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PROGRAM OF PLAYS BY DRAMATIC CLUB

A very interesting and highly artistic program is being planned by the Dramatic Club for presentation sometime during the early part of December. The exact date for the entertainment has not been set but it will probably be given the week before Christmas. Three one-act plays requiring the services of the entire club and some outside help, will be presented. The first of these is "Overtones" by Alice Gerrsteinberg, a well written play of serious character and artistic capacity. The small cast of characters, each carrying a heavy part, is as follows: Harriet, a cultured woman — Elizabeth Shackell Hetty, her primitive self — Dorothy Magnus Margaret, a cultured woman — Florence Hall Maggie, her primitive self — Lois Everts

This play will be followed by "The Wonderhat" of the May Orga Collection of representative one-act plays. It is a fantastic comedy along biblical lines. There will be about twenty speaking parts. The following will take part:

Harriet — Eileen McGuire
Columbine — Beatrice Peters
Pierrot — Annette Hanna
Punchinello — Scophine Martin
Harlequin — Eileen McGuire
Hetty, her primitive self — Dorothy Magnus
Margot — Ethel Givens

"Jephtha's Daughter", a somewhat spectacular religious drama, will close the program. This play took the prize in the Religious Drama contest conducted by the Drama League of America last year to provide dramatic material along biblical lines. There will be about twenty characters in the entire cast of which the non-speaking parts will probably be assigned to those outside the club who showed interest in the try outs. The cast to date is as follows:

Jephtha, a man of Gilgal — Harold Kelly
Sheelah, his only child — Marcella Peterson
Eldad, his father — Loyering Flannery
Dinah, Sheelah's nurse — Mary Ewing
Amasa, an elder in Israel — Avery Barr
Nathan, his son — Mark Elliott
Tirza — Marjory Holland
Michael — Sibyl Yates
Josiah, comrade of Jephtha — Rudy Subo
Wealthy Man — Horace Zimmermann

The Club intends to spare neither time nor expense in securing the proper costumes, scenery, and lighting effects necessary to make the entertainment a success.

FINAL GAME COMES TOMORROW; WINONA BATTLES OLD RIVAL

The day is almost here when our old rivals from St. Cloud come to engage in what is to be the biggest game of the season. Remembering last year's defeat by a close score, Coach Everts has his mind set on victory for his team. Should Winona win, the season would be successful in spite of the disastrous results of the preceding games. Because the college is putting on this game as the chief attraction for "Home Coming Day," a large crowd is expected to be on hand for the battle.

The squad has been hard hit of late to such an extent that Coach Everts has had to make many shifts in the line up. As a result of the Eau Claire game, a big gap at guard was left open by James Mitchell. This has caused the shifting of Capt. Gross back to center, with Zimmerman and Riser filling the guard positions. Tweito has been called from the bench and placed at one tackle while Elliot still holds the other. Wall will play one end position, but who will handle the other wing is unsettled. Felsen has been ill so that Pottoff and Laut may get the call.

The backfield is likewise in crippled shape. McCaffery has been suffering from a bad ankle but his condition is expected to be fair when he enters the big game. Possell is still on the job at full and is improving with every game. The other half back position is being filled by three candidates, Larson, Kline, and Nortag. Quarter is well taken care of by Chinski with Bourne as understudy.

The strength and weaknesses of this combination have been very apparent. Against the strong Eau Claire outfit the team more than held its own at times but against the weaker team from Rochester it showed some glaring weaknesses. Whether or not the team exerts its full strength against St. Cloud remains to be seen. However, every man on the squad is out to do his best to trim St. Cloud and is filled with the idea of victory to such an extent that it will take a mighty good team from that school to stave off defeat.

Saturday being Armistice Day and a legal holiday, the largest delegation of students and others of the year is expected to be present. Remember to show your colors and bring along plenty of noise making instruments. Don't forget the slogan —
THE LAST GAME

Tomorrow the last game of the football season will be played on the home field. This game will mark the close of a hard, and, if only games won are considered, so far unsuccessful season. But this season is not closed yet, and will not be until the last minute of play tomorrow is over.

For Winona, this is the biggest game of the year. By winning it, we can make both the team and the College feel that after all it has been a season of accomplishment. The team intends to win this game, but how about the rest of the school? You have been told all season that your part in winning must be a vital one, but perhaps you have not been able to see this fact as well as others in a more intimate position to do so. Then come out tomorrow and you will see how it can be done against a team of nearly equal strength, and help beat St. Cloud.

If the team has ever been entitled to your support, now is the time. Do your part and Let's Go.

HOME COMING DAY

Home Coming Day—one of the big events of the year. So far as is possible with the limited number of Alumni who will return for tomorrow, it is the intent to make it one of the memorable days of your college life. There will be quite a few of these returning graduates, and we need everyone of you to help guide them, and incidentally yourselves, a good time.

The big event of the day will of course be the St. Cloud game. Nothing more is needed here as to the drawing power of this part of the program. You know what to do and how to do it.

Later in the day there will be a dinner sponsored by Mu-Epsilon-Nu for the visiting team and other men formerly associated with the school. Tentative plans for a party to follow have been made but are not ready for definite announcement.

Whatever the program, however, it is going to require the wholehearted backing of the entire school to make it go, and do not forget you are part of the school. Make it a day which not only our visitors but you yourselves can look back to, satisfied that it was a success and that you did your share to make it so.

THREE DEFEATS FOR WINONA; TEAM WEAK FROM INJURED MEN

Playing without the services of several first string men, the W. S. T. C. eleven went down in defeat before Shattuck Military Academy, Eau Claire Normal, and Rochester Junior College by the scores 24-0, 48-0 and 19-6 respectively. Just before the Shattuck game, McCaffrey, about whom the forward passing game was built, received an injury to his ankle which necessitated his absence from the lineup for the next few games. Because of the dependence on the forward pass by Winona's light team, McCaffrey's injury was a big blow. The Shattuck forwards outweighed their opponents so much that the backs found it easy going through the line. In fact Shattuck's greatest gains were made by straight football which called for line backs and tackle plays. The "Teachers" fought gamely but hopelessly and were only able to put over one touchdown as a result of a pass, Chinski to Wall. This was the only score made against Shattuck by any team so far this year, so that the game was not without glory.

The next week the team journeyed to Eau Claire and mixed in a rather disastrous battle with that Wisconsin Normal school. In this game the team played minus the services of both McCaffrey and J. Mitchell, the latter being hurt at the very outset of the game. Notwithstanding the tremendous odds against it, the Winona eleven put up a dogged fight against a very superior team, one which has its eyes on the championship of its own state. In the second and third quarters the Eau Claire eleven registered only one touchdown for each period. These were noticeably Winona's best quarters. But for the weakened condition of the team and the game following the kick off as a result of the队长 Mitchell's injury, the game might possibly have been more favorable for Winona.

Winona presented a rather patched lineup for the Rochester game. J. Mitchell, Felsen, and S. Mitchell were among the missing when the Winona eleven put up a dogged fight against a very superior team, one which has its eyes on the championship of its own state. In the second and third quarters the Eau Claire eleven registered only one touchdown for each period. These were noticeably Winona's best quarters with the Eau Claire team still having a slight edge.

James Mitchell sustained a painful injury at the Eau Claire football game, when he had both bones of his left leg fractured below the knee. The accident occurred at the very beginning of the game following the kick off as a result of the attempt of the Eau Claire players to block him. Immediate and expert attention was given him at an Eau Claire hospital where it is expected he will have to remain for at least another week. Much has been done to cheer him in the form of correspondence, flowers, and eats, the school as a whole, organizations, and individuals contributing their share.

The Winonan is expressing the sentiment of the entire school in wishing him a speedy recovery and return to his work here.
**TRAINING SCHOOL NOTES**

Halloween was celebrated at the Junior High School by having an afternoon party on Tuesday. Six boys and girls from the seventh, eighth, and ninth grades and the teachers of the Junior High were present.

Obstacle relay races were held in the gymnasium. An eighth grade team of boys was victorious in one race, winning from teams representing the other grades and the faculty. The seventh grade boys proved winners in an elimination process in the second race.

Refreshments were served after the games were completed.

Two teams of boys from the Junior High School representing the eighth and ninth grades entered between halves at the W. S. T. C.—Rochester Junior College game last Saturday afternoon by competing in a relay race where each boy was required to run twenty yards, get into a sack, hop twenty yards, get out of the sack, run to a barrel and crawl through, get up and run to a hurdle, leap this and run on to tag the next boy in the race.

Laughter constantly flouted out from the spectators as some boy was having undue trouble piloting his gunny sack or had too great a circumference to gain rapid passage through the barrel.

The eighth grade team won the event.

**M. E. A. PROGRAM**

The M. E. A. was again reported a great success by all who attended. Among the prominent speakers were: Philip E. Carlson, principal Roosevelt High School of Minneapolis; L. H. Swift, University of Minnesota, who spoke on "School Finance in Minnesota;" David Hunter Miller of New York; L. D. Coffman, president of University of Minnesota; W. J. Webster, superintendent of schools in Minneapolis; J. M. McConnell, commissioner of education; and William B. Owen, president of the National Educational Association.

All of the meetings were highly inspirational and noteworthy, but to representatives of our school, the Reunion Banquet represents the climax of the M. E. A. This year it was held at "The Golden Rule." The program was as follows:

Winona Songs—

"The First Month's Pay Check."—Wilfred Quenett '21.

"The Long Trail."—Ada Melville Shaw '83.

"Inside Information."—L. L. Everly.

"Alma Mater as She Is"—Theda Gildemeister Song.

"Lee Pemberton'12.

**SCHOOL TAKES SPELLING TEST**

The results of the recent spelling test required of both Juniors and Seniors show a range in grades of from 90 to 100. Sixty-three or approximately 13% received from 95 to 100; ninety-four or 29% received from 90 to 95; one hundred and two or 21% received from 80 to 90. It has been decided that the list of those who stood 90 or above may be considered exempt from the spelling class which is to be organized in the near future.

Investigation has shown that the writing vocabulary of the average individual is much smaller than is generally believed—a fairly satisfactory one constituting about 3,500 words. Many attempts have been made through the study of newspaper material, correspondence, current magazines, etc. to find out the most common words in use with the purpose of determining what words should be learned.

The problem becomes more difficult when the list is to be used by a particular group of people. It is hoped that the list in the new spelling bulletin now at press, which has been prepared with Teachers' College students in mind will constitute a beginning upon this important problem. There are about 2,500 words of assured currency in the list and it is expected that others will be added with use. The bulletin also contains a brief article on the pedagogy of spelling.

**COPY**

The editor sat in his cane bottom chair,

Ran all of his fingers thru all of his hair,

"That blankable copy has got to be got!

We want it right. What we want is a lot.

More Copy!"

Printers and phone were both sizzling hot.

"That blankable copy has got to be got!

We want it right. What we want is a lot.

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But still, tho reporters all fervently swore

That they'd got all the news in the country—and more,

The editor raved as he traversed the floor,

"More Copy!"

The issue is out. Now we hear people tell

Of a maniac held in a lone padded cell.

The poor ex-editor only can yelling.

"More Copy!"
You're not afraid of snakes are you Henry?"  "Why certainly not Martha."
"Then throw that foolish stick away. I hate a one-armed man."
L. — "They say Mr. H — — — talks in his sleep."
M. — "Very likely. He talks in mine."

There are meters iambic and meters trochaic,
And meters of musical tone,
But the meter that's sweeter, completer and neater,
Is to meter in the moonlight alone.

Rudy's definition of a dance—"The maximum of motion in the minimum of space."
A man must make his way in the world; a woman merely has hers.
The warmth of a college professor is not always measured by his degrees.
To flunk is human; to pass divine.
Laugh and the teacher laughs with you,
Laugh and you laugh alone.
The first when the jokes on the teacher,
The other when the jokes your own.
Sinclair: "Give two important events in the year 1869."
O'Donnell: "New Years and Christmas."

France: "Miss Gildemeister, the more I read in Theory, the less I know."
Miss G.: "You seem to have read a great deal."
Carl: "I'm gonna be a miner!"
Gross: "What kind of a miner?"
Carl: "Kalso-miner."

French: "Well, how stupid to be sure! Can't even multiply 80 by 25! I'll wager Carl can do it in less than no time."
Pothoff: "I shouldn't be surprised. They say fools multiply rapidly now days."

Harris: "Riser, leave this room!"
O. R.: "I wasn't going to take it."

Training School Garden Notes
My heart beats for you.
Do you carrot all for me?
You are a peach.
With your radish hair and turnip nose.
You are the apple of my eye.
If we canteloupe, lettuce marry.
We would make a happy pear.
Red Passell: "He stoops to nothing but the door!"

Student: "I am grateful to you for all I know."
Scarborough: "Don't mention it, it's only a mere trifle!"

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