

High School News

Editor Ambrose Rhode

BULLETIN BOARDS.

By George Abdouch.
Among the interesting things in O. H. S. are the bulletin boards of Mr. Brokenicky, Miss Lawler and Miss Henderson. These boards are stationed in the Commercial Department, History and English rooms. Upon these boards are posted interesting things which the students at each class should notice. We are sure that all high school students appreciate the interest that these teachers take in them.

OPPORTUNITY.

By Ambrose Rhode.
"Opportunity knocks once at every man's door." This is an old and common saying. In the case of the high school student, it would better read, "Opportunity is continually knocking at our door."

Our work then is simple; all that we have to do is, to open the door. By this I do not mean making school life nothing but a routine of study and recitation, I mean simply to do what we are supposed to do at the proper time.

Each of us should divide his day into four divisions, viz: Study time, class time, play time, and rest time. He should study in his studytime, come to class prepared for recitation in class time, play or pursue his hobby in play time, and rest in rest time. He cannot study or play in class time, or play in rest time, in fact, he cannot mix his schedule in any way and be a success. Learning to do the right thing at the right time is "Unlocking the door."

We go to school, or are sent to school, to learn to meet people, to study human nature, to equip and train ourselves to fight life's battles. As we learn to do these things, we gradually open the door, and finally, we have the door not ajar, but wide open for Opportunity to come in.

HIGH SCHOOL WILL HEAR INAUGURAL SPEECH

Through the courtesy of A. E. Bowen, the High School pupils will hear the Inaugural program broadcasted from Washington through WOW, Omaha. Mr. Bowen is doing this free of charge and we, the students of the high school, wish to thank him for this expression of his courtesy and patriotism.

THAT REVAMPED TEAM PLAYED AT AINSWORTH

And how! Our boys were licked twice before by the same team at Long Pine—and now a third time—but Long Pine had to play, they said so, everybody said so, and everybody enjoyed the game; the best one during the first round of the Tournament.

Two o'clock, the teams line up, the whistle blew, and the game was on. Within three minutes baskets by R. Lamb and Abdouch counted four points for us while Long Pine looked on—with wonder. Then "Bunky" went in for Lamb. Why? Well, haven't you seen Bunky play? Besides there was plenty of room for him to move around, and he did. Before the quarter was over Bunky made another basket. But Captain Minchell and Quick got in for close shots to tie the score at 6 to 6 for the period.

Did this spurt by Long Pine take the heart out of our boys? Not much, for the half ended with our boys again six points in the lead. The first half was a fine exhibition of basket ball—clean, fast and exciting. During the ten minutes intermission both teams received quite a hand from the spectators. Several expressed an interest in the fight that was shown by our team, for the dope indicated that our boys would get a sound whipping. Bunky (103 pounds after dinner, and all fight) was the big noise of the day. Long toward the end of the third quarter, our boys began to show the effects of the hard grind, but were still two points in the lead when the fourth quarter started. It was during this period that Long Pine got past our guards for short shots that put

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them nine points ahead, and the game ended 34 to 25.

Disappointed? No. On the contrary, quite happy. Why? Because we came there a poor "under-dog" and gave a good account of ourselves.

IN OUR SCHOOL.

Charles Hancock, Senior, has passed the preliminary examinations for cadetship at Annapolis. On April 17, he will take the finals. We are proud of Charles and wish him success in his other examinations.

SPELLING CONTEST.

The local Public School Spelling Contest will be held Friday afternoon, March 8th, at two o'clock in the high school auditorium. In addition to our school there will be several near-by rural schools in this contest. The groups are to be arranged as follows: Group I—Grades 1 and 2; Group II—Grades 3 and 4; Group III—Grades 5 and 6; Group IV—Grades 7 and 8; Group V—Grades 9 and 10.

Come and hear us spell. The Holt County Spelling Contest will be held at the O'Neill Public School, Friday evening, March 15th, at 7:30 o'clock. In this contest all of the winners in local contests will participate. The groups will be arranged as the local contest. The winner here will go to the World Herald Contest at Omaha. They are looking forward to an exciting contest.

DECLAMATORY CLUB.

All members of the Declamatory club are preparing for the coming local contest. All entries will be from the O'Neill Public High School. This contest is for the purpose of securing those eligible for the county contest. Those entering the contest are: Elizabeth Henry, Phoebe Abdouch, Helen Hancock, Edwin Getscher, Harold Sexsmith, Emma Berglund, Ruby Tomlinson, Ambrose Rhode, Mary Cuddy and Marjorie Brittell.

The contest will be held during the program hour of the Parent-Teachers meeting, Tuesday evening, March 12, at 7:30 o'clock. No admission will be charged and all are cordially invited to attend this contest.

Watch next week's School News for further particulars concerning the program and time of meeting.

NORMAL TRAINING.

The Normal Training Class has been making observations of language work done by different grades. Thursday, Miss Shaughnessy demonstrated good paragraph writing. Monday the class observed Miss Robertson's method of correcting mistakes in oral compositions in the Third grade.

The observations of the work being done in the upper grades will be made. One demonstration will be given for the purpose of showing what abilities in writing composition upper grade pupils should possess and how they are developed. In another, these "would be" teachers will be shown how technical grammar in the elementary school may be motivated and taught.

P. T. A.

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet Tuesday evening, March 12, at 7:30 o'clock instead of Tuesday afternoon (regular time). They are to have a splendid program consisting of the local declamatory contest and music. There will be no admission charge.

Come! Bring your friends and fill the auditorium.

OUR SCHOOL.

By Charles Graham
One of the school's most needed equipment is a good gymnasium. The school gym is too small and is not high enough.

Our team is used to practicing in the gym with a low ceiling and is handicapped when they go to other towns where there are approved ceilings.

Other teams who play here, as you notice, most always hit the ceiling on long shots. They cannot arch their shots on account of the beams which are in firing line with the basket. The ceiling should be raised and the seats should be so arranged that the bottom row should not be on the floor. This interferes with the players on an out of bound's play.

MUSIC.

The Nebraska State High School Music Contest has proved its worth by the rapid progress it has made in the past five years. The Sixth Annual All-Nebraska Music competition will be held in Lincoln, May 3rd and 4th.

On account of the large number of entries in the different events, and the increased number of organizations taking part, the plan of district contests has been adopted. From these district contests only the winners of the first, second and third places will be eligible to compete at the State Contest.

Our district meets at Wayne, April 5th and 6th. The solo and small group events will be held Friday, April 5th and all choruses, glee clubs, bands and orchestras Saturday, April 6th.

Our entries will be: Elizabeth Henry—Clarinet solo. Lena Cromwell—Soprano solo. The Girls Glee Club will go if the transportation can be obtained.

INTERCLASS TOURNAMENT.

The four classes of O'Neill High School each have a basketball team. Each team will have to play every other team. A percentage will be taken of the four classes. The team having the highest percentage will win the interclass tournament of O'Neill High

School. The schedule is as follows: Juniors vs. Freshmen—Monday. Seniors vs. Sophomores—Monday. Juniors vs. Sophomores—Tuesday. Seniors vs. Freshmen—Tuesday. Juniors vs. Seniors—Wednesday. Sophomores vs. Freshmen—Wednesday.

The next years team will play the pick of the High School Thursday. I pick the Juniors to win the tournament. In case you don't know who I am, look me up.

Howard Medlen.

SCHOOL HOUSEKEEPING.

By Gurna Oppen
On these cold, wintry days the children who live many blocks from school and those who live in the country are compelled to bring lunches to school. A lunch room was provided in the basement but this became so crowded that the northeast room up stairs was used as well. Although this room is a large room it is not large enough to accommodate the fifty or sixty children who eat there each noon. Bad eating habits are prevalent and bad manners are most evident. Children, clean up! Be 100 per cent citizens.

WORK AND WORRY.

"Some are bent with toil and some grow crooked trying to avoid it." Work is really necessary to both health and happiness. Most people enjoy their work and would be very discontented without it.

"He broke down from overwork" is a phrase often heard. In so many cases it wasn't work but bad mental and physical habits that caused the break. There are some cases of overstrain from too severe muscular work, but mental work will not cause a breakdown. Hard mental work plus worry, pouting, fear, improper food and eliminations, insufficient sleep and little exercise will weaken body and mind. They can so reduce the vitality, that there is little or no resistance, no strength to meet the daily demands.

Often the mind is handicapped by worry and fear. Frequently people worry simply because of their over-active imagination, like the skipper in this poem:

"Suppose that this here vellell," Said the skipper with a groan, "Should lose 'er bearin's, run away, and jump upon a stone.

Suppose she's shiver and go down, When save ourselves we couldn't."

The mate replies, "Oh, blow me eyes: Suppose again she shouldn't."

"Hard work has never turned any-one mad, worry has turned the brains of thousands."

In every life there must be a mixture of successes, failures, or at least some disappointments. Lets not worry or be exalted too much over either one; but strive to live so that we are physically and mentally capable of doing our best.

"There is just one test, you must ride your best, then you win, if you win or lose."

Mary Graskamp, School Nurse.

TOAST TO THE SCHOOL.

Joy Elmer Morgan
Editor of "The Journal" of the National Education Association.

Let us magnify the free public school; founded in the idealism of our pioneering forefathers on the Atlantic Seaboard; nurtured on the black soil of the central plains; raised to lofty heights of purpose and achievement in the mountain and pacific

THE ROYAL THEATRE

Home of Good Pictures

Thursday, Feb. 28

Wm. Haines and Anita Page in "TELLING THE WORLD"

From an underworld murder to a Far east revolution he hits the adventure trail in search of news—and love. Friday, March 1st Bebe Daniels in "50-50 GIRL"

Another big laugh with Bebe. 10c Night.

Saturday, March 2nd

Richard Barthelmess and Marion Nixon in

"OUT OF THE RUINS"

One last kiss in the face of death. Sunday-Monday, March 3-4

Mary Astor and Lloyd Hughes in "HEART TO HEART"

Laughs by the carload. It's the funniest and sweetest comedy-drama you've ever seen.

Tuesday, March 5

James Murry in "SHAKE DOWN"

James Murry in a realistic yet picturesque story of crooked fight promoters in an oil town. 10c Night.

Wednesday, March 6th

Ken Maynard in

"THE CANYON OF ADVENTURE"

Into the Canyon of Adventure with his wonder horse—his six-shooter—and the love of a beautiful Senorita.

Thursday, March 7th

Lina Basquette, Bessie Barriscale and Robert Armstrong in

"SHOW FOLKS"

Berry Revellers in this splendid romance of love behind the scenes. 10c Night.

Friday-Saturday, March 8-9

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In the faith that the destiny of the race is in education and that the real makers of history are the moulders of youth, let us lift up those who work in the schools that youth may be lifted up.

strong-flavored food in one meal as onions, cabbage or salmon.

4. Certain flavors go naturally together, as apples with pork, tomatoes with veal and cranberries with poultry, mint with lamb. However, one should avoid hackneyed combinations of the same meat, potatoes, and desert.

5. Do not serve all hot nor all cold foods at one meal. Ever in summer one hot dish is desirable. For this one reason, too, ice is often served with a roast, and cold cranberry sauce with fowl.

First Grade

We celebrated Washington's birthday by singing songs and reciting pieces. Miss Turner came in and listened to our songs. We wore paper caps like George Washington's soldiers.

HOLT COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

The Holt County Sunday School Association calls for a meeting of all the pastors Sunday school superintendents, teachers and friends to be held in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday, March 6th. Bring your basket lunch and coffee will be furnished free.

Social hour following lunch at noon. Conference called for upstairs at 1 o'clock for following items of business:

1. Rewriting Holt County Sunday School constitution and by-laws by committee of seven.

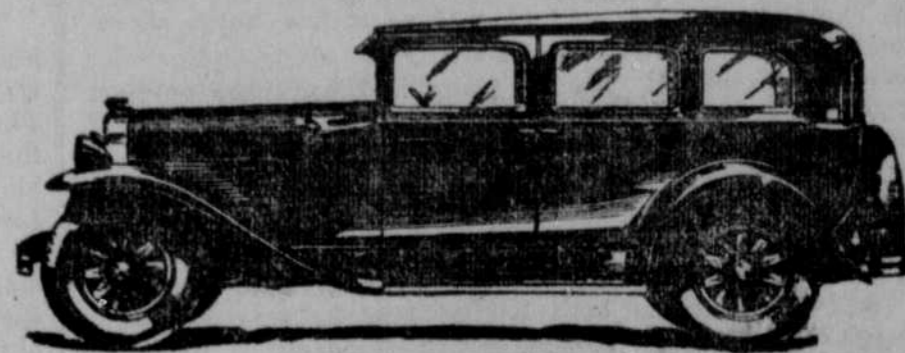
2. Sunday School organizing for coming year.

3. Discussion of your Sunday School problems.

4. Any other business that may properly come before the association.

J. K. ERNST, President.

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