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## EASTER VACATION IS HERE; MANY LEAVE FOR HOME

### Y. W. C. A. GIRLS GIVE EASTER PROGRAM AMID FLOWERS AND BIRDS OF SPRING

An Easter program in an appropriate and fitting setting was presented by the Y. W. C. A. this morning.

A theme of new life and growth was carried out with the butterflies, Easter lilies, and birds placed in profusion on the stage.

A varied program of readings and solos was given.

Miss Blanche Atkins was in charge of the program and Hallie Brickner of the decorations.

The complete program follows:

Mendelssohn's Spring Song.....  
Regina Underwood  
Holiday in School.....Marion McGivern  
Origin of Easter.....Ida Dallman  
Palm Sunday.....Marion Hammond  
Holy Week.....Evelyn Hall  
Palm Branches (solo) Marion Hammond  
There is a Green Hill far away.....  
Marcella Hudson  
The Resurrection Story.....Evelyn Stone  
The Holy City.....Phillip Peterson  
Symbolisms of Easter.....Gertrude Zill

### 1928 TALAHI IS TO APPEAR HERE MAY 20

This Year's Talahi Is The Largest  
Ever Put Out; Illustrations  
On Every Page

The material for the 1928 Talahi goes to the printers on April 1. The cover for this annual will be on public display on April 11. Many students have asked when the book will be out. The editor, Lewis Barrett, says that they may expect it on May 20.

The Talahi this year is the largest this college has ever put out. It contains two hundred pages. Illustrations on every page make the book attractive. Annual critics of the past few years have been advising this feature, but, as yet, few annual staffs have heeded their advice. Another unique aspect of the annual is the alumni section which is to be put in as a feature. There are many other attractive points in this book which contains a memory on everyone of its two hundred pages.

The Talahi staff must obtain at least 750 subscriptions. So far they have received only 680, although there are more than 800 people in the college, counting the faculty and the students. Last year the staff obtained 740 subscriptions and two years ago they obtained 800.

### NEW STUDENTS TAKE OTIS TEST

All new students, and others who had not taken the Otis intelligence test since entering the college, did so on March 21, during the assembly hour.

### BLACKFRIARS IN LATEST PLAY DO UNUSUAL WORK

"The Three Wise Fools" presented by the Blackfriars March 23 and 24 at the Technical high school auditorium was the kind of play that delights and satisfies the audience.

From the moment that the curtain rose on the profane, irascible, old Findley absorbed in his after dinner game of solitaire until the last minute when the curtain fell on the three guardsmen mounting the stairs, each with his glass of water and his apple, the audience enjoyed complete satisfaction. No problem was offered for solution; no sordid realism was presented—just a charming story of the benignity of successful old age, and the romance of young love. The audience was asked only to sit back and enjoy itself.

### CAST SHOWS ABILITY

The pleasant atmosphere of "The Three Wise Fools" could have been made palpable only by capable interpreters of the lines, and the cast were more than that. People who had seen the play presented by professionals on a metropolitan stage found the Blackfriars' production not a whit less entertaining. The director, Mr. L. C. Ramsland, and the players should feel most satisfied to have the work of the dramatic club compare so favorably with that of professionals.

### TECH STAGE WAS ENJOYED

The presentation of the play at the Technical high school auditorium through the kindness of Superintendent R. H. Brown gave the Blackfriars the pleasure of working on a real stage. The platform at the college is almost impossible for play production.

The Blackfriars will be seen in only one more public production during the current year, a one-act play which will be given at the Sherman Theatre April 19, in the St. Cloud Daily Times one act play contest.

Superintendent R. H. Brown of the St. Cloud public schools spoke to the student body Monday March 26.

### Junior Prom Chairman



ELMER FLEMING

### CHAIRMAN NAMED FOR ANNUAL JUNIOR PROM

Party To Be Held May 12, in the  
Armory; Elmer Fleming Is  
General Chairman

Elmer Fleming has been made general chairman of the junior prom committee. The annual junior-senior ball will be held May 12, in the armory.

Committee chairmen are: Favors, Dorothy Drum; Music, Kenneth Kennedy; Frappe, Irma Perry; Decorations, Hallie Brickner, Lenore Graves; Invitations, Rena Heisel, Mary Alice Thompson; Floor, John Tribur; Drayage, Leland Leasia; Clean up, Earl Gerard.

### UNION JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS GIVE ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

The junior high schools girls' chorus of the Union school gave a group of songs in assembly on Friday morning March 22.

The songs were selected from the operetta, "Hansel and Gretel." An adaptation of Engelbert Humperdinck's opera, "Hansel and Gretel" was presented by the Union junior high school at the Technical high school on the evening of March 29.

The songs presented at the college were: "Grouchy," "The Man in the Wood," "Echo," "Dance with Me."

The first and fourth numbers were interpreted by Lawrence Giedmark and Evelyn Koch, who played the roles of Hansel and Gretel.

### CHRONICLE JUDGED

The College Chronicle of January 27, edited by Lenore Graves was criticized with five other representative five column school newspapers in the March issue of the Scholastic Editor. Cuts of the front pages of all five papers were shown. The Chronicle was praised for achieving perfect front page balance.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 31 Vacation.  
April 1 Vacation.  
April 2 Vacation.  
and so far into  
April 9 When there is still vacation.

### FACULTY AND STUDENTS LEAVE TODAY FOR VACATION AT VARIOUS PLACES

#### MR. L. D. ZELENY LEADS MUSIC

Mr. Leslie Zeleny will conduct the singing in chapel for several weeks, because Miss Stella Root is busy with preparations for the spring pageant, which is to be given by the music and physical education departments at the Sherman theatre on May 5.

#### LENORE GRAVES IS "Y" DELEGATE TO SACRAMENTO

Lenore Graves has been chosen delegate to represent the local Y. W. C. A. at the tenth annual national gathering of that association at Sacramento, California, April 13-20. This gathering will be held in conjunction with the student assembly, which includes people of all nations interested in a better international spirit.

Problems of all kinds which people of the various campuses over the land have to meet will be discussed. The local organization is sending resolutions on legislative and social measures. Attention is being given to the reports made by the recent conference on the cause and cure of war.

A new purpose which is to read: We unite in the desire to realize full and creative life through a growing knowledge of God, will be adopted.

Speakers of national repute have been scheduled to speak at the general sessions.

Lenore Graves will leave Wednesday, April 11 in company with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Graves. She expects to return April 24 after a short excursion to the coast.

#### COMMITTEE PLANS FOR '28-'29

The faculty and student social committee met to plan a general program of social events for next year. Plans were made for an all college picnic on May 29. This event is to take the place of the faculty-senior picnic. The committee suggested student hosts and hostesses to assist at faculty teas next year.

Students who plan to attend the opera this week-end are: Marion Hammond, Anne Robischon, Lucille Gruetzmaacher, Regina Underwood, Margaret Moynihan, and Annabelle Grosser.

The days that we all have been scratching off the calendar one by one for so long have at last come to an end, and today is March 30. The last day of March means to most of us going home and having a good time and a delightful rest. There is no doubt as to everyone's needing the rest after our first attacks of spring fever.

Some of the teachers who are going to Minneapolis are Miss Stella Root, who is going to attend the operas "Aida," "Tannhauser," and "Snow-maiden" at the auditorium; Miss Louisa Van Dyke, who also expects to attend these operas as well as to visit friends in the city; Mr. John Talbot, who is going to Schoolmen's week at the University. President George Selke will also attend the Superintendents' Short course in Minneapolis. But Mr. Herman Duncan prefers to stay in Saint Cloud to play tennis, work a little, and get lots of sleep.

Other members of the faculty who will attend the performances of the Chicago Civic Opera company at the Minneapolis auditorium this week-end are: Misses Helen Steen, Lily Maddux.

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### OTTILIE EMRICH IS JOINT COUNCIL HEAD

Gertrude Morrison is Secretary;  
Student Council May Publish  
1928-1929 Handbook

Ottilie Emrich was recently elected president of the joint student councils. Gertrude Morrison was elected secretary.

The council at present is working to improve the appearance of the college halls, classrooms, and campus, and to improve the student attitude in assembly.

Suggestions for next year's social program were made. One of the most valuable suggestions was that a handbook for students entering in the fall of 1928 be compiled. Such a handbook would contain helpful information that would assist the new student to find himself more quickly in the new environment.

The members of the student council will be the chairmen of the committees that will compile the parts of the handbook. The committee members will be chosen from the students at large by the committee chairmen.

### TWO PICTURES BY MR. L. A. WILLIAMS IN ART EXHIBIT

"The Herdsman's Grave" and "South Wind", two pictures made by Mr. Leonard A. Williams, director of Industrial arts, are hung in the twenty-ninth annual exhibition of art held by the Portland Society of Art in the Sweet Memorial Art museum of Portland, Maine. Mr. Williams' pictures were passed by a committee of critical judges at Portland and also at Paris and London.

"The Herdsman's Grave" and "South Wind" are 11 by 9, on old master bromide paper.

One critic said of the picture titled "The Herdsman's Grave": "An un-

usual subject, somewhat weird, well treated and interesting". 160 pictures are hung this year by workers in pictorial photography from all parts of America.

Mr. Williams made the "Herdsman's Grave" in Wyoming, west of Cheyenne, near the Laramie mountain range two years ago. The material for the picture was furnished by a most interesting story of a herdsman's last wish.

The other picture, "South Wind" was made at Lake Korohau, Paynesville, Minnesota. Miss H. A. Bratt of St. Paul, Minnesota was the model for the picture.

### SCIENTIFIC DATA SUBMITTED BY WELFARE COMMITTEE

Mr. J. C. Cochrane and Mr. J. R. McCrory submit the accurate and scientific interpretation of the study of comparative abilities and scholastic records of the men and women students of the college which has been made under the auspices of the Student Welfare committee. The last issue of the Chronicle presented a reporter's inferences drawn from the study. This issue presents the only scientific conclusions that can be drawn from the study, and are the only ones that should be quoted. The exact report follows: The Student Welfare committee has been making a study of the comparative

abilities and scholastic records of the men and women students. Statistical data based on the records of 60 junior men and 339 junior women show that the mental ability of the two groups is practically identical. On the Otis Self-Administering Test of Mental Ability the median score of the men is 50.45 and the median score of the women is 51.03, but a small group difference, .58 of a point, has no significance.

Though the intelligence of the men students is equal to that of the women students, men do not seem to get as high grades. This fact is shown by a

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### HURRAH! HURRAH!

Easter Vacation! At last you are here. How I have waited for you; how I have watched your approach from a distance. You seemed miles away when I turned up the calendar leaves to find you, and you seemed an eternity away as I counted the days before you would arrive; but you have advanced rapidly. The very thought of you has filled my heart with cheer for many days.

Now that King Winter has so graciously given the rains to Queen Spring, and she has so kindly allowed Mr. Sun to spread his rays of happiness among us, do not our vacation days hold a wealth of promises? Bright days in which to greet all our old friends and acquaintances; a full moon to ride beneath; and best of all the age old custom of new "outfits" including Easter bonnets to add to our wardrobes. Oh, the joy of appearing on that famous Sunday, and seeing all the pretty things, and, of course, showing our own new suits and dresses and hats.

Perhaps the words that will most nearly fit everyone's mood are "Highways are happy ways—when they lead the way to home."

### SPRING ITH HERE

There are two things which are sure signs that spring is coming: marble games and the arrival of the crows. The marble season is in full swing and the crows have arrived, so the pessimists may rest assured that spring is here.

Spring is the time when everyone contracts spring fever and "The young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love." Spring is the time of year when the teachers as well as the students glance out of the windows, sigh, and wish that the last bell would ring. It is the time of year when the pile of books that the student carries home dwindles to nothing. For who wishes to study when he can be out strolling on a balmy spring evening? To quote a famous speaker, "When spring comes, can final examinations be far away?" As yet they do not loom up dark enough to have any effect on the sufferers from spring fever. The optimist's motto is, "Never trouble trouble, till trouble troubles you."

### LET'S READ

Between the covers of good books are concealed the romances, adventures, human joys, and sorrows that give color to history and connect us in sympathy and understanding with people of far off lands and bygone days.

Through the pages of these books we are able to walk and talk with the greatest thinkers of all times, or at will, we can swash-buckle down the centuries with drawn cutlasses and smoking pistols, shoulder to shoulder with the boldest adventurers and the mightiest soldiers of every land and age.

Locked within their printed lines are the accumulated riches of thought and the dearly bought experiences of countless millions who have met and conquered the problems of life that the rest of us must contend with today.

A thousand years at the turn of a page—time, distance, place are all annihilated. As you read in the comfort of your seat by the fireside, who could tell which is the real and which the fancy?

Read for pleasure, read for profit; but read to keep open the channels of your mind.—From *The Optimist*, Atchinson High School.

To err is human; but don't be too human.

A very successful man has this motto over his desk, "I will try to make this piece of work my best."

### Y! Y! Y! Y! Y!

Hundreds of "Y" girls from all parts of the world will soon attend a large conference at Sacramento, California. New ideas, ambitions, and achievements will undoubtedly come from such a conference. Our own "Y" by sending Lenore Graves as a delegate to Sacramento shows a broadening interest in the international welfare of young women.

### THANK YOU! AND KEEP IT UP!

Assembly exercises are improved. The conscious effort exerted by many students shows itself in better conduct during assembly hours. The point to remember now is that "He who puts his hand to the plow must not turn back"—(not even if he comes to the end of the furrow).

## CURRENTS AND CLOUDS

As Silvertide floats along the great world river she will describe bits of experience from currents of thought or from clouds of fancy.

### REVOLT

I'd love to dwell  
In a pearly shell  
In a kingdom of my own  
Alone, alone  
In a palace by the sea.  
What bliss to be  
A selfish little clam!

### OUR LOVELY FRIEND

We discovered her one Saturday night in a second-rate store just as she thrust a child's ragged little shoe into the hands of the aggressive young salesman. The woman, or girl, fascinated me, and I studied her covertly as long as I dared. Over her shoulder was slung an empty news-bag. Was she a news-vender, I wondered, or was this a new variety of shopping, carry-all? Was she twenty, thirty, forty years of age? I could not tell. What relationship did she bear to the owner of those kicked-out shoes? Was she a big sister, the mother? She was neatly dressed in dignified black shoes and black silk stockings and wore a coat ascetic in color and style. But it was her countenance that charmed and held me. I longed for the power to read the wishes written on that interesting face. There were longings traced there, certainly, and yet something indefinable shone out from that frank, strong, sincere countenance that betokened serenity, a calm resignation to none-too-kind fate.

When I saw the salesman return with a new pair of small shoes, I saw that the shoes had been purchased with a handful of change sadly measured out. I felt that I must know more about this woman. I followed her out of the store. I wound my way through the crowds and out on to the street, never for a moment losing sight of my shoe-store discovery. For blocks I followed her through gay and crowded streets, through muddy, narrow, poorly lighted alleys. Occasionally I was forced to dash behind a building for fear of discovery. Once my friend with characteristic benevolence stopped to buy a worthless magazine from a stand whose proprietor was a crippled man. We went quietly on past an old mill where the street seemed to end, and my lovely person was lost in the darkness.

### THE DOCTOR

The doctor sat in his old office chair. The office was small, and filled with disorder, and lighted only by a central light of fifty candlepower. He looked ancient and haggard as he sat before his desk with a sheaf of small papers in his hands. The calendar hanging above his desk indicated that it was the first of the month. His desk was decorated with cigarette stubs and the portrait of a woman, presumably the doctor's wife. She looked so ill at ease that I am sure she had rented the evening gown for the occasion. Her fat neck was weighed down with massive pearls. Certainly when she was younger someone must have complimented her on her chin—for she was growing another one. Opposite this photograph perched another of an anemic-looking child, a ten or eleven year old girl with protruding eyes. Near the desk stood an old fashioned book case with its left glass door cracked diagonally in a jagged pattern. Its shelves were piled with ponderous and dusty volumes on medicine. A once-white granite wash basin had been placed precariously near the edge of a small square table. On the lower half of the stand was a bottle conspicuously labeled "Horse Liniment". One began to wonder if the old country doctor was veterinary surgeon or a real M. D. Hidden in the corner, as if ashamed of itself, stood a human skeleton. As the man sat there in this gloomy atmosphere with that maddening bunch of little white papers in his hands, the old greasy-faced clock above the desk began to groan. There was pathos in its clanking voice. Twelve times it struck with palpitant effort, each time pleading, "Hurry, hurry, hurry." Just as it finished its melancholy warning the little old light twinkled out.

## ?? MOTIVATING ??

### THESE FEET

Dear Editor:

Why do some people delight in bearing down on both feet as hard as possible while walking in the library? Why have a grudge against a perfectly good floor? It will wear out in due time without any exertion on the part of students.

A. Listener

### LIBRARY DAILY DOZENS

Dear Editor:

Could anything be more pleasing to the student body than those physical education enthusiasts who take their daily dozen in the library? Why can't they use the gym or the front walks rather than disturb all the rest of us with their little strolls?

Two Ears.

### BORED STUDENTS

Dear Editor:

Some people's greatest joy in life is to walk into the library with an important air and leisurely survey the crowd. If these people wish to see something we recommend the movies. The first situation could be tolerated and endured but our bothersome friends, after troubling all of us, leave with a bored air and postpone study until a future date.

Yours in outlawing the surveyors,  
A Worker.

### LIBRARY FINE STUDENTS

Dear Editor:

How we all love those library fine students who rush up to us and take a half hour to complain about a ten cent fine on an overdue book! Why should we be bored to death listening to people whose so called hard luck comes from nothing more than sheer irresponsibility? Students should be interested enough in borrowed property to return it at the proper time. And will you please tell our non-public spirited people that it doesn't do a bit of good to disregard those fine notices in mail boxes? Eventually they must pay, so why not do it at once?

Yours in the payment of library fines,  
I. Pay. Promptly.

### OBSERVATIONS

Dear Editor:

When do we stop observing? The question in my mind is whether or not it is right to ask us to use free periods on Tuesdays and Thursdays for observation lessons and require us to attend classes and do outside assignments on the same day. Some faculty members do and some don't.

Very truly yours,  
Anne Observer.

### SUBSCRIBE FOR THE TALAH

Dear Editor:

Isn't it tragic to think that in a school like ours over two hundred students aren't interested enough to subscribe for a college annual? Nothing is so pleasant as thinking over old school days. Purchasing an annual may mean a small sacrifice now, but a *Talahi* will bring lasting joy. Should you advise taking up a collection for non-public spirited students?

A. Talahi.

### PERTINENT QUESTIONS

Wouldn't it be fun to be John D's third cousin by marriage?

Won't our mammas and papas be shocked to see us and also our marks!

### THE ISSUE OF THE HOUR

Shall we get any Easter eggs?

Wouldn't it be cute (quoted from Mr. L. A. Williams) if we had a column in our paper called "Water Fountain Philosophy and Psychology"?

## THE PIGEON-HOLE

Everybody gets the spring fever including Prexy, who donned the catcher's glove and helped George Pung turn the boys' fancy to baseball.

In spite of the fact that everybody admits that it's stupid to talk about the weather, that's all most of us have done since March 21.

### WRITERS! WANTED!!!

We shall be delighted to have any stories written on the following topics—"By the Nile Green Waters of the Mississippi" or the "Orange Elephant".

Now don't take that too seriously. Remember April Fool's day is on Sunday.

You may not believe it, but the H. O. P.'s are hopping.

And on this day of all days some poor benighted soul will miss the vacation train by five seconds and sadly say, "I did not choose to run".

### CAPE COD, WHERE ART THOU?

Lucille Doepke is sure everyone knows where Cape Cod is. She said she knew when she gave her topic on sand dunes in physiography class. However, in order to make it clear to everybody she stepped to the map to point it out. And then Cape Cod played hide and seek with her. But she found it.

### APRIL FOOL

Did you know that some disheartened student decided to try that age old April Fool joke about the string in somebody's pocket?

Just because April Fool's day is on Sunday some poor individual will probably go to Sunday School and think it's funny.

### BELIEVE IT OR NOT

Another blow! There isn't any Easter rabbit.

Whenever Miss Carrie Hupp suggests playing an obstacle race there are several kind-hearted girls who wish to be the obstacles.

And just because we're all excited today some poor teacher will probably give us an Easter egg for not knowing what we ought to.

### OUR OWN MARKS

It will be such a joy to go home and find that we got our four A's as usual.

The minute the ice started to melt from the river somebody suggested going canoeing.

We hope all the funny girls will wait until after April Fools' Day to get engaged.

### OH THESE SCOTCHMEN!

And before you leave us, we must tell you the story about the Scotchman whose name was Vincent. He called himself Vin to save the cent.

### SENIOR PHILOSOPHY

The other day one of the seniors handed me a little philosophy:

"The more you study, the more you know,  
The more you know, the more you forget,  
The more you forget, the less you know—  
So Why Study?"

The less you study, the less you forget,  
The less you forget, the more you know—  
So Why Study?"

Now just what is your opinion on the subject???



## SOCIETY AT THE S. T. C.

The Avon literary society was hostess at a one o'clock luncheon Saturday, March 17, in honor of the new members of the society who are: Dorothy Lennox, Hallie Brickner, Ruth Auker, Edna Pepin, Rose Caron, Evelyn Larson, Esther Swenson, and Naida Hahn.

The guests of honor of the society were: President and Mrs. Geo. Selke, Mr. and Mrs. John Talbot, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Beth Garvey, Mrs. David Van Dyke, Mrs. Bertha Sharp, and the advisers, Misses Louisa Van Dyke and Beulah Douglas.

St. Patrick's color scheme was carried out in the decorations. During the luncheon the guests and the Avons enjoyed the following program:

Society Song.....Avons  
Welcome to Guests.....Mildred Gulgren  
Welcome to New Girls.....Edna Anderson  
Response from new Girls.....Rose Caron  
Piano Solo.....Ida Dallman

Doris Pladson was in charge of toasts and program.

After the luncheon the installation of new officers for the spring quarter and the initiation of the new members took place in the social room, which was decorated in the Avon colors, pink and white.

The following officers were installed to serve for this quarter: president, Beatrice Burdick; vice-president, Doris Pladson; secretary, Edna Pepin; treasurer, Ruth Haugen; publicity agent, Allie Hasu; sergeant-at-arms, Genevieve Randolph; council member for the year, La Verne Cassell.

### NEW OFFICERS FOR THALIA

The new officers for the Thalia society are: Arda Dyrdahl, president; Enid Anderson, vice-president; Stella Lee, secretary; Vallette Skaug, treasurer.

Five new members were admitted to the society Thursday, and a short program followed. Readings were given by Miriam Hakes and Alma Karvala. Initiation of the new members followed the program.

### SPRING FORMAL AT BREEN

"Gods of the Underworld" was discussed at the Story Tellers Society meeting last week by Martha Dobbins and Addie de La Hunt. Plans were made to have the spring formal at the Breen Hotel.

### SPRING PARTY APRIL 14

The Twin City club is anxiously waiting for April 14 to come, for that is the date set aside for its spring party.

Josephine Ehr is the new vice-president of the Photozeteans.

### ATHENAEUMS DISCUSS ITALY

An interesting discussion on Italy was held at the last meeting of the Athenaeums. Marjorie Lee talked on "My Trip to Italy"; Thelma Swanson on the music and drama of Italy; and Elizabeth Thiel on Italian art.

### Y. W. C. A. GIVES SILVER TEA

A silver tea was sponsored by the Y. W. C. A. on the sun porch of the Olson home Saturday afternoon, March 24. Yellow jonquils and yellow candles were used as decorations for the tea table. Hours were from three to five. The purpose of the tea was to help pay the expenses of the Y's delegate to the International Conference at Sacramento, California. Marjorie Mattocks was chairman of the refreshment committee. Elsie Baremore took charge of the receiving line, and Julia Batterbury headed the decoration committee. The following faculty members assisted Mrs. Orville Taylor in pouring: Misses Mabel Pauli, Beatrice Williams, Lily Maddux, Ethel Graves, Blanche Atkins, and Myrle Carlsen.

### PHOTOZETEANS ENTERTAIN GUESTS

The Photozeteans entertained a number of guests at their regular meeting on March 22. The society accepted Vivian Wahlquist's words for a society song. Ruby Hakel reviewed the life of Eugene Pilot, and his play, "My Lady Dreams", was dramatized by a number of girls. The cast follows: The Lady.....Lucille Salmon Marie, her maid.....Nora Purdy The Little Old Lady.....Sophie Guernon The Other Woman.....Vivian Wahlquist The Adorable.....The Blonde.....Irja Hasu The Brunette.....Verna Erickson

### WAVERLYS PLAN FOR SPRING BANQUET

The Waverly society has decided to have a banquet instead of a formal this spring. It will be held in the middle of May.

Officers for the spring quarter are: Esther LaMoure, president; Bertha Bjorkman, secretary; Dagmar Sorenson, treasurer; Irene Murphy, council member.

The Waverlys gave an initiation tea Friday, the sixteenth of this month. Seven new members were admitted to the society.

The Waverlys have been studying Scandinavian literature which has given rise to many interesting discussions. Some of the recently read books are "The Emigrants", and "Marbaka".

### PROGRAM AT RANGERS' MEETING

A program which followed the business meeting of the Ranger's club consisted of the following numbers:

Banjo Solos.....Bertha Bjorkman  
Italian Dialect Readings.....Elenia Saletti  
Duet.....Gustaf Rein and Elmer Fleming  
Reading, "Billie Brad and the Big Lie".....Florence Kraker  
Banjo Duet.....Dorothy Lennox  
Gertrude Bruske  
Reading in Finnish Dialect.....Alma Karvala  
Group of Songs.....By the Boys of the Club

### COSMOPOLITANS' ELECTION OFFICERS

The Cosmopolitan club held its regular meeting March 15. The following officers were elected for the spring quarter. President, Martha Juntilla; vice-president, Laura Scherfenberg; Secretary-treasurer, Helen Buccell.

An interesting lecture on Esperanto was given by Martha Juntilla.

Mr. J. R. McCrory talked to the members of the Lions Club on Monday, March 19.

### ART CLUB HEARS LECTURE

Miss Carrie E. Minich gave the second part of an interesting lecture on Oriental art at the meeting of the Art Club, Wednesday night, March 28.

### Certain People of Importance



OTTILIE EMRICH

President of Joint Council Head

What is the hardest thing for you to do?

Quarrel with my roommate.  
How does it feel to get a "job"?  
Such a relief.

What are you going to be doing two years from now?

That's a secret.  
What is your hobby?

Collecting pictures.  
What does this college need most?

A better spirit in assembly.  
What are some of the important things to put into T. C. life?

Hard work, loyalty, and a spirit of friendliness.  
What are some of the important things to get out of T. C. life?

Recreation, friends, and a wider education.

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### KAMERA KRAFT HAS "KID" PARTY

The Kamera Kraft enjoyed a "kid" party March 10. Each member was dressed as a child, and was given all he wished to eat. The members reviewed their childhood days by playing marbles and games like "The Farmer in the Dell".

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## LIBRARY ADDS NEW PICTURE "FAIRY COURT"

"Fairy Court" by Zeigler is the title of the new picture added to the children's library. This very valuable addition came as a result of the children's own choice.

As the story goes On A Mid-summer's Nights Dream, Mother Goose introduces all her fairy friends to her friend Queen Titania. Around Mother Goose who is the central figure the following characters are distributed: Sir Galahad, King Arthur and Guinevere, Cinderella and The Fairy Prince, Alia Bahl, Little Bo Peep, Margery Daw, Puss in Boots, Little Miss Muffet, Peter Pan, Goldie Locks and The Three Bears, Snow White and The Dwarfs, Old King Kule, Father Time, Robin Hood, Long John, Humpty Dumpty, Una and The Red Cross Knight, Jack The Giant Killer, Blue Beard, Little Red Ridding Hood, Beauty and The Beast, and The White Rabbit from Alice in Wonderland.

The picture was originally made for the St. Paul Public Library. Miss Carrie Minich had charge of the making of the beautiful frame.

Remember that the H. O. P.'s have their "Time Saver" cards for every busy S. T. C. student. They are only five cents apiece.

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## TREASURE CHEST

Is there anything more troublesome than a slow watch? Surely nothing is much more embarrassing than when, with the assurance of plenty of time, one wanders into a class room to find he is decidedly late. Then, too, don't you feel as though your day has been ruined when you find that you could have slept at least ten minutes longer than you did but because of a fast watch you didn't? Why not have the faulty watch repaired at Strobel's jewelry store. You know a watch in order to work properly should be thoroughly cleaned and gone over every six months or at least every year. Why not give your watch a spring cleaning? Broken watch crystals, hands, and bands are ably repaired by experts at Strobel's. By leaving your watch there for a day or so you may have it regulated free of charge.

There is no costume among all the intriguing clothes of this season in which a girl can look as well on as many occasions as she can in a mannish two-piece suit. She can wear with it a tailored blouse, and go to college looking absolutely right for her job. In the afternoon she can change her blouse to one with some fagotting or entre-deux in it, don a brightly colored hat with a wider brim cocked up on one side, draw on a pair of white wash suede gloves, and go forth to a luncheon, a bridge party, a tea—and be among the most smartly dressed of all the guests. This spring one can buy these perfectly ducky suits, in tweeds or dark blue twill, at Fandel's for \$24.75.

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# EARLY PRACTICE STARTS TRACK SEASON AT S. T. C.

## EARLY SPRING TRACK PRACTICE IS OPENED BY MANY S. T. C. MEN

Coaches Friedrich and Weisman Call for Volunteers Answered By Large Number

### THREE LETTERMEN RETURN

Track season opened at St. Cloud Teachers college on March 19. At this time Mr. Friedrichs and Mr. Weisman sent out the call for volunteers. About twenty-five men responded and several more are expected to report within the next few days.

There are only three lettermen of last year back so the team will consist largely of new material. However, there are several very promising men out and the track coaches should be able to develop a very well balanced team. Several men who are out have starred in their respective high schools. They are experienced and have made very good records. With a year's experience and some expert coaching they should make some very good records for S. T. C.

### FORMER TRACK MEN BACK

The lettermen of last year who will be out are Bonham, Anderson, and Kamrowski. Bonham is a veteran pole vaulter and will probably make a very good record this year. Kamrowski was the sprint man of S. T. C. last year and will undoubtedly again make things fly. However, he will have to work as there are several promising juniors. Anderson, the third letterman of last year is a general all around man, and can be used to brace up any weak spot. He did some very good work for the S. T. C. last year.

### NEW MEN GIVE PROMISE

Among the new men who are showing up well are Rein, H. Swenson, Tribur, and Lesia. Rein is a track star from the Iron range. He has taken part in several track meets, and was a member of Virginia's crack relay team. He is also a hurdle man of real capacity. He has a natural running ability, and will undoubtedly make a real star on the S. T. C. squad. H. Swenson, who hails from Broten, has been showing up well in the high jump. With some good coaching he should develop into a good man. Tribur of Brainerd is out for the weights and should do his bit towards building up a powerful squad. He has real ability and with practice should make a hard man to beat. Lesia from northern Minnesota will undoubtedly prove to be a valuable man. He is speedy and should develop rapidly.

S. T. C. has several track meets scheduled for this spring, and if everything turns out well it looks as though there might be several victories for S. T. C.

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## STUDENTS, FACULTY LEAVE FOR EASTER

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Vilda Barker, Mildred Batchelder, Mary Williams, Helen Bottum, and Mrs. Beth Garvey.

Miss Blanche Atkins is going to the educational meeting at the University, and Mrs. Beth Garvey is to attend the meeting of deans of women in Minneapolis, but will be in Saint Cloud the latter part of the week. Miss Carrie Hupp is going home to Atlantic, Iowa and Miss Maria Case to Logan, Iowa. Mr. Leslie Zeleny is to make a speech on "Method of Teaching in College" at the Superintendents' Short course which he will attend in Minneapolis.

### Track Coach



GEORGE FRIEDRICHS

## MOORHEAD CAPTURES 1928 CHAMPIONSHIP

First Regions Champs Win From Edison For State Title at the Field House Saturday

Moorhead high school captured the 1928 Minnesota high school basketball championship by defeating Edison high of Minneapolis in the final game of the tournament at the University field house Saturday, March 24.

Moorhead represented the winner of the first region and Edison won the right to compete by beating Johnson high of St. Paul. This is Moorhead's first title and climaxes a drive of five successive years in which the Spaders have been downed in the State meet.

**MOORHEAD IS SLOW AT FIRST**  
After getting away to a poor start in the first period when they trailed by an 8 to 1 score, Moorhead hit its winning pace in the second period and cut Edison's margin to 12 to 11. In the third period the first region champs showed a marked superiority over the Minneapolis representatives and gained a 20 to 15 advantage. The final period was all Moorhead with the state champions presenting a speedy attack which Edison could not stop.

**TROPHIES WERE PRESENTED**  
The trophy symbolic of the championship, and individual gold medals were presented to the members of the Moorhead five, while silver medals were presented to members of the Edison team as runner-up. Captains of the other six teams, Appleton, New Prague, Northfield, Austin, Virginia, and Excelsior, were given individual medals. Captain Vincent Vizebecke, of the Virginia team accepted the sportsmanship trophy on behalf of his school.

**ALL-STATE TEAM CHOSEN**  
Members of the mythical all-state team also were awarded individual medals. Announcement of the personnel of this team was greeted with thunders of applause. It contained Risch, Halmrast, Reber, Petroske, and Moran.

He also expects to take off the storm winds at his home.

There will be a great deal of work done on the *Talati*, according to Lewis Barrett, who expects to do it. Edna Pepin is going to Saint Paul to spend her vacation in eating and sleeping. Russel Swenson is just going home, but for some reason does not wish to tell what he is going to do. Loretta Ganglehoff has decided to visit friends in Minneapolis.

### SPRING SPORTS

#### SPRING FOOTBALL PRACTICE

Spring football practice will start immediately after Easter vacation. Coach George Lynch expects a fairly large squad to answer the call. Practice will consist mainly of drill on the fundamentals of football. However, if a sufficient number turns out a couple of games may be played. Passing and kicking will be studied and practiced a great deal. Anyone who is at all interested in football, who has a desire to learn more about the game will do well to report for practice at the earliest possible moment.

#### HORSE SHOE TOURNEY TO BE HELD

The Black Cats are going to stage a horse shoe tourney after Easter vacation. A large number of the Black Cats are expected to take part in this tournament. Everyone should begin to practice as soon as possible, so that there will be some real competition. This is something new and interesting for the S. T. C.

#### KITTENBALL SEASON OPENS

The kittenball season was officially opened at S. T. C. March 24 when a group of Black Cats engaged in a friendly game on the college campus. There have been several boarding house teams organized and it is expected that there will be a kittenball league organized in the college. Some of the Black Cats have suggested that a faculty team might be organized and if so they would take an active part in the league.

#### TENNIS COURTS AGAIN IN USE

Rackets, ball, and nets have again been removed from their appropriate nooks and the national game of tennis is once more the topic for discussion. The teachers college courts are not ready yet but it is expected that they will be in shape by the end of Easter vacation. However, a large number of the college students are already "working out" on the Tech courts.

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## WELFARE COMMITTEE SUBMITS SCIENTIFIC DATA FROM RESEARCH

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comparison of the high school and college records of both groups; both comparisons are given below:

**A Comparison of High School Grades:**

	Men	Women
Median Grade.....	82.14	85.03
Per cent with Average Above 90.....	3.78	17.02
Per cent with Average between 80 and 90.....	78.91	74.45
Per cent with Average below 80.....	17.31	8.53

**A Comparison of First Quarter College Grades:**

	Men	Women
Per Cent of A's received.....	5.63	7.84
Per Cent of B's received.....	14.72	25.39
Per Cent of C's received.....	50.65	45.22
Per Cent of D's received.....	17.32	16.78
Per Cent of E's received.....	11.67	4.28
Average honor points earned.....	.97	1.19
Median First Quarter Grade.....	C-	C+

Similar facts are shown in the following comparison of the two groups on a basis of achievement in terms of ability to achieve:

	Men	Women
Per Cent Living up to their Ability.....	47.62	55.72
Per Cent Not Living up to their ability.....	44.15	23.71
Per Cent Exceeding their ability.....	7.93	20.57

The above table is to be interpreted in the following way: A student with average mental ability would if he is using that ability, make an average of C in his work. If with average mental ability his grades average B or

### Track Coach



JOHN WEISMAN

## EVELETH J. C. DOWNS MANKATO T. C. QUINT

Rangers Defeat Southern College for Championship of Little Ten Conference

The Eveleth junior college basketball team completely outclassed the Mankato State Teachers college on Eveleth floor March 20 with a score of 37 to 12. The victory of this game won for Eveleth the championship of the Little Ten conference.

The conference is composed of all the junior colleges and state teachers colleges and to the victor goes a silver, regulation size, basketball emblematic of the state championship.

Eveleth's men played a very superior game and completely baffled the southern division champs.

### EVELETH OFFENSE DAZZLING

Mankato was helpless against the Eveleth's defense, being held to three field goals throughout the game. Led by C. Mattson, Segal and Colosimo, Eveleth took up a dazzling offense which sank 14 baskets in addition to 9 free throws.

The conference champs led at the end of the first half by a 16 to 4 score and in the final half rolled up 21 points to their opponents 8. Eveleth assumed the lead with the start of the game.

### MUSIC STUDENTS VISIT ORGAN

Miss Stella Root's first hour music history class on March 22 visited the Presbyterian church to study the pipe organ.

Genevieve Underwood a 1927 graduate of the college piloted the investigation, explaining to the class the details concerning the manipulation of the keys, and stops, and pedals. She also played some interesting numbers to demonstrate the various organs that comprise the make-up of the organ proper.

better he is exceeding his ability. If with average mental ability his grades average less than C he is not living up to his ability to do.

Thus far the Student Welfare Committee has found that a certain condition exists, namely that the men students with equal mental ability secure lower marks than do the women students. Why this should be true is not known. The committee is at present endeavoring to determine the causes of this condition in order that the men may be helped to make a more creditable comparative record.

J. C. Cochrane  
J. R. McCrory

## COACHING STAFF AND MANAGERS SELECTED FOR OLYMPIC SQUADS

Lawson Robertson of University of Pennsylvania Was Selected For Head Coach

Major General Douglas MacArthur, who is heading the American Olympic committee, framed on March 21 the complex organization that will represent the United States at Amsterdam this summer.

Managers and coaching staffs, assistants and trainers, and the date for Olympic tryouts were named in five major sports.

Heading the list was the appointment of Lawson Robertson of the University of Pennsylvania as head coach of the track and field squad, and the choosing of ten assistant coaches. They were John Behr of the Illinois A. C.; Dean Cromwell, Southern California; Harry Hillman, Dartmouth; Wilbur Hutsell, Alabama Poly.; John Magu; Bowdoin; Henry F. Schulte, Nebraska; Tome Keane, Syracuse; Eddie Farrell, Harvard; Jack Ryder, Boston; and Dink Templeton, Stanford.

### TRYOUTS FOR MEN AND WOMEN

Ninety athletes will make up the men's track squad and a women's team. The women entered in the competition for the first time. The Olympic tryouts will be staged at Cambridge, Massachusetts July 6 and 7, with competition in the 400-meter hurdles and 400-meter run held at the Yale track, New Haven, Connecticut, July 4. The women's tryout probably will be held in Newark on July 4. Four men will be taken abroad for each of the 21 events on the Olympic program.

The marathon team, to consist of six runners, will be selected on the basis of showings in the grinds at Boston, April 19; Long Beach, N. Y., May 19; Baltimore, June 2, and Detroit on a date undetermined.

## ST. CLOUD DEFEATED IN CATHOLIC TOURNAMENT

The Cathedral basketball team, which won the northwest parochial basketball tournament held at St. Thomas college of St. Paul, was eliminated March 21 from the national Catholic high school tournament held in Chicago. It lost a hard fought game to the Catholic high of Indianapolis, 15-14.

It was the most thrilling game played that evening and for the first three periods of the game the Gophers looked to be sure victors, as they held the lead for nearly the entire game.

### MINNESOTANS FAILED TO SCORE IN LAST PERIOD

St. Cloud held a lead of 8 to 7 at the first half. Then Captain Tully began to do some scoring himself, which ran the score up to 14-9.

Two long goals by Dugan and Carr of Indianapolis narrowed the score to a 1 point advantage by St. Cloud.

During the entire last period St. Cloud was held scoreless, and just before the period ended Herold made a field goal, giving the Indianapolis team its one-point victory.

## CURRICULUM BUILDING IS STUDIED BY 25 PEOPLE

Mr. Herman Duncan is offering this quarter a general course in the philosophy and practice of curriculum construction. It will take up the ideas of prominent men in the field of curriculum construction. Their ideas are to be applied to concrete situations that is, the various phases of the different school subjects.