

5 AG BOYS BECOME STATE FARMERS

The Future Farmers of America chapter returned Saturday with many honors attained at the State FFA Convention at St. Paul, May 19-21. Two members were elected state officers five were given State Farmer degrees and the judging teams returned with laurels.

Sherman Zimmerman was elected State Treasurer and Leo Maidl was selected as a State Vice-President.

Five of the boys who received state farmer degrees were Leo Maidl, Donald Hippert, Harold Schaefer, Sherman Zimmerman and Orlin Mack.

The judging teams under the coaching of E. R. Draheim competed against teams from 128 other schools and carried off third place in poultry, and eighth in crops judging.

Individual winners are as follows: Jerome Hanson, third place in poultry; Vernon Mack, first in dairy showmanship, fifth in sheep, and second in beef cattle. Wilmar Meyer was fourth in showmanship Orlin Mack, fifth in crops judging and Harold Schaefer sixth in crops.

GARETH HIEBERT; ANITA G. WIN PRIZES

The dollar prizes for the high ticket sale for the N.F.L. production, Spring Fever, was awarded to Gareth Hiebert who sold 12 tickets. Anita Grusendorf won the dollar prize for the best poster advertising the play. The fifty-cent second prize was won by Doris Huelskamp.

72 SENIORS TO GRADUATE THUR.

MIXED CHORUS TO BROADCAST JUNE 4 OVER KSTP

It looks like a banner year for the music department as plans are being completed for the second radio broadcast of the year.

When the clock strikes 5:30, don't forget to tune your radio to KSTP on June 4 to hear the lofty refrains of "Send out thy Light" or some other song by the a cappella chorus of 70 voices. Ernest M. Hanson, superintendent of New Ulm Public Schools will give a short address on "Music in New Ulm". According to Mr. Kitzbuger, all chorus members who yet have no means of transportation or those who have cars which are not yet filled by chorus students are requested to meet in Emerson Building, June 4 at 1:30.

SERVICES HELD AT CEMETARY

Memorial Day, Monday, May 31, will be commemorated in the usual manner. In the morning there will be a parade, consisting of the New Ulm boy scouts, the Burg Battery, the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. The parade will end at the cemetery, where Reverend Blossom, minister of the Congregational Church, will be the main speaker. Stuart Groebner has been chosen to deliver the Gettysburg Address. The musical octette, under the direction of Mr. Kitzberger, will sing.

To the strains of Pomp and Chivalry played by the high school orchestra, the seniors, dressed in navy blue caps and gowns, will march to graduation Thursday, June 2 at Turner Hall.

The main speaker of the evening will be Supt. Vevle of the Owatonna State Public School.

Dorothy Besemer is valedictorian and Betty Nystrom the salutatorian. Bradley Kusske, just to be different, is the only boy on the honor roll.

The chorus will sing Sleep Weary World and Hear My Prayer.

STUDENTS TAKE FINALS

NEXT WEEK

The final examinations in all subjects will be taken next week. The schedule runs as follows:

Tuesday morning 8:00 o'clock English IX and X and at 10:15 o'clock English X and XII.

Tuesday afternoon 2:00 o'clock Bus. Rel., Modern History, American History and Social Science.

Wednesday morning 8:00 o'clock General Math. III, Plane Geometry and at 10:15 o'clock German I and II.

Wednesday afternoon 2:00 o'clock General Science III, Biology, Chemistry, and Physics.

Thursday morning 8:00 o'clock Latin I and II and at 10:15 o'clock Bookkeeping and advanced algebra.

The Senior's caps and gowns arrived Thursday.

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-GOODBYE AND GOOD LUCK-

The student body's respect for Mr. Hanson, who is leaving with the class of '38, can be expressed most appropriately through the medium of the school paper, one purpose of which is to express the feelings and opinions of the students.

It is the consensus of opinion that Mr. Hanson's co-operation and close contact with the student body will always be remembered in connection with his three years as superintendent in the New Ulm Public Schools. Everyone realizes the fact that in three years' work Mr. Hanson has done much in the interests of the school; and despite the regret with which we see him leave, the Graphos, on behalf of the students, wishes to extend to him best wishes for continued success in his new position.

-OUR SCHOOL PAPER-

Some of the members of the staff of the last two so-called (by the ancient and venerable seniors)"infants" issues of the Graphos learned that publishing a paper--yes, even as small a one as our school weekly--isn't just a matter of writing the first thing that comes to one's head and waiting till the last minute to present it.

In view of the training it gives in punctuality and writing style--to anyone who's conscientious enough to try to correct his weaknesses--working on a school paper is really helpful. And more than that--it's fun.

If one is at all interested in his work, he can't help but feel a certain satisfaction as a result of having contributed something toward making the paper better; but on the other hand he is likely to feel personally responsible for any deficiencies in the paper--whether they're within or beyond his control.

If staff members could all cultivate such an interest, the Graphos--which has been steadily improving--would undergo a revolutionary change and emerge a blue ribbon paper.

STUFF AND JUNK

The general idea around the classrooms is that we haven't settled down to study for the year yet.... and now, along come final exams...and we're all a year older...That Junior "off and on" romance seems to be off again..you know, the one between the violin and sax players...we kinda like the definition of a staff that a gradester handed to Mr. Kitzberger.. a staff is spaces where lines are on the outside.. some of the seniors said they'd rather truck up the aisle than march...We heard that those two FFA public speakers got a lot of practice in Mpls...they talked to girls for hours on end...Why doesn't someone think of somethin' original..the weiner roast theme is threadbare...but then---such super exciting things happen at weiner roasts....Caledonia B. and Betty K. love nature..they often hike...but by some coincidence, or is it... always in the direction of the CCC camp...can it be true....little Corny has a crush....watch him pester Elaine K. in Biology class ...This is my last gossip column about you lower classmen....and am I sorry to leave you....You are so full of gossip material! Au revoir--so long,--love and kisses to all!

It has been said that high school students no longer burn the midnight oil--they get in too late for that. (Ain't it the truth?)

Five states have legislative councils that tackle lawmaking problems before their legislatures convene.

PHY. ED. DEMONSTRATION TONITE

B.B. TOURNEY TOMORROW

400 STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE

Eight prep baseball teams will vie here in New Ulm for honors at an invitational baseball meet Saturday, May 28 rounding off the short but snappy 1938 season.

Two diamonds, the DMLC diamond and the Fairground diamond will be used to allow all teams to play. Teams entered are Walnut Grove, St. James, Springfield, Redwood Falls, St. Peter, Echo, Sleepy Eye, and New Ulm.

At 9:00 tomorrow, New Ulm will cross bats with Walnut Grove in the College diamond while St. James battles Springfield at the Fairgrounds. 10:30 will find Echo battling Sleepy Eye at the Fairgrounds with St. Peter meeting Redwood on the College diamond.

1:00 will find the winner of the N.U.--Walnut Grove game meeting the winner of the St. James-Springfield game on the College diamond.

The winner of the Sleepy Eye-Echo game is scheduled to play the Redwood--St. Peter winner at the Fairgrounds at 2:00. The championship battle will take place at the Fairgrounds at 4:00 with both umpires, Hub Lindamer and Tony Voight on duty.

The New Ulm lineup for tomorrow's games are still up in the air with Dick Eichten probably starting the New Ulm-Walnut Grove game.

LOSE TO ST. JAMES

The Eagle baseball nine dropped their return game at St. James as they bowed to the Saints seven to two last Tuesday.

Harman, saving his ace twirler, Dick Spelbrink, for Saturday's tournament here shoved in Carl Ingle. When Ingle blew up in the second, Dick Eichten replaced him holding the Saints to one run for the remaining four innings.

Summary--bases on balls off Keim 1, off Ingle 5, off Eichten 3; strikeouts Keim 3, Ingle 2, Eichten 4 hits, off Keim 3, off Ingle 4, off Eichten 1.

NEW COURSES ADDED TO SCHEDULE--MAYBE

Can't you just imagine boys going up to the sewing teacher and humbly asking, "How do you thread this needle?" Well, we can't either, but it seems about twenty boys have gone to see Mr. Dirks or Hanson and asked if they might take Home Economics next year.

In addition to the Home Ec. course, speech classes may be added to the sophomore or junior routine. The English teachers and Mr. Sutherland had a meeting with Mr. Hanson, and it appears very likely a one semester course in elementary speech for sophomores and an advanced speech course for juniors will be included in next year's program.

SQUAD LEADERS TO ASSIST PFAENDER

Over four hundred students are expected to participate in the eighth annual Field Day, directed by Tom Pfaender, to be held tonight at Johnson Field.

Superintendent E.M. Hanson and Hugo Fischer, State supervisor of health and physical education will deliver addresses on the program.

Tom Pfaender says, "If the weather is clear and the temperature at 75 degrees, everything will go off as scheduled." The parade, led by the N.U.M.S. band under the direction of B.A. Kitzberger will start from Turner Hall Park at 7:30 sharp, with various groups in charge of squad leaders. It will proceed down first north through the business section and then down to Johnson Field. Stadium seats at the field will be fifteen cents each, to partly defray expenses of the program and other physical education activities. Room will be provided for about 2,000 people at the ends of the stadium.

Flag raising ceremonies and mass drills will open the program with the band and all students participating.

Students from all grades will participate in the program.

WILL IT OPEN



STAFF MEMBERS' RECORDS ARE COMPILED

The Graphos winds up a successful year with this issue. In view of this fact, a summary of the work turned in by various members of the staff is printed here. The work is measured by inches with X's given for poorly written or late articles or failure to do an assignment.

Following is the record kept of this year's staff:

Editorial staff: Betty Nystrom (editorials) 344 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches; Anita Grussendorf (features) 338 $\frac{1}{8}$ inches and 1 x's; Gareth Hiebert 293 $\frac{5}{8}$ inches and 8 x's.

News staff: Ray Wieland 292 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches and 4 x's; Betty Wichtel, 182 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches and 4 x's; Stuart Groebner 174 $\frac{5}{8}$ inches; Martha Esser, 136 inches and 2 x's; Helen Andreen, 114 inches and 1 x. Kathleen O'Malley 103 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches and 2 x's; Marjorie Haeberle, 101 inches and 6 x's; Lois Backer, 84 inches and 4 x's; Tom Streissguth, 75 $\frac{3}{8}$ inches and 7 x's; and Phyllis Shake (who was also in charge of assigning articles) 71 inches and 8 x's. (cont. 3rd col)

HOME EC. STUDENTS TAKE FINALS TO-DAY

"Scrub, scrub, scrub," was the tune hummed in the cooking classes this week. The whole department has been cleaned up for the summer vacation. The final exam was given today.

The sewing classes have finished their cotton dresses to complete their first year's work.

The speech class took their final written exam today also. An oral exam was given during the past week.

(From the Luverne Echo)

MEN ONLY READ THIS

Out of ninety thousand women, eighty-nine thousand, nine hundred and ninety-four will read this the other six will be blind.

(Con't) from Col. I

Others on the staff whose duties didn't include written work are: Marion Oswald, associate editor (who piled up 493 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches and 2 x's despite the fact that she wasn't supposed to have any writing to do); Muriel Zupfer, circulation manager, with 2 x's against her.

SENIORS TO EDIT LAST GRAPHOS

To carry on the tradition, the last issue of the Graphos will be edited by seniors only. The following have been appointed to work on the last issue: editors, Betty Nystrom, Marion Oswald, Anita Grussendorf; Who's Who, Dorothy Besemer, Shirley Bondo, Lois Backer, Howard Zangel, Sherman Zimmerman; class history, Eleanor Larson, Lucille Reinhart; class prophecy, Corinne Berg, Dolores Merkel, Doris Huolskamp; graduation exercises, Kathleen O'Malley; spring athletics, Gareth Hiebert; teacher's opinion, Martha Esser.

(From The Luverne Echo)

AUTOBIOGRAPHY

I used to eat wheaties every morning for breakfast. I would put a quantity of the cereal in a bowl, pour on some cream and coat the mixture with sugar.

It wasn't so bad when I would grasp the sides of my bed in the morning and it would crumble beneath my grip. I didn't mind it when the steering wheel of my car was crushed because of my great strength and we rolled over in the ditch three times. I thought it was a good joke when I slammed the school house door and it fell from its hinges. But when I tried to kiss the girl I loved and broke her neck, I went back to grapenuts.

(Con't from 2nd col.)

Carole Larson, business manager, and Dorothy Schlouder, art editor (who took charge of cutting headlines and drawing the cartoons).