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## CENTRALITES TRIM SOUTH BY 1 POINT

Packers Held Scoreless in First Half, Come Back Strong in Third Quarter.

THE FINAL COUNT 14 - 13

Coach Schmidt's warriors avenged last year's defeat Friday when they trimmed the South High eleven by the close margin of one point. The final count was 14 to 13, the outcome of the affair being undecided until the last whistle blew. The entire game was closely contested throughout, the last two minutes being the deciding point. The grandstand crowd was held breathless to the finish, since every second meant so much to each side.

The whole team is to be praised for its work, no stalling being especially noticeable on account of the excellent work of all the men. The Packers played a fast, slashing brand of football which for a time threatened to overcome the lead made by the Purple and White athletes in the first quarter when the score was 14 to 0.

The Centralites played straight football for the most part, while Coach Patton's crew used the aerial and end-run methods almost continually. Both the winning touchdowns were made by hard line smashing, while the losers made their tallies by running half the length of the field after recovering fatal fumbles made by Central men.

### Hoerner and Stribling Score.

At the beginning of the game the teams worked back and forth on the field, both testing out the opposite lines—and neither gaining any ground to speak of. South almost scored on an attempted field goal from the 35-yard line. The quarter was about half over when Hoerner crossed the line for the first score, after taking the ball from the middle of the field to about five yards from the goal. Beerkle's toe accounted for an additional point.

Immediately on receiving the kickoff, the Centralites proceeded to work the ball down the field for another touchdown. A combination of a 25-yard run by Holden, several line smashes by the rest of the backfield, and an end run by Stribling was the history of the final scoring of the Purple and White machine. Beerkle's toe again connected with the ball, sending it over the goal for the deciding point.

### Packers Rally in Third.

In the third frame, Bernard, starting the fireworks by taking advantage of a fumble by a Central man and racing 60 yards, scored a six-point tally. Grahame kicked goal. The rest of the quarter consisted of stiff fighting by both elevens, neither being able to penetrate the other's defense.

The last quarter found both teams, as well as the audience on the verge of hysterics, as any slip would have thrown victory into the hands of the other side. Central had the margin, however, and started out to defend her goal, but on a punt, a South High man, Mr. Sullivan to be specific, upset our plans by copping the pigskin and traveling about 40 yards to place the ball behind our goal line for a second Packer touchdown. Grahame, however, failed to send the ball between the standards, and by this one point their game was lost.

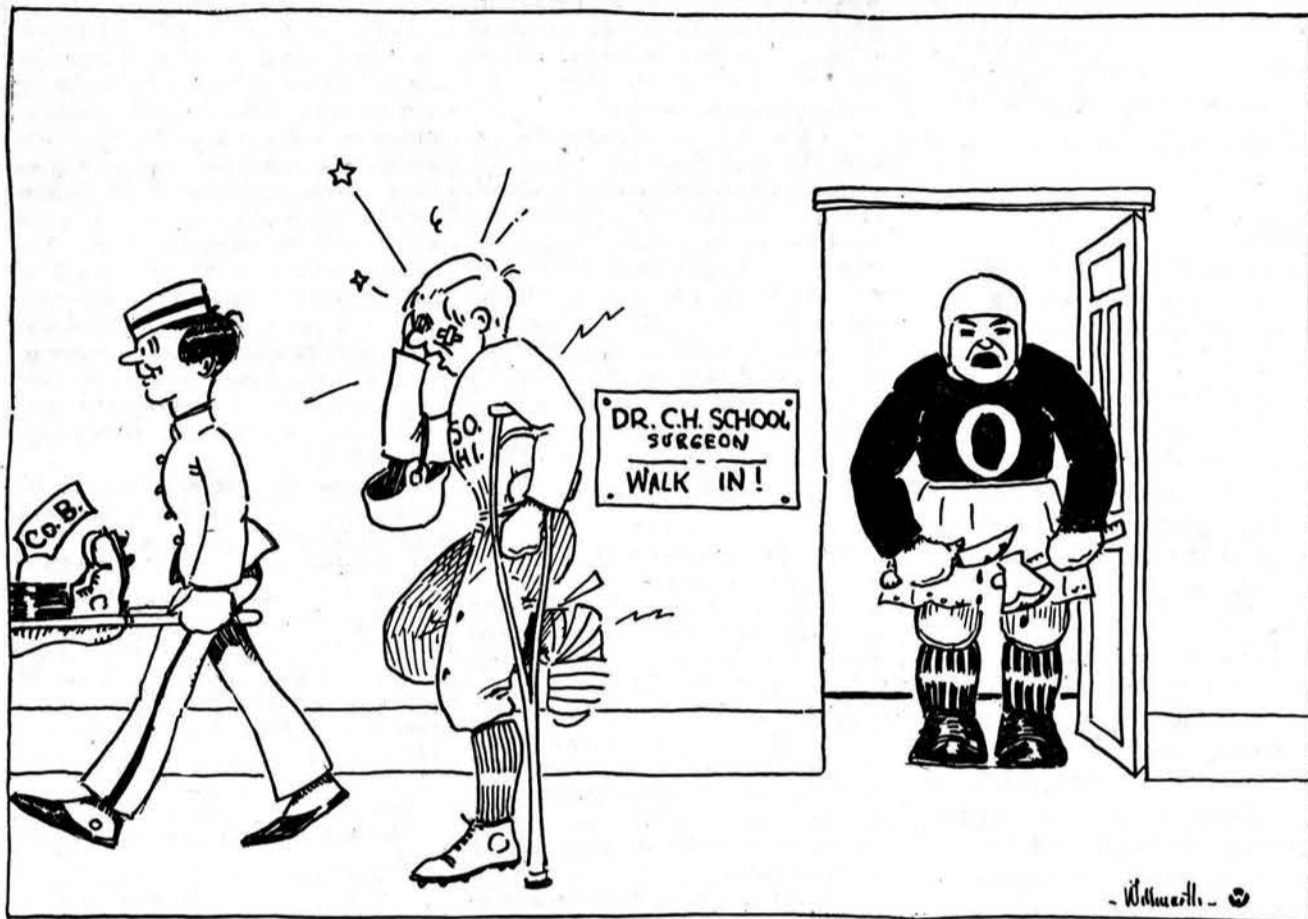
The lineup and scoring follow:

Central	Position	South High
Clarke	R. E.	Davis
Stribling	R. T.	Caldwell
Thomas	R. G.	Mertlik
Jeffries	C.	Bendocovik
Meyers	R. G.	Meyers
Galloway	L. T.	Nixon
Percival	L. E.	Gilbreth
Beerkle	R. B.	Grahame
Reynolds	R. H. B.	Spencer
Holden	L. H. B.	Sullivan (C)
Hoerner (C)	F. B.	Bernard

Substitutes, Central: Day for Clarke; McDermott for Reynolds.  
Substitutes, South: Groschek for Meyers.

Touchdowns: Hoerner, 1; Stribling, 1; Bernard, 1; Sullivan, 1.  
Goals: Beerkle, 2; Grahame, 1.  
Referee, Riddell; Umpire, Carey; Head linesman, Bailey.

## WHO'S NEXT?



## NIGHT SCHOOLS OPEN OCTOBER 10

Conducted Without Charge—Mr. Woolery in Charge at Commerce.

The night schools all over the city opened Monday evening, October 10. Mr. J. F. Woolery of our high school was in charge of the one held at Commerce High, while Mr. R. M. Mars is principal of the Evening School held at South High.

These schools are conducted free of charge every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evening during the winter. Capable teachers direct classes in bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, business English, radio, office training, domestic arts, and other practical subjects.

Supt. Beveridge and Miss Ryan, as well as Mr. Woolery have requested that Central High School students pass the word along to any who may be interested in the evening courses.

In connection with night schools, Americanization Schools are being held at Comenius, Kellom, West Side and Brown Park Schools. Many foreigners are enrolled there learning to read and write English and studying civics. Cooking and sewing are being taught on a small scale at Kellom school by Miss Gertrude Ruhnka. While space is limited and equipment meager, she is getting very satisfactory results from girls who will never be able to avail themselves of a high school education.

## HOME ROOM REPRESENTATIVES MEET.

The Home Room Representatives met after school Tuesday, October 4, in Room 215 for the discussion of plans for the Home Rooms. Miss Parker opened the meeting and suggested that the members be organized. William Clarke was elected Chairman, and Francis Finch Secretary. An informal discussion of plans was then held, and each representative submitted the questionnaire which he had filled out in his own home room.

The students will certainly enjoy many entertaining and instructive programs, if the plans suggested can be carried out. Co-operation of every student with his home room officers and teacher will be necessary for success.

We've got a wonderful start—come on now, and let's all pull together.

Miss Shields has kindly consented to give for use by the Home Rooms one drawer in the vertical files at the east end of the room. It is hoped that material may be gathered which can be used in working out the programs. Contributions in the way of detailed suggestions, ten-minute plays, debate subjects, clippings showing activities in other schools, etc., are requested from students and faculty.

## DEBATING COMMITTEE WORKS OUT PLANS.

The members of the Debating Committee, consisting of Miss Carlson, Miss Stegner, Miss H. Clark, Mr. Woolery, and Mr. Chatelain met and discussed plans for the coming season.

A step was taken to elect two students to the committee, but no definite conclusion was reached. If this plan is put in vogue it will give the student body more representation in the debating work.

Inter-class and School Team Debates were discussed and plans were made. Miss Carlson was elected Chairman of the Inter-class organization, and Miss H. Clark was elected Chairman of the publicity committee. Try-outs for the CLASS TEAMS will precede the try-outs for the SCHOOL team, the class try-outs being held in October, and those of the School Team in November. All interested should bear this in mind and be in good condition enter training for both try-outs.

The COACH has been working on the schedule and he expects to engage in eight or ten conflicts, one half being here. He has scheduled the following teams here: Beatrice, Lincoln, Commerce, Oklahoma City, tentatively, and at least one more.

The success of our school in the last two years in DEBATE has been marvelous and in order to further its success, it needs the student co-operation. Let's everybody boost it.

## STUDENT CLUB.

The Student Club held its regular meeting, Thursday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. club rooms. The girls enjoyed an interesting pageant portraying the purposes of the Club. In the tableaux, Thelma Burke represented Scholarship, Francis McChesney, Democracy; Mildred Osman, Health; Francis Fetterman, Service; and Almedia Hamilton, Friendship.

After the pageant the girls were divided into 5 groups to discuss the purposes, and then a general discussion was held. Dancing in the gym completed one of the best programs of the year.

## CALENDAR

Tuesday, October 11—Faculty Meeting, Room 120.

February Senior Meeting, Room 129, 3:00 p. m.

Wednesday, October 12—Patriotic Mass Meeting, 8:15 a. m.

Friday, October 14—Football Mass Meeting.

Sophomore Meeting, 3:00 p. m., Room 215.

L. T. C. Meeting, 3:00 p. m.

Monday, October 17—Gym Club, Room 415.

## IMPRESSIVE MASS MEETING HELD AT RIALTO

Inspiring Speeches Given by Miss Belle Ryan, Principal Masters and Supt. Beveridge.

A record-breaking mass meeting to boost the Friday game with South High was held Thursday morning, October 6th, in the Rialto Theater. It was the largest and most impressive in all the history of Central High School. Superintendent of Schools J. H. Beveridge, Assistant Superintendent Miss Belle Ryan, Principal Masters, and Lieutenant-Colonel George Johnston stirred the students to an increased spirit of loyalty and enthusiasm with their speeches.

Our faithful band played while the crowd piled into the theater. Then, when the speakers and those stalwart, handsome youths who make up our football teams filed onto the stage, everybody cheered. When they were seated Mac Ohman led the cheer, "Omaha."

Mr. Masters, who presided, complimented students on their "down-right effort" this term. He said that students learn uprighteousness by precept and by example, but mostly by practice. "Your family tries to teach you what is right; your teachers show you by their actions; but there is still a third way which I consider more important—practice. Practice honesty if you would live honestly. It is not enough to believe in honesty—you have to live it and grow into it. Growth is the finest thing in life." Referring to uprightiness in sports, Mr. Masters said he had received many letters from principals of other high schools complimenting the fairness of our teams and their willingness to "play the game."

Then Bob Anderson, '21, stepped to the front. He led "America," "Battle Hymn of the Republic," and "Liza Jane." At "O-o-o-o-o-h Liza!" everyone stood up. Those on the stage say that this gave the appearance of the roof falling.

Next Mr. Masters introduced Supt. Beveridge. Surveying the crowd, Supt. Beveridge remarked, "This is one of the most magnificent sights that Omaha has ever produced." Then he gave an impressive talk concerning the ideals of sport. He quoted Dr. Frank S. Crane's "Commandments of Sport:"

"Thou shalt not quit.  
Thou shalt not alibi.  
Thou shalt not gloat.  
Thou shalt not be a rotten loser.  
Thou shalt not take unfair advantage.  
Thou shalt honor the game thou playest, for he who playest the game straight and hard wins even when he loses."

Assistant Superintendent, Miss Ryan, in her talk brought out three splendid points: First she pleaded for the conservation of both public and private property. She mentioned especially the taking away of library books and the writing on the walls. Then she explained her idea of a good student—namely, one

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## 1921 SENIOR CLASS ELECTS BEERKLE PRES.

New Class Head is Noted 1921 Track and Basketball Man.

E. PICKARD VICE-PRESIDENT

The activities of the '22 senior class started out with a resounding smash when Willmer Beerkle was elected president and Elinor Pickard vice-president, both by an overwhelming majority, at the class election held Wednesday, October 5, immediately after school in room 215.

The senior class will without a doubt this year do bigger things than have ever before been done by a Central graduating class. They have in Beerkle a pilot who will "put things across" in the same old style that he does his work on the cinder track, the gridiron, and the basketball floor.



Beerkle An Athletic Star.

Everyone in Central has certainly heard of the brilliant work of Beerkle in last year's athletic events. How he could shoot those baskets! As a center on the floor he appeared to have steel springs in his legs at the toss. He was always in the right place with the right play.

Did he do anything in last year's track meet? You tell 'em, kid! That same old pep put him over the 100-yard dash in a short ten and a fifth seconds. He was one of the big factors that helped Central to be victorious over the other participants in the meet.

Can he kick the goals? Let's leave that to those who saw him play against Council Bluffs and South High. In the coming football season he will undoubtedly play a large part in placing the Purple and White grid team at the head of the list.

As a Student Control member, he is known as a leader with extraordinary ability. The class places the utmost confidence in Beerkle to steer them successfully through all the difficulties of the year.

### Elinor Pickard Vice-President of S. C.

The president will be ably assisted by Elinor Pickard, a friend of everybody. Elinor has been recently elected vice-president of the Student Control. She is indeed the unit of efficiency, as is shown by her three years of remarkable service to the school.

Have you ever tried to get by Elinor in the lunch line? If you have, you most certainly have felt her restraining hand on your coat tails as she gently but firmly pulled you back into your place.

Mr. Freshman, have you ever bought lunch checks at the south side second lunch hour? Well, the jolly, efficient-looking girl behind the cage is the new vice-president of the 1922 senior class, and you can bank on it that the class as a whole is very well pleased with her.

Arline Rosenberry, a girl outstanding in all activities, was chosen as secretary, and Orlando Smith, a captain in the regiment, and an active member of numerous activities, was the preference for treasurer. Jessie Baldwin and Oliver Sautter are this year's sergeants-at-arms. The class prophecy hangs on the good will of Winifred McMartin, the class reporter. Winifred ought to make a good REporter, because her nominator loudly proclaimed her to be a good SUPPORTER.

### 1921 Junior Sponsors Re-elected.

The junior class teachers of last year, Miss Anderson, Miss O'Sullivan, and Mr. Schmidt, were unanimously and enthusiastically re-elected as sponsors for the '22 seniors. In addition to these three teachers, the class is further fortunate in having as faculty sponsors Miss Towne, dean of girls, and Miss Burns, well known for her intense interest in the promotion of mass meetings. With the help of

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ALUMNI NEWS

Duff Sadler, '21, is going to school at Ames, Iowa.

Dorothy Wallace, '21, has gone to Grinnell College, in Iowa.

Mary Drake, '21, has gone to take a preparatory course for Bryn Mawr.

Arthur Bramman, '21, will remain in Omaha this winter.

Katherine Selby, '21, has gone to Los Angeles, California, to attend the Marlborough School there.

Adnee Hamilton, '21, with her sister, Eleanor, is going to Oberlin.

Scofield DeLong, the president of the class of 1921, is continuing his studies at Cornell.

Regina McAnany, one of the artists of '21, has moved with the rest of her family to Kansas City.

Richard Elster, '21, goes to Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Abram Ashimmel, '21, is going to the University of Chicago.

Frederick Carey and Howard Engler, both of the class of '21, are going to school at Ames, Iowa.

Alan Wolcott, '21, goes to Creighton University this fall.

Marian Rainalter, '21, will remain at home this winter.

Among those of the class of '21 who are going to the State University at Lincoln are: Nelson Mekeel, Winifred Kerr, Alice Mary Turney, Dorothy Taylor, Arvilla Johnson, Francis Sperry, and Crawford Follmer.

Van Sant School of Business claims some of our former students: Ruth Godfrey, Lillian Browning, Gladys Reeves, Geraldine Roberts, and Almina Ely.

Harold Russell, '21, is going to Cascadilla School in Massachusetts.

GOSSIP

The class in Newspaper Reporting from Omaha University Sunday evening, Oct. 2, visited the Omaha Bee for the purpose of securing inside information on the art of newspaper management. Mrs. Jolley, who is the instructress of the class, personally accompanied the journalistic aspirants on their tour of the Bee Hive. Mary Mann, Ruth Quinlan, Rosana Swenson, Morse Troxell, Kenneth Copley, and Bob Lake, all Central High School graduates, who are studying News Reporting in Mrs. Jolley's class at the University, were in the party.

Frank McAnany, former student of Central High, now living in Wichita, Kans., was seriously injured while in swimming. The doctors at present hold out good hope for his recovery. While diving, Frank injured his neck by striking the bottom of the pool.

Eugene, "Chick" Neville, of the class of '16, is helping coach the Yale team while attending Law School of that institution.

Mrs. A. B. Graham, formerly Miss Roberta Coulter, Gym teacher, announces the birth of a son, on Saturday, October 2nd.

HER MOVE.

Pretty Niece (blushing): "Auntie, what would you do if you learned that a young man was secretly inquiring about your ability as a cook?"

Wise Aunt: "I should immediately make secret inquiries as to his ability to provide things to cook, my dear."  
—Exchange.

Roland Wellman: "Can a man live on less after marriage than before?"

Bob Coufal: "Certainly, he has to."

James McMullen: "Are you fond of hunting?"

David Larson: "It all depends."  
James: "Depends on what?"

David: "Whether it's girls or collar-buttons."

Oliver Sautter: "Why don't you go to work instead of trying to borrow a dime from me?"

Cupid Stribling: "I call that work."

GYM CLUB ENLARGES MEMBERSHIP.

The second business meeting of the Gym Club this year, was held Monday, October 3, in Room 415. At that time all new members were admitted to the club.

The standing members are: Ruth Betts, Elinor Calvert, Virginia Frantz, Phyllis Gallagher, Helen Gifford, Kate Goldstein, Mildred Jack, Katherine Krieg, Margaret Logan, Geraldine McMasters, Mildred Nissen, Constance Page, Elizabeth Pugsley, Ann Rosenblatt, Arline Rosenberry, Rose Segal, and Geraldine Wyckoff.

The new members are: Louise Bunnell, Ruth Bruechert, Ruth Bailey, Marjorie Pool, Ruth Wilinsky, Francis Fetterman, Mae Elliot, Carmen Longman, Mildred Osman, Audrey Kilgore, and Bonnie Rugg.

The installation of the new officers and a formal initiation of the new members will be held at the next meeting.

FOLLIES OF 1921-22.

Under the stern and able presidency of Mr. Woolery, a portion of the Faculty took their mid-semester test Thursday, October 6, in Central High School Library. After tea had been served, the "Follies of 1921-22," normally new teachers, paraded the length of the room, while the examined were obliged to recognize them by name.

While the "pupils" were placed on their honor, Mr. Woolery, wisely enough, seated them one at each end of a table. The new teachers proctored. Joe Masters was not permitted to take the examination because he was posted. Jessie Towne, Helen Clarke, and Eddie McMillan behaved very badly, almost rudely—probably due to the absence of Students' Control representatives.

To little Bessie Dumont, class of 1926, was awarded the first prize, a handsome, five-pointed star. To Herbie Senter, class of 1925, who seemed out of his "elements" with the Follies, was awarded the consolation prize, a handsome as well as useful notebook inscribed without, "Lest You Forget." For the nature of the insides, ask Jonnie Wilmarth, well known local artist—just inquire this noon when you buy your checks for first lunch. These prizes were awarded by Mr. Masters with a suitably long and flowery speech—he "fergat" once, but then he has never had Expression I.

Tea was served in honor of the new teachers. Mrs. Atkinson and Miss Towne poured, assisted by Dorothy Sherman, Polly Robbins, Gwendolyn Cheek, Ellanore Baxter, Dorothy Guckert, Ruth Cunningham, Johanna Broderson, Dorothy Steinbaugh, Clover Shook.

Irma Costello, renowned leading lady for the Follies of 1921-22, responded wittily and prettily for the rest of the chorus. Any of our readers not knowing Miss Costello would do well to be at the West Entrance at 8:14 a. m. sharp to see her drive up in her new lavender Ford sedan monogrammed in silver and driven by a chauffeur liveried in green and gold.

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who maintains a good school standing and engages in school activities as well.

"We must live for those around us, Whose hearts are good and true; For the cause that lacks assistance, For the wrongs that need resistance, For that future in the distance— And the good that we can do."

In closing, Miss Ryan paid a beautiful tribute to Miss Susan Paxson, head of the Latin Department and now on leave of absence. "Any student who has had the privilege of associating with Miss Paxson has had a great blessing bestowed on him," she said.

After fifteen "rahs" had been given for Miss Ryan, Mr. Masters expressed gratitude to the manager of the Rialto for the use of the theater. His gratitude was emphasized by the cheers with which the students showed their appreciation. Earl Wyckoff, Eddie Ballantine, and Bill Drake gave some snappy saxophone music. They were assisted by banjo, violin, piano and drum.

George Johnston made a short talk, boosting the team. "We have a good team, now all we need is the student body back of that team—get out and cheer for them. We have before us 2500 hearts which beating as one for the team, represents the heart of Central."

With some last mighty, rousing cheers for the team, the crowd left the theater for school. Filled with enthusiasm, all the students expressed their enjoyment of the mass meeting and their determination to go to the Friday game with South High and "cheer their lungs out," if necessary.

THANK YOU!

Cuts of the two pictures in last issue were loaned to us through courtesy of the Omaha Daily News.

'21 SENIOR CLASS ELECTS BEERKLE PRESIDENT.

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these five, the seniors expect smooth sailing.

The meeting was a regular booster in every way and displayed all kinds of pep. D. L. Dimond, who acted as chairman, had some difficulty in bringing the meeting to order. "Hey, you in the back of the room," he shouted, "please sit down! I can't tell whether your'e sitting down or standing up."

Each nominator gave an impressive speech when picking his candidate for an office. The nominees for each individual office were not numerous, however. Each time the number for a single office reached three, Mr. George Bang, a long headed senior, moved to close the nominations.

Miss Towne and Mr. Masters in turn gave a short address of encouragement to the students. This first meeting predicts an unusually inspirational and successful year for the seniors.



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**SPORTS**

Next Saturday our boys will entrain for St. Joseph on the first trip of the year. About 15 men will make the trip, in addition to Coach Schmidt and Manager Wolf. Last year we entertained the Missourians here on Turkey Day by trimming them by a score of 33 to 7. Can we do it again?

Lisle Holden has shown himself to be one of the best backfield men that Coach Schmidt has to work with. Remember the Council Bluffs game? Lisle hit the line for big gains nearly every time he carried the pigskin. He played the half position on the second team last fall.

We will have to swallow that remark about Hoerner and his touchdown record. We had not anticipated his playing fullback when we uttered said statement. He has shown ability in holding down a backfield position, being especially capable in intercepting passes. He is no mean line hitter either, when you come to consider the matter.

Fans were offered something new in preliminaries on the day of the Council Bluffs game when the fourth and fifth teams staged a battle on the rectangle. Coach Bexten states that it was football like a riot or a mob fight. Nevertheless, we should be proud that we have enough men interested in the sport to make five teams.

Someone recently inquired when the chess season would start this year at school. Last year a team was selected and a tournament staged. Interested enthusiasts should remember that it only takes one to start the ball rolling. The present chess club is meeting regularly but all the time is devoted to ping-pong, bowling, etc., the chess boards getting rusty meanwhile.

What is wrong with Phil Redgewick anyhow? Every week his name appears on our casualty list. This time it's a bad wrist. According to Dr. Senter, he threw it out of joint raising his hand so often to recite. As usual Phil pulls the old alibi about getting hurt during football practice.

**MILITARY**

With the donning of uniforms the regiment has taken on its real military aspect, and the problem of neatness and snappiness is added to the captain's troubles in making recommendations for promotion. One rule to which particular attention is to be paid is that of wearing the full uniform—minus belts and gloves—ALL DAY.

Next spring many cadets may wonder why some man with less experience and, in his opinion, less ability, got an office while he did not. Remember that *personal* appearance both in and out of drill will draw attention to your other qualities. A man with a long list of demerits for incomplete, ragged, or soiled uniform, or for baggy trousers and shoes which never know of polish, has as much chance of advancement as the proverbial celluloid cat has of obtaining its object! Watch your step and clean up.

The Regiment is progressing very rapidly. Things are beginning to look more favorable now that the men are in uniform and all have rifles. They ought to be in fairly good condition by Armistice Day when the cadets will probably appear in their first parade. Discipline in the companies is better than usual this year. Still, there is lots of room for improvement. Of course there is always one or two in a group that must be different. The thing we are striving for is absolute obedience and strict attention at drill. At the end of the year we hope to turn out the best regiment the school has ever had.

**Ad In Street Car.**

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—Exchange.

Sophie: "What is this you wrote on my test paper?"

Miss West: "Let me see—I don't believe I can tell—Oh! yes—'Please write more legibly.'"

Orlando: "Don't yell Hay at me again. I'm no horse."

Paul L.: "I know it,—your ears are too long."

Miss Morrissey: "These eggs are a little hard."

Dorothy Peters: "I know, but I boiled them almost an hour and they just simply wouldn't get soft."

**SOUTH HIGH NOTES.**

Congressman Jeffries has given a map of the United States to the Commercial Geography Class of South High.

Thursday, October 6, South High held a mass meeting to boost the sale of football tickets. These tickets admit one to five football games, and cost one dollar.

**MISS MacDOUGALL NEW "GYM" TEACHER.**

Miss Charlotte MacDougall, of Spokane, Washington, is the new instructress in the Physical Culture department of the school.

Miss MacDougall is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and of the Sargent School of Physical Training in Cambridge, Mass. She has taken post-graduate work in the Universities of Montana and Idaho, and has also taken special work in hospitals of New York City.

**DRAMATICS**

Room 605 in the City Hall is filled with dainty, fairy-like costumes which are to be worn by little children in the Pageant.

The names of those who have been added to the Speakers' Bureau, and whose names did not appear in the last issue of the Register are: Fern Thomsen, Irene Sorensen, Eloise Margaret, Emma Elizabeth Smirl, Elizabeth Youngman, Elinor Calvert, Mildred Prohaska, Francis Wiles, Lucille Gannon, Ruth Carlberg, Ann McConnell, George McBride, Theron Jeffry, Jack Stoddard, William Stevenson, Mac Ohman, Wayne Pope, Chris Zees, Eugene Daniels, Lylal Quinby, Milton Abrahams, Harold Brown, Philip Handler, Carl Smith, Helen Montgomery.

The fourth hour Expression II. class has invented a very interesting contest. The teacher in charge of the class has turned work into play by offering prizes for the longest list of subjects to use for pantomime. Listing pantomimes is usually very dull and uninteresting but the tally for the contest showed what a little co-operation between teacher and pupil will do.

Allyne Burt won the record, a small one, which rumor reports was purchased in the ten-cent store. Irene Lilly was sharp enough to capture second prize, a dainty pen knife. Harriett Lillis received a tiny pair of football shoes for "defeat." Why football shoes?

**STUDY OF STORY-TELLING TAKEN UP BY EXPRESSION I.**

Last year a course in story-telling and extemporaneous speaking was introduced into Expression I. This year, however, it is past the experimental stage.

The text books which are being used for the subject are as follows: *How to Tell Stories to Children*, Sarah Cone Bryant; and *Oral English and Public Speaking for Secondary Schools*, Shurter. The first book deals with the art of story-telling and its influence on older people as well as on children. The latter volume treats with speech composition, extempore speaking, and debating.

It is hoped that within a very short time enough progress will have been made to enable the Dramatic department to send interesting story-tellers to the various public schools of the city.

**ADVERTISING CONTEST BOOSTED BY SPEAKERS.**

Solicit Subscriptions for Paper.

Members of the Speakers' Bureau met at eight o'clock, Wednesday morning, in Room 149, to prepare for the advertising drive of the Register.

The home room period Friday morning was used by the youthful orators to arouse interest in the advertising contest, as well as to solicit subscriptions for the Register. The speakers urged the students to contribute to the school paper anything in the way of jokes, "Bunk," personals, news, stories, and the like. They also explained the advertising rates, the point system by which the students will be graded in the campaign, and last but not least, the prizes to be given to the three people having the highest number of points, namely: First prize, white sweater; second prize, kodak; third prize, fountain pen, gold band, engraved with "REGISTER."

As almost all of the members of the Speakers' Bureau are contestants in the campaign, they were able to give inspiring talks.

**BUNK**

Dear Bunk:  
How can I make my allowance stretch?  
Broke.

Dear Broke:  
Buy chewing gum.  
Bunk.

Dear Bunk:  
What's the best cure for a headache in a Latin class?  
Failing.

Dear Failing:  
Study.  
Bunk.

Dear Bunk:  
I have been told that the court is twice as long as one-half of its length. Is this correct?  
Statistician.

Dear Statistician:  
Are you trying to make us laugh?  
Bunk.

Dear Bunk:  
Why do the signs in the courtyard say "please?"  
Etti Quiet.

Dear Etti Quiet:  
Because they can't help it.  
Bunk.

**MUSIC**

Owing to the absence of both Mrs. Pitts and Miss Howe from the music department last week, Miss Grace Sorensen gladly gave her assistance in directing and teaching the music classes and the glee clubs. Miss Sorensen is editor of *The Everychild's Magazine* and travels for the educational department of the Victor Victrola Company.

Friday morning, September 30, witnessed the election of the officers for the Senior Girls' Glee Club. Lela Turner was chosen president; Josephine Drapier, vice-president; Helen Lynch, secretary, and Mary Gorton, treasurer.

A splendid opportunity is offered by Mr. Cox to all students of the high school who wish to learn to play the violin. Each Friday in room 49, from three until four o'clock, instruction will be given gratis by Grace Gallagher and probably by Juanita Brown. Both girls are graduates of '21 and are pupils of Mr. Cox.

The first meeting was held September 30, when about fifteen students joined the class which will be under the supervision of Mr. Cox. Each one must buy his own instruments and music, which may be purchased through the school.

The work will begin with the fundamentals of violin playing, with exercise for class work, and later, solos for the individual. Pupils need not stay together and have the same lessons. If it is seen that one student can make more progress than other members of the class, he will be allowed to work ahead of his classmates.

Although the majority of those who began the course last year are now studying under private teachers, a few are returning to the class, to resume their work with Grace and Juanita.

At one of the sessions of the Nebraska State Teachers' Association to be held in Omaha the early part of November, the instructors will be given the opportunity of listening to a male quartet composed of Central students. Those who will sing at this meeting are: Jack Kerschner, Marian Hain, Murrel Simpson, and Kenneth Seeley.

The teachers will also be entertained by an orchestra composed of students from Commerce, Central, and South High Schools and by a concert orchestra of twenty-two students who will be directed by Murrel Simpson.

**NOTICE.**

Can you draw? Do you want to win a prize? The Register wants you to draw a heading for the Joke Column, the Alumni, Sports, Personals, Music, Dramatics, etc. Some may be two columns in width and some may be one column. One column in a newspaper is two and one-quarter inches wide. For further information, call at The Register office, directly opposite room 325. Everyone draw a heading and try for a prize.

Tramp: "Will you give me a few pennies for a bed?"

Miss Hilliard: "Certainly, my poor man, where is the bed?"

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