPEAKS**

Mr. Bowes, field representative of Hamline university, spoke in the assembly Thursday afternoon. He talked about what to do after leaving high school. Mr. Bowes was a very interesting speaker, and almost everyone profited by his speech.

## JUNIOR PLAY APRIL 7TH

The Juniors are giving their play, "The Lion and the Mouse," Thursday, April 7. They are expecting to see the entire high school present. The Juniors have supported former plays and concerts, given by different class organizations, and expect support from them in return. Tickets can be obtained from any Junior without any difficulty at all. The play is to be given at Turner hall. The student tickets sell at the small sum of 35 cents. The play is interesting and you'll miss a big treat if you don't come. Don't miss it!

#### Superior Parents.

Little Willie's report had just come in, and it wasn't very good, and the parents weren't too pleased.

"I'm losing patience with you, Wilof the class, while you are at the bot-

## **DEFEATED BY CHAMPIONSHIP SOUTH HIGH** JUNIORS TROUNCE **QUINT 23-13 IN FIRST GAME OF STATE TOURNAMENT**

WINS CONSOLATION CHAMPIONSHIP

The New Ulm High School basket- | machine hit on all five, it was bye-bye ball team's winning streak ended, but Moorehead. Schroeppel put new life it took the State champions to do it. in the gang by caging a neat one at And had the gang hit their usual form, it is yet doubtful as to who would Esser and Blauert soon followed suit, have been representing Minnesota at and Moorehead's easy victory turned Chicago. But nevertheless, to be defeated by a team of South's class is by no means a dishonor.

#### South Takes Early Lead.

With the shriek of the referee's whistle and a few thundering yells from the respective fans, the feature game of the state tournament was on. By caging a gift shot, the South team started the scoring. They soon added three field goals, and had collected seven points before New Ulm scored.

Schoch Breaks Ice.

Jack Schoch scored the first point for the New Ulm team by netting a free throw. He followed this with a field goal ,and for a while it looked as though our gang were coming to themselves, but luck was not with them, and the old basket seemed to be coped oftentimes. South kept up its scoring rampage, and were leading 13-3 at the half.

#### Fans Retain Hope.

Regardless of the onesided score, the loyal fans did not let defeat enter their minds, for they were well aware of New Ulm's great second half comeback, and consequently they thought it would again pull the game out of the fire.

Battle on Even Terms in Second Half. The second half found the New Ulm team playing a much better brand of basketball, and time and time again they outplayed their opponents. But the gap was too great to fill, and the final gun found New Ulm trailing 23-13. With the exception of Esser and Schneider, all the men scored in this period. Jack Schoch led the field with five points. The guarding of Esser also featured.

The lineup was as follows: Blauert, F.; Bentzin, F.; Hamann, C.; Schoch, G.; Esser, G.; Schroeppel, F.; Schneider, G.

#### Defeat Moorehead 24-18.

Coming from behind a 9-1 lead, the New Ulm quint hit their true form lie," exclaimed his father; "how is it for the first time in the tournament, that young Jones is always at the top and won their first consolation game

the start of the third quarter. Schoch, to defeat.

#### New Ulm Honors Divided.

The New Ulm team played as a unit, and it was a difficult situation to pick out the star performer. Schroeppel led the scoring field with seven pcints, while Hamann collected six; Esser, Schoch and Blauert netted the rest. The same lineup started as in the previous game. Substitutions were: Schroeppel for Bentzin, Schneider for Esser.

Defeated Bagley for Championship.

As a preliminary to the final championship game, the New Ulm and Bagley quints met to determine the Consolation championship. The result of this was a close, fast, and snappy game, with the result in doubt up to the end.

#### New Ulm Takes Lead.

New Ulm started out in a very business-like manner, and in a few minutes of playing, Captain Blauert sank two field goals and led the northern boys 4-0. Bagley, however, came back

strong and knotted the count at 5 at the end of the first quarter. Second Quarter Close.

The second quarter found the teams fighting desperately, and the first half ended 11-9 in favor of Bagley. But their lead was cut short when Bentzin caged a short one at the start of the second half, tying the count. The score kept swaying back and forth up to the last minutes, when the New Ulm team, through some pretty teamwork from Blauert to Bentzin, jumped in the lead and remained there to the finish.

#### Blanert Stars.

Captain Blauert led the field with a total of 10 points, Bentzin ranked next with 8, Hamann collected 2 and Schroeppel 1. Every player on the team played a star game, and their performance in the last two games gave many of the fans an impression that the South High quint was lucky that they got by as easily as they did.

The lineun was: Blauert F. Bent

SENIORS FOR CLASS **CHAMPIONSHIP** For the second time in two consecu-

tive years, the Junior class of 1927 won the inter-class basketball championship. They accomplished the feat this year by drubbing the Seniors 25-8 in a one-sided affair.

Although it was quite evident that the Seniors had an off-day, the fine passing game and shooting of the Juniors was difficult to offset.

Schroeppel and Garbrecht were the big point getters for the Juniors, while Schmid was the individual star for the losers. Hintz played a whale of a game on the defense. His line plunges broke up play after play on the Seniors.

The following lineup started:

| THO TOHOWING   | nnoup   | statten.     |
|----------------|---------|--------------|
| Seniors.       |         | Juniors.     |
| Smith          | F       | Garbrecht    |
| Berg           | F       | . Schroeppel |
| Schneider      | .C      | Feller       |
| Fritsche       | G       | Beecher      |
| Vercoe         |         |              |
| Subs: Seniors- | Peterso | n for Berg.  |

## ASSEMBLY PROGRAM FRIDAY, APRIL 1

This program was the first regular program after the basketball tournament.

The opening number of the program was a few songs rendered by the Girls, Glee club, which were greatly appreciated by all of us. A speech by Coach Stover and the presentation of medals to our basketball boys followed. Last, but not least, Mr. Camp was given an opportunity to enjoy himself, as he stated, in spite of this fact, it was merely an April fool's joke.

The program was concluded with a few popular songs sung by the student body.



The 4-H club met Tuesday, April 5, in the Home Economics department. A business meeting was held, after which there was a program. Demonstration on Smocking....

..... Violet Paulson Talk on "Value of Well Balanced

Meals" .....Adeline Moll Vocal Solo ......Winifred Hummel Club Songs ..... Entire Club

celsior Highs in action. The South quint earned its entrance by defeating New Ulm and Faribault, while the

| er | said innocently, "that Jones has | same manner as did the South-New | South High Wins Championship.<br>The final game for the state cham- | pletely bewildered the Excelsior boys,<br>and the score ended in a one sided |
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#### THE END OF THE YEAR.

Spring is here, and with it comes vacation. This vacation should be of benefit to everyone, but unfortunately it makes many lazy, and they find it hard to adjust themselves to the school environment. If you haven't enough vigor to start right the first week after your vacation, you'll regret it.

The sixth six-weeks period is a crucial period. With it comes the final and state exams. To be prepared now is a great relief then. What will the end of the year mean to you? Will it be a time of misery or a further step in your progress of education? What you do now will determine that question. If you want to get ahead, start now and get busy. Don't waste your time the last six weeks' period of the year. It will bring nothing but misery. Remember that duty done and happiness are inseparable.

## \* FEATURE. CITYWARD DRIFT.

The tournament season offered an excellent opportunity to visit Minneapolis. Reports of that city had interested me so intensely that I was bound to satisfy my curiosity, and accordingly made preparations for my trip.

I had visited such neighboring towns as Nicollet, Klossner, and Essig, and hence, was not at all afraid of being even confused in this city—Minneapolis. After picking up all the outside information possible, I was convinced that I was not undertaking such a small matter as I first thought, and

pedestrian laws, a book on how to foil robbers and pickpockets, several good compasses, and a few minor articles. I was careful to overlook nothing.

I bought a return ticket without my thinking of any of the dangers which, should they befall me, would make it impossible for me to make use of it.

The train was a very slow one. It reminded me of our passing from one class to another in school. Many passengers got off and walked along the side of the train, but got so far ahead that they had to sit down and wait. The only time we could tell which direction we were going was when we turned a bend so we could see on which end of the train the engine was. At supper time we walked ahead to the next town, ate supper, and boarded the train again as it pulled through.

Contrary to the belief of most passengers, we arrived there the next day. When I got off the train, I thought I was in an altoegther new world. The buildings were so high that it took at least two people to see the top. One looked as far as he could, and the other one started looking where he left off. A steady stream of traffic blocked pedestrians on all sides; the sidewalks were crowded to capacity, and trains without engines ran in the middle of the street. To live in such a town would be a burden.

I inquired next as to the location of Kenwood Armory. After several hours of diligent search, I found the place. The games were all exceedingly interesting now that I know more about them. When I saw the lineup I thought I was looking at a Ford price list:

A. Mudd .....Guard C. Moter ....Running B. Offe ....Center V. Braik ....Forward A. Copp ....Forward V. Tyre, and A. Nale, ....Subs

They have several very good plays. A. Mudd, guard, saw Moter, running, but forgot to use his good forward, Braik, and a collision with A. Copp was inevitable. Then Moter, running with Offe, center, used Mudd, guard, to such effect that the ball was recovered.

Presently A. Nale struck Tyre and winded him. Then A. Mudd, guard, was bumped and the engine team work was destroyed. Moter no longer had his good interference, Mudd, guard; and with Tyre missing, it was impossible to use A. Nale. Copp substituted for Tyre but got too dizzy. Then too make the hard luck worse, they also lost control of Braik and went backwards so fast that one at a time the parts of the wonderful machinery fell off until only one part, A. Nutt, remained—the referee.

## SKIP DAY.

(As told by a Teacher.) I. The final bell had rung at last,

Yet not a student here; [ told them all to stay at home,

But wasn't real sincere. II.

Monday, they'll be back at school, Expecting double A's; But I shall try to show them

That skipping never pays. III.

I'll give them double zeros.



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for this reason I packed my suitcase with the following: Half dozen city directories and about as many aeroplane views of the streets, a book on Kerney Control of the streets of the st

Hackbarth

### **CLASS CRIMES**

#### SENIOR NOTES.

Who has the most school spirit? The Seniors. Surely, what can you expect of the others?

Mr. Camp was our teacher in Social Science. He did all the reciting or talking-as usual. We all wondered what was the matter with Mr. Dirks. Probaby he isn't over the results of the tournament. But Mr. Dirks isn't the only one. Miss Pitz failed to show up Monday. We were sure we'd get out of a class, but Miss Benson came and took class for us. Our dictation for transcription was slow-but, oh my, don't tell anyone. We all got it.

We all hope the teachers get tired of writing zeros and start making little tails on them so they'll be "A's."

I hear the sixth hour English IV. class enjoyed a class after school. Come on third hour class.

Now that all the excitement of basket ball is over, we wonder what will be next. Let's hope it'll be something good—like the reception—when we all get a good feed.

Imagine! Only a few more weeks and we'll be graduating. How long ago does it seem that we were in the boots of the Freshmen? Not very long.

#### SOPHOMORE NOTES.

We're glad, even though we're only Sophs, we've lived long enough not to rest faith upon:

Postoffice pens.

The bottom layer of fruit in a basket.

Books of Etiquette.

Hair Tonic.

Correspondence school courses in memory training.

One day last week our Tante Meyer and Miss Esperson changed places.

I think Virgil did like the idea. Helen K .: "James ate something

that poisoned him."

Alice V.: "Croquette?"

Helen K .: "Not yet, but he's very ill."

Where were all the Sophs on Friday morning, March 25?

Imelda Ochs is absent from school on account of illness.

#### FRESHMAN NOTES.

This is the last week of school before Spring vacation, and only seven weeks after that before school is over. We will miss the Seniors who are trying to teach us some manners.

The Juniors have as many as we have on the Honor Roll this time. They are improving.

Do you know why Freshmen are like hen-pecked husbands? It is because they are always being nagged by someone. In the case of the husband it is done by the wife, but in our case the upper classmen have the job (or pleasure?).

#### ENDURANCE FEATS.

They say nothing is impossible, but fainted." did you ever try:

To carry a mattress upstairs. To find out what a boy is thinking about.

To sleep in a hammock.

WHY TEACHERS GO INSANE. (Sample answers to exam questions in grade school. Not N. U. H. S.)

To kill a butterfly, you pinch its borax.

Henry W. Longfellow was born at the early age of 12, in Portland, Me., while his parents were traveling in Europe. He had many fast friends, among whom the fastest were Phoebe and Alice Cary.

James I. died from argue.

An angle is a triangle with only two sides. Geometry teaches us how to bisect

an angle. A deacon is the lowest kind of a

Christian. The press today is the mouth organ

of the people. What is the office of gastric juice?

The stomach. Name six animals of the Arctic Three polar bears and three zone.

seals. A vacuum is a large empty space

where the Pope lives.

#### WHAT HAS HAPPENED?

Erwin Hamann comes to school with his right ear bandaged.

Earl Schroeppel also has a cut on one ear.

Charles Veeck came to school limping last week. Rhea Mullin missed several days of

school last week. Dorothy Gastler has the mumps.

Stanley Simmons has the mumps.

Oradell Wagner missed several days of school; whether she had the mumps or not. I don't know.

Imelda Ochs has scarletina. We are all glad to see Luella back at school. We hope she will soon be

able to walk without a limp. Jack: "So she refused you."

Jim: "That's the impression I got." Jack: "Did she say 'no'?" Jim: "All she said was, 'Ha, ha ha.' "

Twinkle, twinkle, little dress, You are climbing, I must confess; Please don't do anything rash Or you'll turn into a sash.

Isla: "I say there, that's my um-brella."

Fritz: "I don't doubt it. I bought it at a pawn hop."

Walter Hass (reading aloud in third period in the assembly): "And one woman had to escape down a waterpipe at the back of the house." Mary Sperl: "Oh, how splendid to

be as thin as that!"

Earl S.: "My grandfather was a very great man. One day Queen Victoria touched him on the sohulder with a sword and made him a kinght."

Clayton Peterson: "Aw, that's nothin'. One day an Indian touched my grandfather on the head with a tomahawk and made him an angel!"

Phyllis L.: "Did that automobile hit the engine?"

Doctor: "No, the driver slowed up to let the train go by and the engineer

Teacher: "We borrowed our numerals from the Arabs, our calendar from the Romans, and our banking from the Italians. Can anyone think of any



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| pool with an armful of eels.<br>Didja? | Joneses, and our garden hose from the Browns. |         |       |  |

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| finished yet, plumber? Dear, dear! "Laws, Mose," gasped Sam, "why       | L'ASTIVIAN KODAKS alla FILIVIS |
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| Look at all that water." you spose them flies follow us so              |                                |
| Plumber: "Now, don't you worry, close?"                                 |                                |
| ma'am, I'm used to gettin' my feet "Keep gallopin', nigger," said Mose, | EPPLE BROS., DRUGGISTS         |
| wet!" "them ain't flies; them's buckshot."                              |                                |
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