

sociation. All students were invited whether members of the Association or not, and in order that all might attend the last two periods were shortened. The purpose was to organize our rooting and urge every one to turn out to all the games.

The second mass meeting was held in the auditorium Friday, October 23d. This was to formally receive the York boys and their manager. The Glee Club sang some dandy new songs, under the direction of Mr. E. Wotawa. Paul did something for which we have no name handy and a short talk by Principal Reed concluded the program. We hope to show our respect in the future to visiting teams by more mass meetings.

Already this year the boys have had a chance to listen to a discourse by James A. Whitmore, who spoke to them in the auditorium. Mr. Whitmore is a very optimistic Y. M. C. A. worker. He emphasized the value of self-confidence and explained its necessity in the hour of need. He thinks the policy of honesty is increasing in our schools, as are the valuable effects of athletics. He said that the cigarette habit undermines moral courage of man and the boys ought to

profit by the talk in seeing what it can do for them.

In our "Household Art" department about the most seasonable attraction of late is the new sewing room. The equipment consists of ten tables, ten foot-power machines, three electric machines, complete locker cabinet, boards for ironing and pressing, tapes, scissors and everything which a clever, capable instructor can devise for her purpose. Miss Veda Williams comes to us from Ohio University and she has original plans by means of which each article is worked on by a science of problems. The domestic science room has equally convenient equipment. Thirty-six small gas stoves with ovens, meat cutting charts, home-economic text books and everything in the line of culinary utensils go to make up the intensely modern necessities of the work. Jams and jellies and fruits have been canned and prepared by the girls this fall; to be sold in the lunch room later. Other dishes have been prepared, including desserts, salads and invalid foods. Lecture days, Monday and Tuesday, offer a good chance to Miss Turner to set forth the benefits of nutritious vegetables and certain combinations preparatory to a profitable diet.

SQUIBS

We have a Squib Box on the first floor at the east entrance. Please wear it out.

Bystander: "What position does your son play on the team?"

Mr. Neville: "I'm not just sure, but he's one of them drawbacks."

F—ierce lessons.

L—ate hours.

U—nexpected company.

N—ot prepared.

K—nocked out.

He: "Do you like my moustache?"

She: "Not so very well at first."

He: "Perhaps it will grow on you."

She: "Oh, Lester, you are always thinking of the most absurd things."

The Seniors saw something green, 'tis true,

And thought it was the Freshman class;

But when they closer to it drew,

They found it was only a looking glass.—Ex.

"I'll have to collect my Bill," said the Irishman, as he went out to the place where his goat had been shattered by the railroad train.

Art. Shrum (gazing at her tenderly): "I am looking at the apple of my eye."

Alpha F.: "Well, keep your eye peeled."

A Joke—Victor Graham trying to make a speech.

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EDITORIAL

THE NEW WEEKLY

The Register was founded in 1886 and has been published every school month since then. Many improvements have been made from year to year, but the plan of the paper, as a whole, has been unchanged.

This year we will be hindered financially by the fact that the Retailers' Association has refused to use the Register as their advertising medium. However, Dr. Senter has found it possible to finance the paper without advertisements, if it is published weekly. The plan was adopted by the Register Board and an eight-page weekly will be distributed to the subscribers at their sixth hour rooms every Friday.

It is now the ambition of the staff to publish a paper that will be representative of the Omaha High School in such a manner that every student will be represented. As we now can have news, real news that is not a month old, we established a News Item Branch and "Next Week's Bulletin" will keep the subscribers informed as to what is going to happen.

The best paper possible will, however, be reached only when every student in the school takes an interest in it and feels satisfied with it. Therefore, we will be glad to have any criticisms or suggestions on the part of the students. Leave them in the office or bring them to the Register office.

THE POLICY OF THE STAFF

With the weekly paper comes the addition of much work on the part of the staff. A new plan has, therefore, been adopted for securing news. The editor's private secretary will handle the exchanges and various other matters which the editor shall assign to her. The Department branch will cover all class news, Student Council, Senior Council and Literary Societies, as well as all minor organizations. The Squibs will remain the same. Athletics have been divided between the girls and the boys. Military will be handled as usual. The News Item branch will cover all past and coming events of a local nature.

These are merely heads of the branches, and next week there will be appointed assistants under them. Let everybody help these editors.

DEPARTMENTS

CLASS MEETINGS.

The Senior Class met in room 235 on October 13th and elected the following officers: President, Edward Perley; Vice President, Alice Rushton; Secretary, Gretchen Langdon; Treasurer, Charles Peterson; Sergeants-at-Arms, John Jenkins and Freda Stenner.

The following Tuesday, October 20th, the Junior Class chose the following officers: President, Ralph Powell; Vice President, Gertrude Mattson; Secretary, Elizabeth Sturtevant; Treasurer, Brooks Vance; Sergeants-at-Arms, Robert Patton and Ruth Leeder.

The Literary Societies have already

held two meetings this year and exhibited besides the largest increase in members ever before noted, a super-abundance of spirit and determination to make this year the greatest and most successful year for societies in the history of our school.

All the various organizations have held campaigns for new members and the Freshmen—for it is this class that supplies most of the new members—have responded in large numbers. So let us all join in and use all our influence and effort to make this year one big, grand success for our societies. C. E. P.

LAM RON MEETING.

The first meeting of the prospective teachers was held and a large enrollment resulted. The meeting was given over to the election of officers for the present semester, who are as follows: President, Alice Allen; Vice President, Ione Scott; Secretary, Sadie Christensen; Treasurer, Margaret Noss; Reporter, Marguerite Thomason.

LOWELL MEETING.

The Lowell Society has shown more spirit than the other organizations, having held several interesting meetings, and very enjoyable programs accompanied each. The following program was rendered at the last meeting, October 16th:

1. Causes of European War—Mabel Holmgren.
2. Comparison of the Sides—Mildred Wahlstrom.
3. Theatre of the Conflict—Lena Lipsey.
4. Caring for the Soldiers—Gertrude Reed.
5. My Experiences—Miss Phelps.

HAWTHORNE MEETING.

The Hawthorne, like the majority of the societies, used the present European conflict as the basis for their opening program. The following was the program given at the second meeting:

The Kaiser; His Biography—Jeanette Harsh.

As a Military Leader—Elba Sorenson.

Germany's Resources—Marguerite Hansen.

LATIN SOCIETY.

The second meeting of the Latin Society was held in room 120 on Wednesday, October 14th. After the business meeting, the following program was rendered:

"Reminiscences of My Visit to Rome"—Miss Paxson.

Recitation—"Dat Sassy Faced Sophia"—Harriet Sherman.

The D. D. S. is again on its way to be the king of the boys' organizations, according to the enthusiastic members. The following participated in the first program:

Debate—Resolved, That Germany has caused the present war by aspirations to dominate the world.

Affirmative, Walter Thrane; Negative, Arild Olsen.

Current Events—Reed Zimmerman.

Election of officers at the recent meeting resulted as follows: President, Walter Thrane; Vice President, Arild Olsen; Secretary, Reed Zimmerman; Treasurer, John Eldredge; Reporter, Collin Hodge; Sergeants-at-Arms, Donald Lyle and Malcom McCartney.

The remaining societies have not contributed a report as yet. May we not hear from each and every organization hereafter?

NOTICE, SOPHS.

Little deeds of kindness

To your teachers now and then
Will often raise your standing
From zero up to ten.—Ex.

Mr. Newlywed: "Did you sew the button on my coat, darling?"

Mrs. Newlywed: "No, love; I couldn't find the button, so I sewed up the button-hole."

MILITARY

Under the supervision of Captain Stritzinger, the regiment is beginning another year of drill, which we hope will be marked by an increase in interest among the members of the organization.

The first drill of the year was held Tuesday, September 15. The Freshmen were sized and assigned to companies according to height. Rifles were issued the first drill day and the companies got down to real work immediately.

The regiment participated in the Ak-Sar-Ben fraternal parade October 8th. Two extra drills October 6th and 7th were necessary to get the regiment into condition for the parade. By means of the extra drilling, the Freshmen were taught enough about drill to enable them to make a creditable appearance in the parade. Judging by the reports in the newspapers and the general opinion of the spectators, the showing made by the

cadet regiment was all that could be desired.

Our second lieutenants, who heretofore have been forced to content themselves with old swords in various stages of demolition, are delighted over the prospect of wearing sabres. Eight new sabres have been sent for, along with an order for several additional copies of the drill regulations to be distributed among the commissioned officers and sergeants. Heretofore the members of the bugle corps have had to provide their own bugles, but from now on these instruments will be furnished them by the school.

When we consider the commendable spirit shown thus far by officers and men alike, and realize the advantages we have in the way of equipment over former years, we are justified in taking a very optimistic view of the future.

ATHLETICS

BOYS'

With the opening of school, once more came the idea for football. Any hopes for the team could not be prophesied until after the first week of practice. The number that turned out this year was exceptionally large. Every one was pleased beyond words to understand that Mr. Mills would once more be with us, and also to know that Mr. Harrington, the assistant coach, would have charge of the second team.

Omaha, 25; Blair, 3.

The first game of the season was played with Blair on September 26th, at Creighton field. As Blair is generally played by our second team, many substitutes from the latter were put into the game. Blair, however, scored by a drop kick. The spirit with which the team went into this game could not help but be noticed and showed us that every man on the team really wants to make good.

Omaha, 38; Shenandoah, 0.

On October 3d, Omaha met the team from Shenandoah, Iowa. This game was played at Rourke park. Shenandoah failed to score, while Omaha was continually playing with the ball near their goal posts, due partly to the great line plunges of Johnson.

Omaha, 61; Nebraska City, 7.

The game with Nebraska City, which was held on October 17th, could not be said to be very spectacular, although quite one-sided. From the very start our team began scoring. Nebraska city made their touch down in the first quarter.

Omaha, 0; Lincoln, 36.

The big game of the season was held on October 23d, when Omaha played Lincoln at Lincoln.

Many Omaha students witnessed our defeat. With our yell leaders, Patton, Shrum and Sanders, and our band, we tried hard to push our team ahead, but they had struck a stronger and a faster one, that seemed to keep us down. Although Johnson, Lutes and Peterson all

played star games, we couldn't get through their line.

This defeat was an honorable one and out of it should come a stimulation to redeem ourselves in future games.

Following was the lineup:

OMAHA.		LINCOLN.	
Nichols	R. E.	Bowers	
Phelps	R. T.	Andrew	
Enptom	R. G.	Cox	
Beard	C.	True	
Peterson	L. G.	Young	
Reese	L. T.	Allreht	
Withey	L. E.	McMahonon	
Neville	Q. B.	McGlasson	
Johnson	R. H.	Morris	
Lutes	L. H.	Quick	
Berry (C.)	F. B.	Trappia	

Omaha's Second Team, 20; Lincoln's Second Team, 7.

Just a word about the second team game with Lincoln. Peters, Crawford and Fullaway all played fine games, especially Fullaway, who placed two pretty drop kicks over the goal from the forty and forty-six yard lines. The lineup:

OMAHA.		LINCOLN.	
Crowley	R. E.	Smith	
Kemtrail	R. T.	Gowhan	
Mason	R. G.	Jennings	
Carpenter	C.	Montgomery (C.)	
Rule	L. G.	Holts	
Herman	L. T.	Cropsey	
Peters	L. E.	Field	
Crawford	Q. B.	Colton	
Moriarity	R. H.	Murray	
Surler	L. H.	Bryant	
Fullaway (C.)	F. B.	Waters	

Omaha, 7; York, 0.

This game was a close one and Omaha barely won out, thanks to Chick Neville. We sure have to give it to him—a touch-down of forty yards around right end. Another time Chick made a splendid fifty-yard run, using his head every minute to dodge the York men. But now the sad news comes: Omaha was offside and the gain was not counted. The York team, although fighting well, showed in every play courtesy to the purple and white. Although the weather prevented a large attendance, the cheering was the best so far this year, due to the efforts of our three live cheer leaders.

Following was the lineup:

OMAHA.		YORK.	
Wilson	R. E.	Miller	
Phillips	R. T.	Morgan	
Bradley	R. G.	Bernstein	
Beard	C.	H. Meyers	
Reese	L. G.	Little	
Peterson	L. T.	Conway	
Withey	L. E.	Scamihorn	
Neville	Q. B.	Osborne	
Johnson	R. H.	Cox	
Lutes	L. H.	Olmstead	
Berry (C.)	F. B.	Trauger	

GIRLS'

The interest in Girls' Athletics has risen considerably since last year, while even last year the work in the gymnasium attracted a great deal of attention. The more advanced girls take pleasure in learning folk dances, and a class has been formed this year that specializes in dancing. The Freshmen and Sophomore girls have apparatus work and the girls all look forward to the day, once a week, when they may play games.

BASKET BALL.

Owing to the fact that tennis has taken most of the time, the girls have not yet been able to organize their teams. However, the beginners have been playing every Wednesday and the outlook is that there will be some strong teams. The Seniors and Juniors will play November 12th.

"GYM CLUB."

The "Gym Club" held a meeting October 22d in the south gymnasium, but nothing much was done. The club will hold a social meeting October 31st and organization will probably take place on that day.

HIKING CLUB.

The Hiking Club is endeavoring to make this year the greatest success in its history and with the aid of Miss Duke, the officers feel sure they can succeed.

The first meeting of the year was held at the home of the President, Alice L. Allen, where the girls enjoyed a social time together. On October 20th the first hike occurred and covered the road to Elmwood Park. This was a short hike, but as it was, evening found several of the inexperienced Freshmen members tired and footsore.

TENNIS.

The tennis season has opened again, bringing with it many enthusiastic players to the Racquet Club. There are forty-five entries and the games are being

played in rapid succession, in spite of the bad weather. The second round has been reached and many interesting matches played. As yet, nothing has been done toward consolations, but that will be the next move of the Racquet Club officers.

NEWS ITEMS

BULLETIN

November 5-6—Vacation.
November 6—West Des Moines game.
November 9—The next Register.
TODAY—Literary Societies.

No rest days this year; term cut two weeks shorter.

Did somebody in the crowd say, "Lincoln will shine tonight?"

We received no failure notices ourselves, but heard they were out October 16th.

The enrollment for the year is 1,590 students, an increase of 120 over last year.

There are lots of games and debates ahead, so it is not too late to join the Students' Association.

Miss Morse and Miss Dumont were back at Columbia, N. Y., this summer. If we were teachers we'd never work.

On the other hand, we congratulate ourselves on having Miss McCague, Miss Phelps and Miss Rockfellow back from the war zone.

We call the attention of new pupils of O. H. S. to our beautiful green interior court. The funds for this were donated by the four classes, the central flower bed being the contribution of all.

The collection of the funds for the Christmas ship amounted to \$156.50. We can be sure the unfortunate children on the continent will appreciate the clothing and toys which this money will buy.

Although Miss McHugh, our former principal, cannot be in our midst this year, Omaha still retains the honor of having her here. Miss McHugh is now a member of the Omaha University and Van Sant College faculties.

The Normal Training visiting days are to be November 2d, December 2d, January 14th, February 12th and March 15th. This privilege extended to the girls of this department is about the most beneficial the faculty could offer.

Quite a good deal of excitement was created on the first floor Friday after school when Miss Paxson's pocketbook disappeared. She stepped into the office and returning, saw the thief run out the east entrance, but it was too late.

No school on Columbus Day, October 12th. Assignments for Tuesday were therefore extra long and hard, so everybody stayed home to study. Only Lyman went to the Hipp, being one of the football favorites and not needing to get his lessons.

We have had many occasions to miss Miss Sullivan, who has gone to the English department of the Pittsburgh schools; Miss Mackin, who has gone to the history department of Chicago High School, and Miss Herbert, who is in Minneapolis.

We were dismissed from sixth period to see Lincoln Beachey fly over the building in his aeroplane. Leroy Wilbur went right home to duplicate Beachey's machine, and as soon as it is finished he will fly every Saturday morning off the fence in his backyard. Admission, one dime.

It is to be desired that the eighty cadets necessary for the visiting teachers will respond at once to Mr. McMillan. This is the fourth year the boys have had this honorable invitation extended to them. Kenyon Smith and Howard Granden were the first to enroll. We wonder why.

The first mass meeting of the year was held on October 21st in the auditorium under the auspices of the Students' As-