

## BEST WESTERN HIGH POET TO BE DETERMINED

Contest Held by Scribblers' Chapter at University of Colorado

### HONOR THE WINNER

#### Rocky Mountain Schools to Compete, Including Kansas and Nebraska

A contest to determine the best poet in the high schools of the west is being held by the Scribblers' Chapter of National Narrators Association at the University of Colorado. The contest is open to all high schools of the Rocky Mountain region, including Nebraska and Kansas.

#### Winner to Receive Cup

The winner in the contest will receive an honorary membership in the Scribblers' Club, and a silver loving cup. The poem will be printed in The Silver and Gold, the student paper at the University of Colorado, and in The Rocky Mountain Press. Honorable Mention will be given to other good poems.

#### Rules With Miss Stegner

Miss Stegner, Central high school English teacher, has the rules for this contest, which will close April 15.

## FRESHMEN REPORT AT FIRST MILITARY DRILL

### Regiment to Inaugurate Use of Guidons—Made by Sewing Classes

At the first regular drill on Monday, February 4, 119 freshmen reported. There are more boys drilling from this class than from any other entering the school in February. Each company averages nearly eighteen freshman boys.

#### Will Use Guideons

For the first time the regiment will use guidons. These are pennants which are carried in regiments by the right guard of each company. They originated in the cavalry, and the regular army has lately adopted the usage. The guidons will be purple banners with a white letter designating the company on an eight-foot staff. Miss Verda Williams' sewing classes will make the banners.

#### N. C. O. C. Will Try Out

Members of the Non-Commissioned Officers' Club intend to try out for the road show. They will present a Butts' Manual physical drill.

## CALENDAR

Tuesday, Feb. 12. Central debates Cathedral High at Lincoln. Central plays Creighton there.

Wednesday, Feb. 13. Girls' volleyball in 425 at 2:45. Junior and Senior Girls' basket ball in 415 at 2:46.

Thursday, Feb. 14. Cabinet meeting of Girls' Student Club in 149 at 3:15. Junior Hi-Y at the Y. M. C. A. at 6 o'clock.

Friday, Feb. 15. Presentation of "The Bohemian Girl" in our auditorium at 8 o'clock. French Club meeting in 235 at 3 o'clock. Greenwich Village meeting at 3 o'clock. Senior Hi-Y meeting at the Y. M. C. A. at 6 o'clock. Meeting of the Engineering Society in 129 at 3 o'clock.

Saturday, Feb. 16. Presentations of "The Bohemian Girl" in the C. H. S. auditorium at 2:00 and 8:00 p. m. Central plays Geneva here.

Monday, Feb. 18. Gym Club meeting in 425 at 2:46.

## SECRETARY COLLINS THINKS CENTRAL FINE

### Talks to Boys Interested in Princeton—Says That Exams Not Hard

"Central must be a 'darn' good school if it can teach a boy two years of French in a year and a half," beamed Secretary V. Lansing Collins of Princeton University, as he spoke to the seven chaps gathered in the office, Monday noon, to hear him tell about Princeton, "and," he added, "Theodore Wells must be an alert chap to be able to take a two-year exam on a year and a half of French."

#### Likes His Job

Having expressed his approval of Central, Mr. Collins chuckled and went on, "When I get started talking about Princeton, it takes a lot to make me quit. You see, I graduated from Princeton myself in 1892; before your time, wasn't it? Well, I've been secretary for about four years. Sure, I like my job; I like boys."

#### Is Touring Country

Mr. Collins is making a tour of the country, finding out about Princeton alumni, telling high school youngsters and others, too, about Princeton, and, as Mr. Arthur Wells, who brought him to Central, says, "making himself generally useful."

#### Exams Not Hard

"Of course," said Mr. Collins, "our requirements differ according to the course a chap is taking, but in general, a knowledge of English, mathematics and some modern language is liable to put you in our good graces. "Our exams hard? Fiddlesticks! But a chap is some times so nervous that he makes it hard for himself. I know; I've been there."

#### Is "Good Sport"

Mr. Collins is tall and dignified. At least, he seems dignified until the twinkles start dancing in his eyes, when he seems only kindly. But always all, Mr. Collins (and maybe it's the smiling of his eyes that deepens the impression) is an all-around "good sport."

## COMPLETE CAST FOR C. O. C. ACT CHOSEN

### Play Dealing With Revolution in England—Has Strong Dramatic Plot

The complete cast for the C. O. C. Road Show act, "The Captain of the Gate," has been definitely selected by Miss Lena May Williams, the director of the play.

#### Only Boys in Cast.

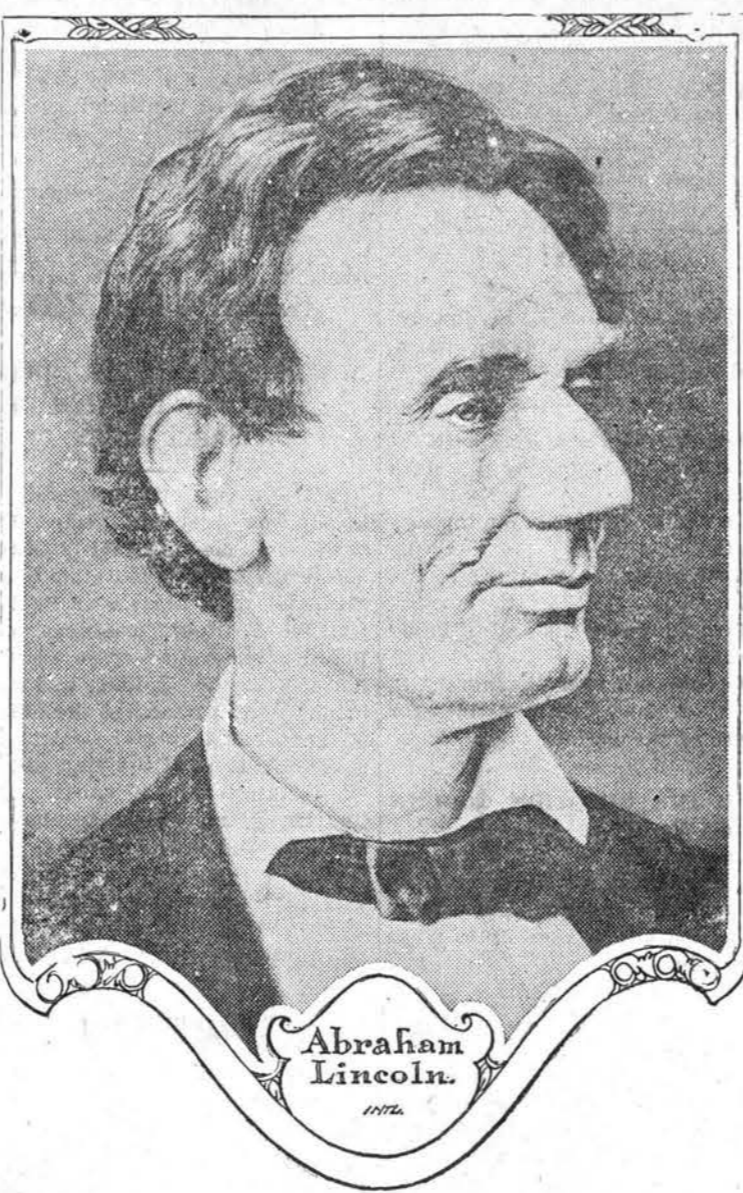
Each one of the six characters has a very difficult part in keeping up the high dramatic interest of the play. The cast includes Hawthorne Arey, who takes the part of Captain Hugh Talbot, a typical soldier and leader of men; Vinton Lawson, as John Talbot, a fine English soldier; Ralph Church, as Kit Newcombe, a very young soldier still in his teens; Ralph Barris, in the part of Dick Genton, a "typical young English swashbuckler," Morgan Meyers, as Phelimy Driscoll, a young Irishman in the service of the British army, and McGrew Harris, as Myles Butler, an English soldier.

#### Act Is Dramatic

The play, which centers around a strong dramatic situation at Cashala Gate House during the Puritan revolution in England, has an atmosphere of great strain and intense suffering. "I am very proud of the C. O. C. boys for choosing this play," said Miss Williams. "It shows that they have a fine appreciation of good drama, and that they prefer to put on a play that will take intensive study rather than one that would be as big a success with less study."

## PROJECTS SHOWN DURING OPEN HOUSE

The Project Room, 130, held open house on Wednesday afternoon, February 5, to exhibit the projects made last semester by English VII pupils. Miss Hilliard's classes had one table and Miss H. Clarke's and Miss G. W. Clarke's another. Nearly thirty-five projects were exhibited.



Great leader! Were I given strength to praise  
That man who lived alike for weak and strong,  
His hand outstretched to clasp Humanity's,  
I could but say, "Thy greatness was a song."

Wise pilot! If thy life of worthy deeds  
I sought to honor, I could do no more  
Than say in reverence this exalting line,  
"You lit the union in the night of war."

Dear master! Might I glorify thy name  
In noble phrases, 'twere the truer art  
To fold thy memory in a nation's flag  
And lay it next to a nation's quivering heart."

## CENTRAL WINS DEBATE 3 TO 0

Sam Minkin, Gerald Vasak, David Sher Uphold Affirmative

### DEBATE AGAIN TODAY

In the first debate with a Nebraska team, University Place, Central came out victorious by a 3 to 0 decision. The debate was held in the high school auditorium Tuesday, February 5. The question was: "Resolved, That Immigration Shall Be Further Restricted." Central upheld the affirmative and University Place the negative.

#### Speech by Mr. Masters

Mr. Masters spoke before the debate, introducing the speakers in their turn. Central's debaters were Sam Minkin, Gerald Vasak and David Sher. Those representing University Place were Murray Halleck, Georgia Devorak and Hazel Twilford. Ten minutes was given to each for the main speech and five minutes for rebuttal.

#### Mr. Chatelain Uses New Plan

Coach Chatelain with a new analysis approached the subject from a biological and social standpoint. Throughout the debate the Central team used the analogy of the sick man. In conclusion they offered as their plan 2 per cent of the census of 1890.

The University Place team attacked the subject from an economic, social and ethical viewpoint.

The judges were Mr. Fred Eyer, Omaha National Bank; Mr. William Phillips, Federal Reserve; Mr. Fred Hellmer, attorney-at-law.

The next debate is with Cathedral High at Lincoln, February 12.

The names of Helen Cox and Alice Hollander were omitted from the Four A list in the Register last week and Margaret Nielsen's name was omitted from the Three A list.

## HOPE TO PRESENT OPERA REALIZED

Glee Clubs' Dream of Two Years Comes True—Opera This Week

### BOHEMIAN GIRL GIVEN

"The best laid schemes o' mice an' men gang aft a-gley."

But at Central high school even if they "gang a-gley" for a little while, they finally are accomplished.

Two years ago in the first issue of the "Weekly Register," the following announcement appeared: "The Senior Glee Clubs are doing finished work. This fall they are planning to give the "Bohemian Girl" as their annual opera."

Now Central is going to have the opportunity of seeing the "Bohemian Girl" presented by 100 members of the Senior Glee Clubs on Friday and Saturday, February 15 and 16, at 8 o'clock in the Central high school auditorium, and Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

#### Brief Resume of Plot

In order that the reader may have an idea of the story of the opera, a brief synopsis is here given. The story tells of kidnaping of Arline, daughter of the Count Arnheim, by Devilshoof, a gypsy chief. Thaddeus, a young noble banished from his country, joins the gypsy band and falls in love with Arline.

While the gypsies are attending a fair at Presburg, Arline, now a beautiful maiden of 17, incurring the displeasure of the gypsy queen, is accused of stealing and is taken before Count Arnheim, who recognizes his daughter by a scar on her arm.

She is restored to her rank, but continues to meet Thaddeus secretly until the lovers are denounced to the count by the jealous queen. The count is at first indignant, but the pleading of his daughter, and knowledge that Thaddeus is of noble birth, reconciles him to the union of the lovers.

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## DR. C. R. FISH TALKS TO HISTORY CLUB

### Is Head of American History Department at University of Wisconsin

Dr. Carl Russell Fish, head of the American History department in the University of Wisconsin, is to give a talk before the History club of Omaha today, in Room 215, on the subject, "American Foreign Policy."

Dr. Fish is a most interesting speaker, being noted for his power of depicting characters and of making history unusually engaging by this personal touch. His two most popular courses at the university are "Representative American," and "American Foreign Policy." Dr. Fish spent last summer touring Europe.

The faculty of Central is cordially invited to attend the talk.

## ENTHUSIASTIC CROWD ENJOYS ORCHESTRA

### Director Predicts a Wonderful Musical Future for America

"Gee, that was some concert and I don't mean maybe!" "A guy can stand that kind of music!"

"That was great!" Such was the enthusiastic praise of the 5,000 school children who enjoyed the special children's concert of the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock in the city auditorium. And according to the equally enthusiastic applause of their chaperones, the concert was wonderful.

#### Children Are Delighted

Director Henri Verbruggen knows children, for he coaxed them to attention with the melodious "Quartet from Mignon," excited their interest with the tender "Midsummer Night's Dream," and roused them to hilarity with the quaint "New Zealand Folk Dance."

"One must beg them a bit," said the world-famous director, "but I love child audiences."

#### American Children Musical

"Do I think American children are as musically talented as European? I know they are, but they have not had much chance until lately to show it. I predict a wonderful musical future for America."

And then Mr. Verbruggen must autograph a photo for some ambitious youngster and lend an ear to some plan for helping an aspiring composer.



—Courtesy Omaha Bee

#### Accident Makes No Difference

Owing to an unfortunate accident six weeks ago, Mr. Verbruggen is forced to go about on crutches, but this makes no difference to him. He sits upon his high stool like a king on his throne and when he wields his rhythmic scepter, eighty-five instruments become fountains of melody.

#### One "Musicianship"

Among his musicians Mr. Verbruggen has one lady, Miss Jenny Cullen of Scotland. Mr. Verbruggen himself hails from Belgium, but has spent the greater part of his life traveling about the world. He spent eight years in Australia and some time in Scotland.

Besides being a universally famous director, Mr. Verbruggen plays the violin and speaks several languages fluently.

He is as versatile as a Frenchman, as courteous as a Spaniard, as frank as an Englishman, and as lovable as possibly can be.

## GIRLS' BAND TO BE ORGANIZED BY MRS. H. L. NOAH

### Director An Accomplished Musician—Has Much Experience

### TO PRACTICE TONIGHT

#### Hope to Include the Oboe, Bassoon, Viola, Flute, Piccolo, Bass-Viol

A Girls' Band is being organized for the first time in the history of Central by Mrs. H. L. Noah, Sunshine's mother, who will be the directress and who is an accomplished musician, having had much experience in band work.

#### Band Has First Practice

The band will meet for practice the first time tonight. Mrs. Noah is endeavoring to include in the band the oboe, bassoon, viola, flute, piccolo and bass-viol, instruments which are seldom seen outside of musical centers.

#### Mrs. Noah Noted Directress

The school is very fortunate in having secured Mrs. Noah as a directress and great things are expected of the girls under her supervision.

Mrs. Noah was at one time assistant directress and trombone soloist of the Helen May Bulter Ladies' Military band, which is ranked with the world-famous Sousa's band. The Bulter band at this time played at Willow Grove Park, Philadelphia; Madison Square Garden, New York; and the World's Fair at St. Louis. Mrs. Noah at another time was the conductor of the First Regimental band with the Northwestern State College, Oklahoma.

#### Girls Are to Accomplish Great Things

When interviewed, Mrs. Noah, who has a charming and delightful personality, said that she thought it would be only a matter of time until the girls would be very enthusiastic over their work and would begin to accomplish great things.

Sunshine Noah, besides playing the violin, has learned to play the trombone and the double-bell euphonium.

## CAST SELECTED FOR "THE GOLDEN DOOM"

### Road Show Comedy by Lord Dunsany Produced by Miss Floy Smith

All the cast, except the heroine, for the Road Show comedy, "The Golden Doom," by Lord Dunsany, was selected Monday, February 4, in 325, by Miss Floy Smith, who is producing the play.

#### Fourteen Contestants Selected

Out of thirty-eight, Miss Smith selected the following cast: First Sentry, George Beal; Second Sentry, Charles Haas; Stranger, Edward Albert; Boy, Deloss Schmid; First Spy, Ramsay Chapman; Second Spy, Bernarr Wilson; Third Spy, Rezin Plotz; Chamberlain, William Hovitz; King, Reuben Krogh; First Prophet, Robert Whipperman; Second Prophet, Theodore Wells; Attendants, Richard Marden and Henry Peterson; Chief Prophet, Paul Hoffman.

#### Unusually Good Tryouts

"I think the tryouts were splendid," said Miss Smith. "Everyone did unusually well. It shows that the pupils appreciate really good things. And it is not as easy to try out for a regular comedy as it is for a farce."

## FACULTY COMMITTEE SPONSORS NAMED

Faculty sponsors of the business and entertainment committees for senior home room were announced during the week as follows: Miss Fisher, business; Mr. Hill, outside entertainment; Miss J. von Mansfelde, inside entertainment; Miss Towne, circular.

Student committees to serve with the faculty sponsors will be appointed by Melba Burke, senior class president.



## CENTRAL GIRLS WIN PRIZES IN ESSAY CONTEST

Eudora Jones, Charlotte Root, Marion Kuony Write Opinions

### ARE ACTIVE IN SCHOOL

"What shall I do with it?" exclaimed Eudora Jones, when notified that her composition on the "Hunchback of Notre Dame" had won the \$25.00 second prize. This contest, which was held last week, was open to all students in and near Omaha. "I didn't expect to get a thing," she laughed, "because I wrote my article in such a hurry just as I thought of it."

#### In Many Activities

Eudora is an enthusiastic Central booster, as is shown by her long list of activities. She was girls' sport editor on last semester's Register staff, and is senior writeup chairman on the O-Book staff. She is a member of the Student Club, Speakers' Bureau, Spanish Club, Gym Club, and Girls' Athletic Association. Her poem, "Autumn Sunset," won honorable mention in the recent Press Club contest.

#### Is Fond of Athletics

Girls' athletics is one of her chief interests. She was captain of one of the girls' hockey teams last fall and played the year before. As a junior, she played on the girls' basket ball and baseball teams, and is repeating the process as a senior. She also participated in the tennis tournament last year and the pageant, "Enchanted Year."

#### Others Win Prizes

Central was well represented in the contest. Two other students won prizes, Charlotte Root and Marian Kuony. Charlotte was city editor on the Register staff of last term, and is organization editor of the O-Book staff. Her poem, "Dawning Day," also won honorable mention in the Press Club contest. Marion Kuony is a member of the Junior Girls' Glee Club.

## DR. GRIZZEL LIKES ENROLLMENT PLAN

Believes Other Large High Schools Should Adopt Central Plan

A letter has been received from Dr. E. D. Grizzel, Assistant Professor of Secondary Education at the University of Pennsylvania, in Philadelphia, in which he thanks Mr. Masters for the special circular concerning directions for enrollment. He thinks the plan an excellent one and he hopes that the principals of Philadelphia will adopt it.

He states: "Judging from my own experience and from observation of other high schools, especially schools the size of yours, much time might be saved if some such plan as you are pursuing were followed."

## TO FIND DEFINITION OF SCHOOL SPIRIT

Into the school has come a new club with a definite purpose, namely—to develop school spirit. This club, yet without a name, is composed of the teachers of Central, with Mr. Bexten at their head. They hope in time to have a representative from the different student organizations to co-operate with them in their work.

**Contest Committee Appointed**  
A Contest Committee from the club has been appointed, including Miss G. W. Clarke, chairman; Miss West, Miss Tompsett and Mr. Nelson.

**Contest To Be Held**  
The committee is planning a contest to be held in the home rooms. This contest is for the purpose of finding for the club the best definition of school spirit. Definite plans are being made and will be announced some time this week.

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## GLEE CLUB'S DREAM FINALLY REALIZED IN PRESENTATION OF "BOHEMIAN GIRL"

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Tickets Going Fast

The tickets are going fast. About 700 tickets have already been sold. The seats are only 50 cents for the best opera ever written. Tickets may be bought from any member of the Glee Clubs, from Mrs. Pitts and Mrs. Swanson, and at the office. Reservations began Monday morning at the Central high school box office, room 14d, and will continue throughout the week.

## DR. STUCKENBRUCK TALKS TO SENIOR HI-Y

Special Ladies' Night Meeting Tomorrow—Fine Program Planned

"Omaha has done its part toward making you a man by building these wonderful schools and providing the finest of teachers to instruct you," declared Dr. C. O. Stuckenbruck at the Senior Hi-Y meeting last Friday. "Now are you going to do your part; are you going to make use of this education and training to help develop yourself into a success and an advertisement for the city, or are you going to be a failure?"

#### Speaker Heartily Applauded

The speaker certainly did not fail in arousing the enthusiasm of his listeners as shown by the hearty applause accorded him. He used humorous examples as a means of driving home his points and had his audience in an uproar one minute and in deep meditation the next.

Dr. Stuckenbruck is pastor of the First Christian Church of Council Bluffs, which boasts of one of the largest Sunday schools in the country, having an attendance of about 1,000 pupils.

#### Ladies' Night This Wednesday

The red letter night of the year, however, will be Wednesday night of this week when the long planned Ladies' Night meeting takes place. Besides the speaker, L. C. Oberlies, who is always the biggest attraction on the Hi-Y schedule, there will be an hour of musical entertainment by the Faculty Trio, Archie Baley, and others. Because of the special Wednesday night meeting, there will be no Hi-Y on Friday night.

## CENTRAL TEACHERS CHOOSE BEST ESSAYS

The staff composed of Central teachers will select the six best essays from Central submitted for the American Prize Essay contest. These essays will represent Central in the national and state contests held by the same society. Each winner will receive a certificate of merit.

All essays must be given to Miss Stegner in Room 228, by March 15, since the national committee must have the essays by April 1.

## NEW LIBRARIAN TAKES MISS SIMMONS' PLACE

Yes, the little smiling brown-eyed lady in the library is the new assistant, Miss Holloway. She is taking the place of Miss Catherine Simmons who has gone to the University of Wisconsin to study. Miss Holloway has been working in the library at the University of Nebraska, from which she graduated.

"I like the school and I hope to stay the whole semester," she said.



LEADS OF OPERA

## REGISTER RECEIVES FINE COMPLIMENT

Professor at University of Pennsylvania Says Best High Paper Received

The Register is still receiving congratulations, not only from nearby places, but from far distant points as well.

Mr. E. D. Grizzel, assistant professor of secondary education at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, one of the highest ranking universities in the United States, in a letter to Mr. Masters, who was associated with Mr. Grizzel at the university this summer, says the following:

"May I take this opportunity to express my opinion of your 'Weekly Register?' We are receiving, now, papers from a large number of high schools throughout the United States and I think I can say truthfully that your paper is the best by far of all those that we receive. I mean by this it gives me a clearer conception of what your school is doing, day by day, than any of the other papers. That, I think, is the most important function of the high school newspaper."

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## HOUSEHOLD ARTS CLASSES VISIT THE TRINITY CATHEDRAL

Miss Verda Williams' and Miss Clara Kelly's Household Arts classes were conducted by Dean McGinley through Trinity Cathedral, which is considered the best example of Gothic architecture in Omaha, Thursday, for the purpose of studying the architecture of the building.

#### Interprets Symbols

The Dean's talk was most interesting and most instructive. He explained the different forms of architecture in the cathedral and interpreted the meaning of many of the symbols. He explained that the shepherd's crook, the key and the coronet are symbols of the bishop, while the shield symbolizes the dean. He also told in detail the meaning of the characters in the beautiful stained-glass windows.

#### Division of Church

The Dean showed the class how everything in the church verged into the cross, the so-called Glorified Cross, because of its representation of everlasting life. "The right side of the church is always the more sacred, for on that side is the bishop's stall. In every Episcopal church there is reserved for the bishop such a seat. The dean of the church occupies a stall on the left side."

#### Class to Tour Omaha

The Household Art classes are planning to make a tour of all Omaha in search of more examples of architecture. They are now making plans for visiting the City Hall, the Court House, the Public Library, the Post Office, the Woodmen of the World and Central High School.

## HI-Y ENTERTAINED BY DR. J. WAGNER

Dr. James E. Wagner, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Omaha, entertained the members of the Junior Hi-Y last Thursday with a number of yarns concerning his life in Texas and elsewhere. He kept his listeners in an uproar from start to finish and judging from the applause accorded the speaker, this meeting will be one of the most outstanding ones of the year.

The speaker delivered the graduation address for the February seniors at Central's auditorium on January 25.

During the meeting it was announced that the club would hold its annual social mixer next Thursday and that movies, games and stunts have been arranged for.

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## CENTRAL'S BOOSTING UNITS

### Spanish Club

Durant Rice was elected president and Romaine Dickinson, vice president, of the Spanish Club at the meeting Tuesday. Viola Connelly was elected secretary, Willella Payne, treasurer, and Arthur Dunn and Margaret Carmichael, sergeants-at-arms.

Durant was formerly vice president of the club and circulation manager of the Register, and is a second lieutenant in the regiment. Romaine, Willella and Viola were all officers of the Spanish Club last year, Romaine having been secretary; Viola, treasurer, and Willella, president. Arthur Dunn is a radio fan and Margaret Carmichael is prominent in school circles.

### Mathematics Club

When Mr. Woolery accepted the club pin presented by President David Fellman at the open house meeting of the Mathematics Club Friday, February 8, he said: "It is the first club pin I have ever owned."

Following the presentation of the pin a musical program was given and the New Program and Entertainment committees were appointed for the semester. The next meeting will be held February 22.

### Linger Travel Club

Plans for a Freshman party of the Linger Travel Club were made and committees appointed at a short business meeting held Wednesday, February 5, in Room 235. The party will be held on February 19.

### Student Control

There will be a Student Control meeting in the near future to elect eleven juniors to fill the places that are vacant. Mr. Bexten advises the Student Control members to be on the lookout for good students who would be worthy members of this organization. He also said that fifth hour study is not compulsory.

### Keen Key Clickers

Morris Hurwitz, the newly-elected president of the Keen Key Clickers; Alice Bondesson, the new vice president; and Bennie Morgan, the new treasurer, were selected at the semi-annual election of the club held February 5 in room 317. The other officers elected are Edward Albert, recording secretary, and Edith Sterner, corresponding secretary.

Bertha Whitebrook, the chairman of the Contest committee, announced that the second speed test in preparation for the contest at Peru will be held on February 19 in room 317.

### Student Club

The Student Club girls entertained each other in a novel "game" at their Valentine meeting, Thursday afternoon, February 7, at the Y. W. C. A. club rooms.

After a short meeting, the girls were divided into four groups, which were instructed to pantomime some kind of Valentine. Some very clever ideas were worked out. One group gave three scenes of the "Emmy Lou" Valentine episode.

Ruth Gordon gave the story of the origin of the Valentine and Beth Cole gave two piano solos.

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# Purple Beats Links 26-18

## LINCOLN QUINTET SUFFERS SECOND LOSS OF SEASON

Marrow's Wonderful Basket Tossing Spells Defeat for Link Five

### CHURCH FITS NICELY

Central gained two decisive victories over their old rivals, Lincoln, by defeating them first in the tank meet and then administering them a real drubbing in basket ball by a 26 to 18 count at Tech gym, Saturday afternoon.

Coach "Zip" Hill's men were working like a well oiled machine with every cog hitting the high spots. Central's offensive machine tore the Links' defense to shreds time after time and caged the ball with ease. Lincoln was only allowed to make three attempts at short shots and two of these were good for a goal. Brown, Lincoln's mainstay, opened the scoring with a long basket, but baskets by Marrow and Church put the Capitol Hill lads in the lead, never to be headed by the Links again.

Petterman played the best game of his life at center and worked in well with the Marrow and Church combination. Gerelick and Lawson as the guards were a formidable pair for the Links to pass.

Lawson broke up many of the Red and Black men's attacks and kept them from making any short shots, while Gerelick played a floor game that is hard to beat.

Acker, speedy Lincoln forward, was the outstanding star for the visitors. Marrow had fifteen markers after his name on the score sheet.

The support given the team by the Central students was wonderful and the cheering was deafening at all times.

The lineup and summary:

CENTRAL	FG.	FT.	F.	Pts.
Marrow, rf	5	5	0	15
Church, lf	3	1	1	7
Horacek, c	0	0	1	0
Lawson (C.), rg	0	1	1	1
Gerelick, lg	0	1	2	1
Petterman, c	1	0	0	2

LINCOLN	FG.	FT.	F.	Pts.
Brown, rf	3	0	1	6
Acker, lf	2	0	0	4
Ward, c	2	1	0	5
Corrick (C.), rg	1	1	3	3
Kahler, lg	0	0	0	0
Gohde, lg	0	0	0	0
Whittle, lg	0	0	1	0

Totals----- 8 2 7 18  
 Referee—Adams, Omaha University.  
 Timer—Percival, Central.  
 Time of Quarters—10 minutes.

## SENIORS COP SECOND PLACE, CLASS LEAGUE

The game between the Seniors and Juniors which was played last Tuesday evening in the north gym marked the close of inter-class basket ball in the Senior and Junior loop. Bexten's crew defeated Barnhill's aggregation by the close score of 20 to 17. Cheek, center on the Junior team, scored 1 of the Junior's 17 points.

At the same time the Creighton Seniors walloped the South Seniors by the lop-sided score of 32 to 3. As a result of these games, the Creighton Seniors captured the title in the Senior-Junior loop. The Central Seniors have to be content with second place, having been defeated by only the loop leaders. The Purple Juniors ended with third place.

In the Freshman-Sophomore basket ball loop, the Purple Sophomores and the Purple Juniors are still tied for second place, with the South Sophomores holding the lead.

The results of last week's games brought in victories for each of the three leading teams.

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## CHURCH SHOWING HIS CAPABILITY ON COURT

Ralph Church, diminutive forward, put a surprise in the Purple camp when he copped the regular berth at forward left vacant by "Manny" Robertson when he became ineligible. This is Ralph's second year on the first squad, as he was a substitute forward last year.

Ralph has proved that he is capable of playing with fast company in the last few games and should develop into a real running mate for Marrow. Before becoming a member of our team, Ralph played on the Dundee church team that won the championship at the Y last year.



Ralph Church

### WHO'S WHO

Florence Drake, senior, is prominent in skating circles, having won three firsts in the recent city championship contest.

Albert Finkel has proved himself a real tennis player by winning the junior city championship as well as the school championship in his two years at school. He has two years at Central yet.

Hawthorne Arey is taking a leading hand in the wrestling game. It is his good fortune to be under the tutelage of Barney Nordstrom, amateur champion in the middleweight class, at the Y. M. C. A.

### Behind the Scenes

Phil Gerelick has acquired a new name. The SHEIK will be his official title from now on.

Bill Egan, more familiarly known as "Willie," has a strong desire to become a member of Central's swimming team. Willie also has many friends in Onawa, Iowa, for he got off the train to get a better look at the city.

Ask Bleicher who swallowed the dictionary. Another famous saying by Dave is, "You talk like an egg."

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## CENTRAL TANK SQUAD VICTOR OVER LINCOLN

Purple Splashers Swim to a 45-23 Win Over Capital City Lads

### NEW RECORD MADE

Central high's tank squad splashed themselves to an overwhelming victory over the Lincoln men by a 45 to 23 score at the Athletic club pool last Friday night in the two schools' first annual dual meet.

The Central relay team, composed of Thomas, Quigley, Moekler and Hayden, broke the old 200-yard mark of 1:57 4-5 by doing the distance in 1:56 flat. Central has won this event in every high school event since 1919.

The summary follows:  
 200-Yard Relay—Won by Central. Time, 1:56.

Fancy Diving—Cisler, Central, first; Anderson, Lincoln, second; Kelley, Central, third.

50-Yard Free Style—McBride, Lincoln, first; Hayden, Central, second; Quigley, Central, third. Time, 28 3-5.

100-Yard Backstroke—Thomas, Central, first; Swift, Central, second; R. Still, Lincoln, third. Time, 1:53 1-5.

220-Yard Free Style—Hayden, Central, first; Kelley, Central, second; Waldo, Lincoln, third. Time, 3:05 3-5.

Plunge for Distance—Johnson, Lincoln, first; Swift, Central, second; R. Still, Lincoln, third. Distance, 51 1/2 feet.

100-Yard Backstroke—Moekler, Central, first; Ramsey, Central, second; Ross, Lincoln, third. Time, 1:17 2-5.

100-Yard Free Style—McBride, Lincoln, first; Quigley, Central, second; Hickman, Lincoln, third. Time, 1:07 1-5.

Ralph Church is not only making a name for himself in basket ball but is expected to put up a stiff battle for the tennis championship this spring.

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## SENIOR GIRLS DEFEAT JUNIOR BLOOMERITES

Seniors' Teamwork Enables Forwards to Cage Baskets

The senior girl basket tossers handed the junior flippers a defeat last Wednesday afternoon in the girls' gym to the count of 23 to 9. Swift and sure playing proved that the upper classmen have fine timber to work with. For a while the juniors have been running off with the laurels in the sphere caging line, but basket after basket sunk by the senior forwards was assurance that rivalry will be keen.

No stellar performers were noticeable, but the senior crew played in gripping co-ordination.

The lineup:  
**SENIORS**  
 Victoria Kuncel, r. f. Vivian Wrenn Eastora Jones, c. f. Marian Griffin Ruth Richardson, l. f. Ruth Walker Maxine White, r. g. Lila Showalter Ruth Stewart, c. g. Lucille Gannon Helen Nesladek, l. g. Dorothy Tennant  
 Substitutes: Seniors—Alice Wurgler, Lois Scott.

## MANY TEAMS ENTER CENTRAL'S COURT TOURNEY

Since Friday of this week is the last day for entries into the tournament which is to be staged in Central very soon, many teams are signing up to enter the contest, and are practicing for their first games.

Already nearly ten teams have been organized and have entered. There will be plenty of competition, since each of the classes, many clubs and many individuals have entered aggregations. Martin Thomas, Ward Percival and many others have entered teams. No more than seven, however, can be entered on one team.

Dates for the games of the tournament will be announced. Each of the teams will meet each other and the team with the highest percentage will hold the championship of the school.

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## PURPLE QUINTET MEETS HILLTOP CREW TONIGHT

Dodge Street Fighters Will Attempt to Avenge Earlier Defeat

### CITY TITLE AT STAKE

When Coach "Zip" Hill's clan of basket tossers meet Creighton high's hoopsters tonight in Creighton gym, the city cage title is expected to be at stake. Each team has been working very hard in preparation for this contest.

Central is still smarting from the defeat which Creighton administered earlier in the season when the Irish crew trimmed the Purple five by a single point which came in the final minutes of the game. Since this first game was one of the best fought games witnessed on an Omaha high school court, tonight's game should not be lacking the qualities of a good basketball game.

Very strenuous workouts were witnessed in both the Purple and the Blue camps last week. Each team also played very difficult games Saturday which helped to smooth out the weak points.

The teams are almost evenly matched, although Creighton has gone through the season more successfully than Central. With Church and Marrow at the running positions for the Purple crew, team-work in the Central camp will not be lacking. Creighton's chief markers are likely to be Moyland, forward, and Coffey, forward and captain.

The starting lineups will probably be:

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